



# Journal of the Senate

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The Senate convened at 10:19 a.m., with the President Pro Tempore of the Senate, David C. Long, in the Chair.

Prayer was offered by Pastor James Faris of the Second Reformed Presbyterian Church.

The Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag was led by Senator Gregory G. Taylor.

The Chair ordered the roll of the Senate to be called. Those present were:

Alting	Kruse
Bassler	Lanane
Becker	Leising
Bohacek	Long
Boots	Melton
Bray	Merritt
Breaux	Messmer
Brown, L.	Mishler
Buck	Mrvan
Charbonneau	Niemeyer
Crane	Niezgodski
Crider	Perfect
Delph	Raatz
Doriot	Randolph, Lonnie M.
Eckerty	Ruckelshaus
Ford	Sandlin
Freeman	Smith, J.
Glick	Stoops
Grooms	Tallian
Head	Taylor, G.
Hershman	Tomes
Holdman	Walker
Houchin	Young, M.
Kenley	Zakas
Koch	Zay

Roll Call 211: present 50; excused 0. [Note: A  indicates those who were excused.] The Chair announced a quorum present. Pursuant to Senate Rule 5(d), no motion having been heard, the Journal of the previous day was considered read.

## MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

Madam President: I am directed by the House to inform the Senate that the House has passed House Concurrent Resolution 30 and the same is herewith transmitted for further action.

M. CAROLINE SPOTTS  
Principal Clerk of the House

## MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

Madam President: I am directed by the House to inform the Senate that the House has passed Senate Concurrent Resolutions 11 and 22 and the same are herewith returned to the Senate.

M. CAROLINE SPOTTS  
Principal Clerk of the House

## MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

Madam President: I am directed by the House to inform the Senate that the House has passed Engrossed House Bills 1001, 1008, 1024, 1128, 1129, 1273, 1289, 1317, 1394, 1422, 1441 and 1450 and the same are herewith transmitted to the Senate for further action.

M. CAROLINE SPOTTS  
Principal Clerk of the House

## MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

Madam President: I am directed by the House to inform the Senate that the House has passed Engrossed House Bills 1463, 1489, 1493, 1494, 1496, 1578 and 1617 and the same are herewith transmitted to the Senate for further action.

M. CAROLINE SPOTTS  
Principal Clerk of the House

## RESOLUTIONS ON SECOND READING

### House Concurrent Resolution 16

Senator M. Young called up House Concurrent Resolution 16 for second reading. The resolution was read a second time and adopted by voice vote. The Chair instructed the Secretary to inform the House of the passage of the resolution.

## ENGROSSED SENATE BILLS ON THIRD READING

### Engrossed Senate Bill 1

Senator Head called up Engrossed Senate Bill 1 for third reading:

A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning alcohol and tobacco.

The bill was read a third time by sections and placed upon its passage. The question was, Shall the bill pass?

Roll Call 212: yeas 49, nays 1. The bill was declared passed. The question was, Shall the title of the bill remain the title of the act? There being no objection, it was so ordered. The Chair instructed the Secretary to inform the House of the passage of the bill. House sponsors: Representatives Lehman, Steuerwald, Smaltz and Mahan.

**Engrossed Senate Bill 8**

Senator Boots called up Engrossed Senate Bill 8 for third reading:

A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning criminal law and procedure.

The bill was read a third time by sections and placed upon its passage. The question was, Shall the bill pass?

Roll Call 213: yeas 40, nays 10. The bill was declared passed. The question was, Shall the title of the bill remain the title of the act? There being no objection, it was so ordered. The Chair instructed the Secretary to inform the House of the passage of the bill. House sponsors: Representatives Torr and VanNatter.

**Engrossed Senate Bill 9**

Senator Merritt called up Engrossed Senate Bill 9 for third reading:

A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning human services.

The bill was read a third time by sections and placed upon its passage. The question was, Shall the bill pass?

Roll Call 214: yeas 34, nays 16. The bill was declared passed. The question was, Shall the title of the bill remain the title of the act? There being no objection, it was so ordered. The Chair instructed the Secretary to inform the House of the passage of the bill. House sponsors: Representatives Olthoff and Frizzell.

**Engrossed Senate Bill 88**

Senator Leising called up Engrossed Senate Bill 88 for third reading:

A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning education.

The bill was read a third time by sections and placed upon its passage. The question was, Shall the bill pass?

Roll Call 215: yeas 25, nays 25. The bill failed for lack of a constitutional majority.

**Engrossed Senate Bill 154**

Senator Merritt called up Engrossed Senate Bill 154 for third reading:

A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning human services.

The bill was read a third time by sections and placed upon its passage. The question was, Shall the bill pass?

Roll Call 216: yeas 34, nays 16. The bill was declared passed. The question was, Shall the title of the bill remain the title of the act? There being no objection, it was so ordered. The Chair instructed the Secretary to inform the House of the passage of the bill. House sponsors: Representatives Olthoff and Frizzell.

**Engrossed Senate Bill 196**

Senator Kenley called up Engrossed Senate Bill 196 for third reading:

A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning education and to make an appropriation.

The bill was read a third time by sections and placed upon its passage. The question was, Shall the bill pass?

Roll Call 217: yeas 50, nays 0. The bill was declared passed. The question was, Shall the title of the bill remain the title of the act? There being no objection, it was so ordered. The Chair instructed the Secretary to inform the House of the passage of the bill. House sponsors: Representatives T. Brown and Goodin.

**Engrossed Senate Bill 198**

Senator Eckerty called up Engrossed Senate Bill 198 for third reading:

A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning education.

The bill was read a third time by sections and placed upon its passage. The question was, Shall the bill pass?

Roll Call 218: yeas 43, nays 6. The bill was declared passed. The question was, Shall the title of the bill remain the title of the act? There being no objection, it was so ordered. The Chair instructed the Secretary to inform the House of the passage of the bill. House sponsors: Representatives Huston, T. Brown and Thompson.

**Engrossed Senate Bill 199**

Senator Alting called up Engrossed Senate Bill 199 for third reading:

A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning alcohol and tobacco.

The bill was read a third time by sections and placed upon its passage. The question was, Shall the bill pass?

Roll Call 219: yeas 43, nays 6. The bill was declared passed. The question was, Shall the title of the bill remain the title of the act? There being no objection, it was so ordered. The Chair instructed the Secretary to inform the House of the passage of the bill. House sponsor: Representative Smaltz.

**Engrossed Senate Bill 227**

Senator Merritt called up Engrossed Senate Bill 227 for third reading:

A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning courts and court officers.

The bill was read a third time by sections and placed upon its passage. The question was, Shall the bill pass?

Roll Call 220: yeas 39, nays 10. The bill was declared passed. The question was, Shall the title of the bill remain the title of the act? There being no objection, it was so ordered. The Chair instructed the Secretary to inform the House of the passage of the bill. House sponsor: Representative Burton.

**Engrossed Senate Bill 242**

Senator Merritt called up Engrossed Senate Bill 242 for third reading:

A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning state offices and administration and to make an appropriation.

The bill was read a third time by sections and placed upon its passage. The question was, Shall the bill pass?

Roll Call 221: yeas 47, nays 3. The bill was declared passed. The question was, Shall the title of the bill remain the title of the act? There being no objection, it was so ordered. The Chair instructed the Secretary to inform the House of the passage of the bill. House sponsors: Representatives Frizzell and Clere.

**Engrossed Senate Bill 276**

Senator Holdman called up Engrossed Senate Bill 276 for third reading:

A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning education and to make an appropriation.

The bill was read a third time by sections and placed upon its passage. The question was, Shall the bill pass?

Roll Call 222: yeas 41, nays 9. The bill was declared passed. The question was, Shall the title of the bill remain the title of the act? There being no objection, it was so ordered. The Chair instructed the Secretary to inform the House of the passage of the bill. House sponsor: Representative Cook.

**Engrossed Senate Bill 279**

Senator Lanane called up Engrossed Senate Bill 279 for third reading:

A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning health.

The bill was read a third time by sections and placed upon its passage. The question was, Shall the bill pass?

Roll Call 223: yeas 50, nays 0. The bill was declared passed. The question was, Shall the title of the bill remain the title of the act? There being no objection, it was so ordered. The Chair instructed the Secretary to inform the House of the passage of the bill. House sponsors: Representatives Kirchhofer, C. Brown and Errington.

**Engrossed Senate Bill 285**

Senator Tomes called up Engrossed Senate Bill 285 for third reading:

A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning local government.

The bill was read a third time by sections and placed upon its passage. The question was, Shall the bill pass?

Roll Call 224: yeas 34, nays 16. The bill was declared passed. The question was, Shall the title of the bill remain the title of the act? There being no objection, it was so ordered. The Chair

instructed the Secretary to inform the House of the passage of the bill. House sponsor: Representative Borders.

**Engrossed Senate Bill 295**

Senator Leising called up Engrossed Senate Bill 295 for third reading:

A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning motor vehicles.

The bill was read a third time by sections and placed upon its passage. The question was, Shall the bill pass?

Roll Call 225: yeas 50, nays 0. The bill was declared passed. The question was, Shall the title of the bill remain the title of the act? There being no objection, it was so ordered. The Chair instructed the Secretary to inform the House of the passage of the bill. House sponsors: Representatives Frye and Ziemke.

**Engrossed Senate Bill 299**

Senator Koch called up Engrossed Senate Bill 299 for third reading:

A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning criminal law and procedure.

The bill was read a third time by sections and placed upon its passage. The question was, Shall the bill pass?

Roll Call 226: yeas 50, nays 0. The bill was declared passed. The question was, Shall the title of the bill remain the title of the act? There being no objection, it was so ordered. The Chair instructed the Secretary to inform the House of the passage of the bill. House sponsors: Representatives Washburne and Steuerwald.

**Engrossed Senate Bill 322**

Senator Houchin called up Engrossed Senate Bill 322 for third reading:

A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning criminal law and procedure.

The bill was read a third time by sections and placed upon its passage. The question was, Shall the bill pass?

Roll Call 227: yeas 36, nays 13. The bill was declared passed. The question was, Shall the title of the bill remain the title of the act? There being no objection, it was so ordered. The Chair instructed the Secretary to inform the House of the passage of the bill. House sponsors: Representatives Steuerwald, Bauer and Schaibley.

**Engrossed Senate Bill 323**

Senator Houchin called up Engrossed Senate Bill 323 for third reading:

A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning civil procedure.

The bill was read a third time by sections and placed upon its passage. The question was, Shall the bill pass?

Roll Call 228: yeas 49, nays 0. The bill was declared passed. The question was, Shall the title of the bill remain the title of the act? There being no objection, it was so ordered. The Chair instructed the Secretary to inform the House of the passage of the bill. House sponsors: Representatives McNamara and Hamilton.

#### Engrossed Senate Bill 324

Senator Houchin called up Engrossed Senate Bill 324 for third reading:

A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning criminal law and procedure.

The bill was read a third time by sections and placed upon its passage. The question was, Shall the bill pass?

Roll Call 229: yeas 40, nays 10. The bill was declared passed. The question was, Shall the title of the bill remain the title of the act? There being no objection, it was so ordered. The Chair instructed the Secretary to inform the House of the passage of the bill. House sponsor: Representative Steuerwald.

#### Engrossed Senate Bill 348

Senator Freeman called up Engrossed Senate Bill 348 for third reading:

A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning local government.

The bill was read a third time by sections and placed upon its passage. The question was, Shall the bill pass?

Roll Call 230: yeas 45, nays 5. The bill was declared passed. The question was, Shall the title of the bill remain the title of the act? There being no objection, it was so ordered. The Chair instructed the Secretary to inform the House of the passage of the bill. House sponsor: Representative Speedy.

#### Engrossed Senate Bill 404

Senator Houchin called up Engrossed Senate Bill 404 for third reading:

A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning health.

The bill was read a third time by sections and placed upon its passage. The question was, Shall the bill pass?

Roll Call 231: yeas 36, nays 13. The bill was declared passed. The question was, Shall the title of the bill remain the title of the act? There being no objection, it was so ordered. The Chair instructed the Secretary to inform the House of the passage of the bill. House sponsors: Representatives Mayfield and Washburne.

#### Engrossed Senate Bill 407

Senator Houchin called up Engrossed Senate Bill 407 for third reading:

A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning education.

The bill was read a third time by sections and placed upon its passage. The question was, Shall the bill pass?

Roll Call 232: yeas 32, nays 18. The bill was declared passed. The question was, Shall the title of the bill remain the title of the act? There being no objection, it was so ordered. The Chair instructed the Secretary to inform the House of the passage of the bill. House sponsors: Representatives Torr and Huston.

#### Engrossed Senate Bill 423

Senator M. Young called up Engrossed Senate Bill 423 for third reading:

A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning state and local administration.

The bill was read a third time by sections and placed upon its passage. The question was, Shall the bill pass?

Roll Call 233: yeas 35, nays 15. The bill was declared passed. The question was, Shall the title of the bill remain the title of the act? There being no objection, it was so ordered. The Chair instructed the Secretary to inform the House of the passage of the bill. House sponsor: Representative Burton.

#### SENATE MOTION

Madam President: I move that Senator Crider be added as second sponsor and Senator Niezgodski be added as cosponsor of Engrossed House Bill 1122.

ZAKAS

Motion prevailed.

#### SENATE MOTION

Madam President: I move that Senator Sandlin be added as cosponsor of Engrossed House Bill 1122.

ZAKAS

Motion prevailed.

#### SENATE MOTION

Madam President: I move that Senator Eckerty be added as cosponsor of Engrossed House Bill 1369.

WALKER

Motion prevailed.

#### SENATE MOTION

Madam President: I move that Senator Bassler be added as coauthor of Senate Bill 8.

BOOTS

Motion prevailed.

#### SENATE MOTION

Madam President: I move that Senator Delph be added as coauthor of Senate Bill 8.

BOOTS

Motion prevailed.

SENATE MOTION

Madam President: I move that Senator Doriot be added as coauthor of Senate Bill 8.

BOOTS

Motion prevailed.

SENATE MOTION

Madam President: I move that Senator Tallian be added as coauthor of Senate Bill 8.

BOOTS

Motion prevailed.

SENATE MOTION

Madam President: I move that Senator Mishler be added as second author of Senate Bill 196.

KENLEY

Motion prevailed.

SENATE MOTION

Madam President: I move that Senator Lonnie M. Randolph be added as coauthor of Senate Bill 196.

KENLEY

Motion prevailed.

SENATE MOTION

Madam President: I move that Senator Zakas be added as coauthor of Senate Bill 196.

KENLEY

Motion prevailed.

SENATE MOTION

Madam President: I move that Senator Kruse be added as coauthor of Senate Bill 198.

ECKERTY

Motion prevailed.

SENATE MOTION

Madam President: I move that Senator Merritt be added as coauthor of Senate Bill 199.

ALTING

Motion prevailed.

SENATE MOTION

Madam President: I move that Senator Zakas be added as second author and Senator Kruse be added as coauthor of Senate Bill 227.

MERRITT

Motion prevailed.

SENATE MOTION

Madam President: I move that Senator Lonnie M. Randolph be added as coauthor of Senate Bill 227.

MERRITT

Motion prevailed.

SENATE MOTION

Madam President: I move that Senator Lonnie M. Randolph be added as coauthor of Senate Bill 242.

MERRITT

Motion prevailed.

SENATE MOTION

Madam President: I move that Senator Lonnie M. Randolph be added as coauthor of Senate Bill 276.

HOLDMAN

Motion prevailed.

SENATE MOTION

Madam President: I move that Senator Charbonneau be added as coauthor of Senate Bill 276.

HOLDMAN

Motion prevailed.

SENATE MOTION

Madam President: I move that Senator Lonnie M. Randolph be added as coauthor of Senate Bill 279.

LANANE

Motion prevailed.

SENATE MOTION

Madam President: I move that Senator Zay be added as second author of Senate Bill 285.

TOMES

Motion prevailed.

SENATE MOTION

Madam President: I move that Senator Crane be added as coauthor of Senate Bill 285.

TOMES

Motion prevailed.

SENATE MOTION

Madam President: I move that Senator Kruse be added as coauthor of Senate Bill 295.

LEISING

Motion prevailed.

## SENATE MOTION

Madam President: I move that Senator Kruse be added as coauthor of Senate Bill 299.

KOCH

Motion prevailed.

## SENATE MOTION

Madam President: I move that Senator Holdman be added as coauthor of Senate Bill 322.

HOUCHIN

Motion prevailed.

## SENATE MOTION

Madam President: I move that Senator Buck be added as coauthor of Senate Bill 324.

HOUCHIN

Motion prevailed.

## SENATE MOTION

Madam President: I move that Senator Alting be added as coauthor of Senate Bill 347.

FREEMAN

Motion prevailed.

## SENATE MOTION

Madam President: I move that Senator Kruse be added as coauthor of Senate Bill 348.

FREEMAN

Motion prevailed.

## SENATE MOTION

Madam President: I move that Senator Kruse be added as coauthor of Senate Bill 404.

HOUCHIN

Motion prevailed.

## SENATE MOTION

Madam President: I move that Senator Lonnie M. Randolph be added as coauthor of Senate Bill 425.

M. YOUNG

Motion prevailed.

## SENATE MOTION

Madam President: I move that Senator Alting be added as coauthor of Senate Bill 429.

FORD

Motion prevailed.

## SENATE MOTION

Madam President: I move that Senator Walker be added as second author of Senate Bill 532.

BOOTS

Motion prevailed.

## SENATE MOTION

Madam President: I move that Senator Sandlin be added as third author of Senate Bill 532.

BOOTS

Motion prevailed.

## SENATE MOTION

Madam President: I move that the following resolutions be adopted:

SR 35 Senator Zakas

Honoring Peter DeKeever on the occasion of his retirement.

SR 37 Senator Kruse

Recognizing the importance of Natural Resources Education in Indiana.

LONG

Motion prevailed.

**RESOLUTIONS ON FIRST READING****Senate Resolution 35**

Senate Resolution 35, introduced by Senators Zakas, Mishler and Niezgodski:

A SENATE RESOLUTION honoring Peter DeKeever on the occasion of his retirement from coaching the Penn High School Academic Super Bowl - Social Studies team.

*Whereas, Peter DeKeever coached the Penn High School Academic Super Bowl - Social Studies team for 25 years, and under his leadership, the team was immensely successful;*

*Whereas, While Peter DeKeever was the coach of the Penn High School Academic Super Bowl - Social Studies team, the team won 12 state titles, and was state runner-up 4 times;*

*Whereas, During Peter DeKeever's 25 years of coaching, the Penn High School Academic Super Bowl - Social Studies team had an incredibly impressive overall record of 1160-82-1, which is approximately a 93% win rate;*

*Whereas, In addition to 12 state championship titles and 4 state runner-up titles, Peter DeKeever's Penn High School Academic Super Bowl - Social Studies team won 70 championships out of the 95 total competitions in which it competed;*

*Whereas, During Peter DeKever's years as coach, the Penn High School Academic Super Bowl - Social Studies team won 22 regional championships;*

*Whereas, Peter DeKever resigned from coaching the Penn High School Academic Super Bowl - Social Studies team on July 1, 2016;*

*Whereas, Peter DeKever continues to teach at Penn High School, and he continues to coach the Penn High School Hoosier Spell Bowl Team;*

*Whereas, The Indiana Senate honors Peter DeKever for his dedication to coaching the Penn High School Academic Super Bowl - Social Studies team, and recognizes that this dedication has been vital to the team's incredible success for the last 25 years; and*

*Whereas, The Indiana Senate values Hoosiers such as Peter DeKever who dedicate their time and energy to the academic extracurricular activities in our schools, and the Indiana Senate is grateful that Peter DeKever has encouraged Hoosier students in their academic pursuits: Therefore,*

*Be it resolved by the Senate of the  
General Assembly of the State of Indiana:*

SECTION 1: That the Indiana Senate honors Peter DeKever on the occasion of his retirement from coaching the Penn High School Academic Super Bowl - Social Studies team, and thanks him for his dedication to the academic pursuits of Hoosier students.

SECTION 2: The Secretary of the Senate is hereby directed to transmit a copy of this Resolution to Peter DeKever, and Steve Hope, Principal of Penn High School.

The resolution was read in full and adopted by voice vote.

### **Senate Resolution 37**

Senate Resolution 37, introduced by Senator Kruse:

A SENATE RESOLUTION recognizing the importance of Natural Resources Education in Indiana.

*Whereas, The Natural Resource Education Project is an Adaptive Leadership Project whose goal is to provide Natural Resource education to Indiana school children between grades 1 through 6 in a vetted, approved, unbiased format;*

*Whereas, Through early childhood education, a simple understanding of the natural environment can assist in social attitude changes that positively impact everyone;*

*Whereas, The Natural Resource Education Project is an inclusive effort to involve Indiana educators, the Indiana Legislature, the Indiana Department of Natural Resources, outdoor recreation user groups, private corporations, and parents;*

*Whereas, The Natural Resource Education Project provides students with information on what constitutes a natural resource, how natural resources can be used, and the difference between renewable and non-renewable resources, and how they can affect individuals and society;*

*Whereas, The Natural Resource Education Project was motivated in part by the fact that the Indiana Department of Natural Resources has experienced a steady decline in the number of Natural Resource users over the past two decades, and this trend is not occurring only in Indiana, but across the Nation;*

*Whereas, This trend is occurring because younger generations have not been exposed to the natural world as past generations were exposed to the natural world, and this, in turn, is believed to cause many societal issues;*

*Whereas, Through early childhood education, a simple understanding of the natural environment can assist in societal attitude changes that positively impact everyone and engage future user groups to engage in outdoor pursuits; and*

*Whereas, It is fitting that the Indiana Senate recognizes the importance of Natural Resources Education in Indiana: Therefore,*

*Be it resolved by the Senate of the  
General Assembly of the State of Indiana:*

SECTION 1. That the Indiana Senate recognizes the importance of Natural Resources Education in Indiana.

SECTION 2. The Secretary of the Senate is hereby directed to transmit a copy of this Resolution to the director of the Indiana Department of Natural Resources.

The resolution was read in full and adopted by voice vote.

### **ENGROSSED SENATE BILLS ON THIRD READING**

#### **Engrossed Senate Bill 425**

Senator M. Young called up Engrossed Senate Bill 425 for third reading:

A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning criminal law and procedure.

The bill was read a third time by sections and placed upon its passage. The question was, Shall the bill pass?

Roll Call 234: yeas 46, nays 4. The bill was declared passed. The question was, Shall the title of the bill remain the title of the act? There being no objection, it was so ordered. The Chair instructed the Secretary to inform the House of the passage of the bill. House sponsor: Representative Frizzell.

**Engrossed Senate Bill 429**

Senator Ford called up Engrossed Senate Bill 429 for third reading:

A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning taxation.

The bill was read a third time by sections and placed upon its passage. The question was, Shall the bill pass?

Roll Call 235: yeas 50, nays 0. The bill was declared passed. The question was, Shall the title of the bill remain the title of the act? There being no objection, it was so ordered. The Chair instructed the Secretary to inform the House of the passage of the bill. House sponsors: Representatives Huston and Klinker.

**Engrossed Senate Bill 467**

Senator Buck called up Engrossed Senate Bill 467 for third reading:

A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning insurance.

The bill was read a third time by sections and placed upon its passage. The question was, Shall the bill pass?

Roll Call 236: yeas 50, nays 0. The bill was declared passed. The question was, Shall the title of the bill remain the title of the act? There being no objection, it was so ordered. The Chair instructed the Secretary to inform the House of the passage of the bill. House sponsors: Representatives Karickhoff, Kirchhofer and Mahan.

**Engrossed Senate Bill 478**

Senator Koch called up Engrossed Senate Bill 478 for third reading:

A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning property.

The bill was read a third time by sections and placed upon its passage. The question was, Shall the bill pass?

Roll Call 237: yeas 48, nays 2. The bill was declared passed. The question was, Shall the title of the bill remain the title of the act? There being no objection, it was so ordered. The Chair instructed the Secretary to inform the House of the passage of the bill. House sponsors: Representatives Ober, Negele and DeVon.

**Engrossed Senate Bill 479**

Senator Koch called up Engrossed Senate Bill 479 for third reading:

A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning criminal law.

The bill was read a third time by sections and placed upon its passage. The question was, Shall the bill pass?

Roll Call 238: yeas 45, nays 5. The bill was declared passed. The question was, Shall the title of the bill remain the title of the act? There being no objection, it was so ordered. The Chair instructed the Secretary to inform the House of the passage of the bill. House sponsors: Representatives Washburne, Steuerwald and May.

**Engrossed Senate Bill 498**

Senator Raatz called up Engrossed Senate Bill 498 for third reading:

A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning education.

The bill was read a third time by sections and placed upon its passage. The question was, Shall the bill pass?

Roll Call 239: yeas 50, nays 0. The bill was declared passed. The question was, Shall the title of the bill remain the title of the act? There being no objection, it was so ordered. The Chair instructed the Secretary to inform the House of the passage of the bill. House sponsors: Representatives Wesco, Beumer and Hamm.

**Engrossed Senate Bill 499**

Senator Raatz called up Engrossed Senate Bill 499 for third reading:

A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning criminal law and procedure.

The bill was read a third time by sections and placed upon its passage. The question was, Shall the bill pass?

Roll Call 240: yeas 43, nays 7. The bill was declared passed. The question was, Shall the title of the bill remain the title of the act? There being no objection, it was so ordered. The Chair instructed the Secretary to inform the House of the passage of the bill. House sponsors: Representatives Steuerwald and Kirchhofer.

**Engrossed Senate Bill 517**

Senator Alting called up Engrossed Senate Bill 517 for third reading:

A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning gaming.

The bill was read a third time by sections and placed upon its passage. The question was, Shall the bill pass?

Roll Call 241: yeas 50, nays 0. The bill was declared passed. The question was, Shall the title of the bill remain the title of the act? There being no objection, it was so ordered. The Chair instructed the Secretary to inform the House of the passage of the bill. House sponsors: Representatives Smaltz, Judy and Lawson.



**Engrossed Senate Bill 532**

Senator Boots called up Engrossed Senate Bill 532 for third reading:

A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning local government.

The bill was read a third time by sections and placed upon its passage. The question was, Shall the bill pass?

Roll Call 242: yeas 50, nays 0. The bill was declared passed. The question was, Shall the title of the bill remain the title of the act? There being no objection, it was so ordered. The Chair instructed the Secretary to inform the House of the passage of the bill. House sponsor: Representative Mahan.

**Engrossed Senate Bill 559**

Senator Eckerty called up Engrossed Senate Bill 559 for third reading:

A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning taxation.

The bill was read a third time by sections and placed upon its passage. The question was, Shall the bill pass?

Roll Call 243: yeas 47, nays 3. The bill was declared passed. The question was, Shall the title of the bill remain the title of the act? There being no objection, it was so ordered. The Chair instructed the Secretary to inform the House of the passage of the bill. House sponsor: Representative Negele.

SENATE MOTION

Madam President: I move that Senator Lanane be added as cosponsor of Engrossed House Bill 1080.

GROOMS

Motion prevailed.

SENATE MOTION

Madam President: I move that Senator Alting be added as second author of Senate Bill 425.

M. YOUNG

Motion prevailed.

SENATE MOTION

Madam President: I move that Senator Kruse be added as coauthor of Senate Bill 478.

KOCH

Motion prevailed.

SENATE MOTION

Madam President: I move that Senator Lonnie M. Randolph be added as coauthor of Senate Bill 478.

KOCH

Motion prevailed.

SENATE MOTION

Madam President: I move that Senators M. Young and Buck be added as coauthors of Senate Bill 517.

ALTING

Motion prevailed.

5:14 p.m.

The Chair declared a recess until the fall of the gavel.

RECESS

The Senate reconvened at 8:59 a.m., with the President Pro Tempore of the Senate in the Chair.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS

The following bills and resolutions were read a first time by title and referred to the respective committees:

**HB 1001** — Kenley, Tallian (Appropriations)

A BILL FOR AN ACT concerning state offices and administration and to make an appropriation.

**HB 1008** — Eckerty, Mishler (Appropriations)

A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning labor and safety.

**HB 1024** — Kruse, Randolph Lonnie M, Taylor G, Merritt (Education and Career Development)

A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning education.

**HB 1128** — Brown L, Houchin (Judiciary)

A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning health.

**HB 1129** — Hershman (Tax and Fiscal Policy)

A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning taxation.

**HB 1273** — Crider, Bray (Insurance and Financial Institutions)

A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning insurance.

**HB 1289** — Becker (Commerce and Technology)

A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning professions and occupations.

**HB 1317** — Niemeyer, Tallian, Melton (Commerce and Technology)

A BILL FOR AN ACT concerning transportation.

**HB 1394** — Young M (Pensions and Labor)

A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning local government.

**HB 1422** — Bohacek (Homeland Security and Transportation)  
A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning transportation.

**HB 1441** — Becker, Breaux, Taylor G, Ruckelshaus (Health and Provider Services)  
A BILL FOR AN ACT concerning health.

**HB 1450** — Mishler, Raatz (Tax and Fiscal Policy)  
A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning taxation.

**HB 1463** — Boots (Pensions and Labor)  
A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning pensions.

**HB 1489** — Smith J (Local Government)  
A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning taxation.

**HB 1493** — Mishler (Family and Children Services)  
A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning health and to make an appropriation.

**HB 1494** — Messmer, Glick (Rules and Legislative Procedure)  
A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning environmental law.

**HB 1496** — Alting (Public Policy)  
A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning alcohol and tobacco.

**HB 1578** — Brown L (Commerce and Technology)  
A BILL FOR AN ACT to repeal a provision of the Indiana Code concerning health.

**HB 1617** — Sandlin, Freeman (Pensions and Labor)  
A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning pensions.

## RESOLUTIONS ON FIRST READING

### Senate Resolution 36

Senate Resolution 36, introduced by Senator Melton:

A SENATE RESOLUTION urging the legislative council to assign to the appropriate study committee the topic of Medicaid coverage for patients in need of specialty care, permitting more access to out-of-state and out-of-network resources.

*Whereas, In the State of Indiana many Medicaid patients are going without specialty care for rare disorders because Managed Care Units are denying access to out-of-state or out-of-network facilities;*

*Whereas, Denying access places undue stress and financial burdens on families of those needing specialty care and can be life threatening to the patient;*

*Whereas, Denying access to specialty care is fiscally irresponsible, costing the State of Indiana more for emergency and critical care than allowing access to preventative speciality care; and*

*Whereas, Permitting access to out-of-state or out-of-network resources will save lives, promote a better quality of life to patients and their families, relieve financial burdens on families, and be more cost-effective to the state: Therefore,*

*Be it resolved by the Senate of the  
General Assembly of the State of Indiana:*

SECTION 1. That the legislative council is urged to assign to the appropriate study committee the topic of Medicaid coverage for patients in need of specialty care, permitting more access to out-of-state and out-of-network facilities.

The resolution was read in full and referred to the Committee on Health and Provider Services.

### House Concurrent Resolution 30

House Concurrent Resolution 30, sponsored by Senator Grooms:

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION petitioning the National Park Service to complete the Eastern Legacy Special Resource Study mandated by Congress in 2008 and to recommend inclusion of the Eastern Legacy sites, which include Indiana locations, in the Lewis and Clark National Historic Trail.

*Whereas, The Lewis and Clark National Historic Trail was established by Congress in 1978 and extended to the West from Wood River, Illinois, to the mouth of the Columbia River in Oregon and Washington;*

*Whereas, Section 343 of Public Law 110-229, enacted by the Congress of the United States in 2008, directed the National Park Service to conduct a Special Resources Study to assess the suitability and feasibility of extending the Lewis and Clark National Historic Trail by including the Eastern Legacy sites, the historic routes and sites in the East that were vital to the preparation and planning of the Lewis and Clark Corps of Discovery Expedition;*

*Whereas, Extending the Lewis and Clark National Historic Trail eastward fulfills the objectives of the National Trails System, established in 1968, to provide for the ever-increasing outdoor recreation needs of an expanding population and to promote the preservation of public access to, travel within, and enjoyment and appreciation of open-air, outdoor areas and historic resources of the nation;*

*Whereas, Stephen Ambrose wrote in his book, Undaunted Courage, "Lewis tied up at Clarksville and set off to meet his partner, who was living with his older brother, General George*

*Rogers Clark. When they shook hands, the Lewis and Clark Expedition began."*

*Whereas, Lewis and Clark recruited and enlisted the first members of the Corps of Discovery before departing down the Ohio River for the West from Clarksville on October 26, 1803;*

*Whereas, William Bratton of Waynetown, Montgomery County, joined the Expedition near Clarksville and completed the entire journey serving as a hunter, blacksmith, and saltmaker; and*

*Whereas, Tourism is an important part of Indiana's economy, and completing the Lewis and Clark National Historic Trail to include Eastern Legacy sites such as Indiana's Falls of the Ohio would greatly benefit the tourism industry and overall economy of the state: Therefore,*

*Be it resolved by the House of Representatives of the General Assembly of the State of Indiana, the Senate concurring:*

SECTION 1. That the National Park Service in the United States Department of the Interior is hereby urged and petitioned to expeditiously complete, and provide to Congress, the Eastern Legacy Special Resource Study.

SECTION 2. That the report of the Eastern Legacy Special Resource Study shall include a recommendation that the Lewis and Clark National Historic Trail be extended to the east by inclusion of the historically significant eastern corridors of the Corps of Discovery expedition for the period of 1803 through 1809.

SECTION 3. That the Principal Clerk of the House of Representatives transmit a copy of this resolution to each member of the Indiana Congressional delegation, Jonathan B. Jarvis, Director of the National Park Service, and Cameron H. Sholly, Regional Director, Midwest Region of the National Park Service.

The resolution was read in full and referred to the Committee on Natural Resources.

SENATE MOTION

Madam President: I move that Senators Tomes, Glick and Charbonneau be added as coauthors of Senate Bill 517.

ALTING

Motion prevailed.

SENATE MOTION

Madam President: I move we adjourn until 1:30 p.m., Monday, March 6, 2017.

BREAUX

Motion prevailed.

The Senate adjourned at 9:01 a.m.

JENNIFER L. MERTZ  
Secretary of the Senate

SUZANNE CROUCH  
President of the Senate