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The invocation was offered by Pastor Doug Byrum from Tunnel Hill Free Methodist Church in English, a guest of Representative Bartels

The House convened at 10:00 am. with the Speaker Pro Tempore William C. Friend in the Chair.

The Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag was led by Representative Bartels.

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called:

Austin	Kirchhofer
Aylesworth	Klinker
Bacon	Lawson
Baird	Lehe
Bartels	Lehman
Bartlett	Leonard
Bauer	Lindauer
Behning	Lucas
Beumer	Lyness
Borders	Macer <input type="checkbox"/>
C. Brown	Mahan
T. Brown	May
Burton	Mayfield ●
Candelaria Reardon ●	McNamara
Carbaugh	Miller
Cherry	Moed ●
Clere	Morris
Cook	Morrison
Culver	Moseley
Davisson	Negele
DeLaney	Nisly
DeVon	Ober
Dvorak ●	Olthoff
Eberhart	Pelath
Ellington	Pierce <input type="checkbox"/>
Engleman	Porter
Errington	Pressel
Forestal	Pryor
Friend	Richardson
Frizzell	Saunders
Frye	Schaibley
GiaQuinta	Shackleford
Goodin	Siegrist
Gutwein	Slager
Hamilton	Smaltz <input type="checkbox"/>
Hamm	M. Smith
Harris	V. Smith
Hatfield	Soliday <input type="checkbox"/>
Heaton	Speedy
Heine	Stemler
Huston	Steuerwald
Jordan	Sullivan
Judy	Summers ●
Karickhoff	J. Taylor
Kersey	Thompson

Torr
VanNatter
Washburne
Wesco
Wolkins

Wright
J. Young
Zent
Ziemke
Mr. Speaker

Roll Call 320: 90 present; 5 excused. The Speaker announced a quorum in attendance. [NOTE: indicates those who were excused. ● indicates those were absent]

HOUSE MOTION

Mr. Speaker: I move that when we do adjourn, we adjourn until Wednesday, March 7, 2018, at 10:00 a.m.

LEHMAN

The motion was adopted by a constitutional majority.

RESOLUTIONS ON FIRST READING

House Concurrent Resolution 63

Representative Shackleford introduced House Concurrent Resolution 63:

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION honoring Pastor Jeffrey A. Johnson Sr.

Whereas, A native of Indianapolis, Pastor Johnson is a graduate of Arlington High School, received a bachelor of arts degree in religion from Bishop College in Dallas, Texas, and attended Christian Theological Seminary in Indianapolis, receiving five honorary doctorate degrees and highly esteemed community awards;

Whereas, Pastor Johnson accepted his call to the ministry at the age of 17 and first became a pastor at Eastern Star Church in 1988 at the age of 24;

Whereas, Under his leadership, the congregation of Eastern Star Church has grown from one church with 500 members to "one church in three locations" with over 17,000 members, more than 80 full- and part-time employees and 40 active ministries;

Whereas, In an effort to help those in need in his community, Pastor Johnson created the ROCK initiative to help build a sense of community among the people of the 46218 neighborhood, enhance the range of housing options available by building new affordable housing, grow the overall financial security of residents in the neighborhood, and enhance both formal and informal educational opportunities;

Whereas, Under his leadership, the Eastern Star Church Care Center was established to provide our local and world communities natural and spiritual resources that reflect the care and compassion of Christ through outreach and missions;

Whereas, Pastor Johnson has established three church plants: the New Life Worship Center (August 2001), the New Beginnings Fellowship Church (March 2004), and the New Horizons Fellowship Church (September 2006);

Whereas, In August 2007, Pastor Johnson began the Kingdom Word Ministries and published his first book and study guide entitled "Song of Solomon: Love, Sex and Relationships"; Pastor Johnson has published six more books since 2007 titled "Making A Comeback: Reclaiming Our Lives in Christ", "Life Illustrated: Daily Thoughts For Your Daily Walk", "Dialogue with My Daughters", "Dialogue with My Sons", "Dialogue with Single Parents", and "The Making of a King";

Whereas, In addition to his work with his ministry, Pastor Johnson has served as the assistant chaplain of the Indiana Pacers and has served on numerous boards in the community;

Whereas, A devoted husband and dedicated family man, Pastor Johnson is married to Sharon Henry Johnson and is the father of four sons, Jeffrey Allen, Jordan Adam, Jalon Alexander, and Josiah Andrew; and

Whereas, Pastor Johnson has served the members of his church faithfully for many years: 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 Indiana General Assembly wishes to thank Pastor Jeffrey A. Johnson Sr. for his dedicated service to the people of his community and throughout the State of Indiana and acknowledge his many contributions to all Hoosiers.

SECTION 2. That the Principal Clerk of the House of Representatives shall transmit a copy of this resolution to Pastor Jeffrey A. Johnson Sr. and his family.

The resolution was read a first time and adopted by voice vote. The Clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the resolution. Senate sponsor: Senator Breaux.

REPORTS FROM COMMITTEES

COMMITTEE REPORT

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Roads and Transportation, to which was referred House Concurrent Resolution 7, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said resolution do pass.

(Reference is to HC 7 as introduced.)

Committee Vote: Yeas 7, Nays 0.

SPEEDY, Chair

Report adopted.

COMMITTEE REPORT

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Roads and Transportation, to which was referred House Concurrent Resolution 21, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said resolution do pass.

(Reference is to HC 21 as introduced.)

Committee Vote: Yeas 7, Nays 0.

SPEEDY, Chair

Report adopted.

MOTIONS TO CONCUR IN SENATE AMENDMENTS

HOUSE MOTION

Mr. Speaker: I move that the House concur in the Senate amendments to Engrossed House Bill 1003.

GUTWEIN

Roll Call 321: yeas 87, nays 0. Motion prevailed.

HOUSE MOTION

Mr. Speaker: I move that the House concur in the Senate amendments to Engrossed House Bill 1004.

SIEGRIST

Roll Call 322: yeas 91, nays 0. Motion prevailed.

HOUSE MOTION

Mr. Speaker: I move that the House concur in the Senate amendments to Engrossed House Bill 1006.

STEUERWALD

Roll Call 323: yeas 90, nays 0. Motion prevailed.

Representative Mayfield, who had been absent, is now excused.

HOUSE MOTION

Mr. Speaker: I move that the House concur in the Senate amendments to Engrossed House Bill 1031.

WASHBURNE

Roll Call 324: yeas 91, nays 0. Motion prevailed.

Representative Candelaria Reardon, Dvorak, Moed and Summers, who had been absent, are now excused.

HOUSE MOTION

Mr. Speaker: I move that the House concur in the Senate amendments to Engrossed House Bill 1035.

LEHMAN

Roll Call 325: yeas 73, nays 19. Motion prevailed.

Representative Moed, who had been excused, is now present.

HOUSE MOTION

Mr. Speaker: I move that the House concur in the Senate amendments to Engrossed House Bill 1036.

LEONARD

Roll Call 326: yeas 92, nays 0. Motion prevailed.

HOUSE MOTION

Mr. Speaker: I move that the House concur in the Senate amendments to Engrossed House Bill 1070.

MAYFIELD

Roll Call 327: yeas 88, nays 4. Motion prevailed.

Representative Morrison, who had been present, is now excused.

HOUSE MOTION

Mr. Speaker: I move that the House concur in the Senate amendments to Engrossed House Bill 1119.

KIRCHHOFER

Roll Call 328: yeas 91, nays 0. Motion prevailed.

Representative Candelaria Reardon, who had been excused, is now present.

HOUSE MOTION

Mr. Speaker: I move that the House concur in the Senate amendments to Engrossed House Bill 1140.

MILLER

Roll Call 329: yeas 92, nays 0. Motion prevailed.

Representative Summers, who had been excused, is now present.

HOUSE MOTION

Mr. Speaker: I move that the House concur in the Senate amendments to Engrossed House Bill 1141.

SCHAIBLEY

Roll Call 330: yeas 92, nays 2. Motion prevailed.

HOUSE MOTION

Mr. Speaker: I move that the House concur in the Senate amendments to Engrossed House Bill 1143.

SCHAIBLEY

Roll Call 331: yeas 92, nays 1. Motion prevailed.

HOUSE MOTION

Mr. Speaker: I move that the House concur in the Senate amendments to Engrossed House Bill 1167.

COOK

Roll Call 332: yeas 92, nays 0. Motion prevailed.

HOUSE MOTION

Mr. Speaker: I move that the House concur in the Senate amendments to Engrossed House Bill 1250.

NEGELE

Roll Call 333: yeas 93, nays 1. Motion prevailed.

HOUSE MOTION

Mr. Speaker: I move that the House concur in the Senate amendments to Engrossed House Bill 1260.

KARICKHOFF

Roll Call 334: yeas 92, nays 0. Motion prevailed.

Representatives Dvorak and Morrison, who had been excused, are now present.

HOUSE MOTION

Mr. Speaker: I move that the House concur in the Senate amendments to Engrossed House Bill 1262.

KARCIKHOFF

Roll Call 335: yeas 90, nays 6. Motion prevailed.

HOUSE MOTION

Mr. Speaker: I move that the House concur in the Senate amendments to Engrossed House Bill 1384.

BEUMER

Roll Call 336: yeas 79, nays 17. Motion prevailed.

HOUSE MOTION

Mr. Speaker: I move that the House concur in the Senate amendments to Engrossed House Bill 1397.

BURTON

Roll Call 337: yeas 96, nays 0. Motion prevailed.

The House recessed until the fall of the gavel.

RECESS

The House reconvened at 1:54 p.m. with the Speaker in the Chair.

Representatives Hamilton and May, who had been present, are now excused.

Representative Pierce and Mr. Speaker, who had been excused, are now present.

**MOTIONS TO CONCUR
IN SENATE AMENDMENTS**

HOUSE MOTION

Mr. Speaker: I move that the House concur in the Senate amendments to Engrossed House Bill 1286.

VANNATTER

Roll Call 338: yeas 71, nays 18. Motion prevailed.

**MOTIONS TO DISSENT
FROM SENATE AMENDMENTS**

HOUSE MOTION

Mr. Speaker: I move that the House dissent from Senate amendments to Engrossed House Bill 1263 and that the Speaker appoint a committee to confer with a like committee from the Senate and report back to the House.

T. BROWN

Motion prevailed.

RESOLUTIONS ON FIRST READING

House Resolution 42

Representatives Bosma, Lehman, Richardson and Goodin introduced House Resolution 42:

A HOUSE RESOLUTION honoring Representative David Ober.

Whereas, Representative David Ober, who was first elected to represent the citizens of House District 82 in 2012, will be leaving the House Chamber for the last time at the end of the 2018 legislative session;

Whereas, During his time in the House of Representatives, Representative Ober has served as chairman of the Utilities, Energy and Telecommunications Committee, as a member of the Agriculture and Rural Development Committee, the Employment, Labor and Pensions Committee, the Government and Regulatory Reform Committee, the Rules and Legislative Procedures Committee, and the Ways and Means Committee;

Whereas, In addition to his work at the Statehouse, Representative Ober works as tourism asset coordinator for the Noble County Convention & Visitors Bureau and attends Berean Baptist Church in Albion with his family;

Whereas, Representative Ober graduated from Central Noble Middle/High School in 2005 and received a bachelor's degree in computer graphics technology from Purdue University Calumet in 2009;

Whereas, Representative Ober is engaged to his fiancée Maggie Johnson; and

Whereas, Representative David Ober has served his constituency loyally and faithfully since his election to the House of Representatives: Therefore,

Be it resolved by the House of Representatives of the General Assembly of the State of Indiana:

SECTION 1. That the Indiana House of Representatives bids a fond farewell to Representative David Ober. The House of Representatives has seen only good things during his tenure. Legislators and staff alike will miss him greatly. His departure will leave a void that will never be truly filled.

SECTION 2. That the Principal Clerk of the House of Representatives shall transmit copies of this resolution to Representative David Ober and his family.

The resolution was read a first time and adopted by voice vote.

The Speaker yielded the gavel to Acting Speaker, Representative Ober.

House Resolution 45

Representatives Bosma, Lehman, Richardson and Goodin introduced House Resolution 45:

A HOUSE RESOLUTION honoring Representative Tom Washburne.

Whereas, Representative Tom Washburne, who was first elected to represent the citizens of House District 64 in 2012, will be leaving the House Chamber for the last time at the end of the 2018 legislative session;

Whereas, During his time at the Statehouse, he served as chairman of the House Courts and Criminal Code Committee, and a member of both the Courts and Judiciary Committee and the Financial Institutions Committee;

Whereas, Representative Washburne grew up in District 64 and is a graduate of Princeton Community High School;

Whereas, Representative Washburne graduated from Purdue University with a degree in engineering and then taught electronics at Vincennes University;

Whereas, Representative Washburne later attended Indiana University School of Law-Indianapolis and received his Juris Doctor degree;

Whereas, Representative Washburne has had many successful career opportunities, such as chief of staff for Congressman John Hostettler, chief of staff for Congressman Mike Sodrel, and eventually transitioning to a position at Old National Bancorp in Evansville;

Whereas, Representative Washburne has been married to his wife, Lynne, for 30 years and with whom he has five children; and

Whereas, Representative Washburne has served his constituency loyally and faithfully since his election to the Indiana House of Representatives: Therefore,

Be it resolved by the House of Representatives of the General Assembly of the State of Indiana:

SECTION 1. That the Indiana House of Representatives bids a fond farewell to Representative Washburne. The House of Representatives has seen only good things during his tenure. Legislators and staff alike will miss him greatly. His departure will leave a void that will never be truly filled.

SECTION 2. That the Principal Clerk of the House of Representatives shall transmit copies of this resolution to Representative Tom Washburne and his family.

The resolution was read a first time and adopted by voice vote.

Representative Ober, yielded the gavel to the Acting Speaker Representative Washburne.

House Resolution 43

Representatives Bosma, Lehman, Richardson and Goodin introduced House Resolution 43:

A HOUSE RESOLUTION honoring Representative Greg Beumer.

Whereas, Representative Greg Beumer, who was elected to represent the citizens of House District 33 in 2013, will be

leaving the House Chamber for the last time at the end of the 2018 session;

Whereas, During his time in the House of Representatives, Representative Beumer has served on the Agricultural and Rural Development Committee, Financial Institutions Committee, and as the Vice Chair of the Environmental Affairs Committee;

Whereas, Representative Beumer is active in the Randolph Economic Development Corporation serving on the Board of Directors;

Whereas, Prior to his work at the Statehouse, Representative Beumer served two terms as Randolph County Commissioner from 2001-2004, and Region 8 Director for the former Indiana Department of Commerce, and was also Director of Community Development for the Indiana Office of Community and Rural Affairs (OCRA);

Whereas, Representative Greg Beumer graduated from Portland High School, from Ball State University with a bachelor's degree in business administration, and from the University of Oklahoma Economic Development Institute;

Whereas, Representative Greg Beumer is married to Kathy and they have four children, 18 grandchildren, and five great-grandchildren;

Whereas, Representative Greg Beumer is a recipient of the Distinguished Hoosier Award and the Winchester Chamber of Commerce Citizen of the Year Award; and

Whereas, Representative Greg Beumer has served his constituency loyally and faithfully since his election to the Indiana House of Representatives: Therefore,

Be it resolved by the House of Representatives of the General Assembly of the State of Indiana:

SECTION 1. That the Indiana House of Representatives bids a fond farewell to Representative Greg Beumer. The House of Representatives has seen only good things during his tenure. Legislators and staff alike will miss him greatly. His departure will leave a void that never will be truly filled.

SECTION 2. That the Principal Clerk of the House of Representatives shall transmit copies of this resolution to Representative Greg Beumer and his family.

The resolution was read a first time and adopted by voice vote.

House Resolution 44

Representative Bosma, Lehman, Richardson and Goodin introduced House Resolution 44:

A HOUSE RESOLUTION honoring Representative Jim Baird.

Whereas, Representative Jim Baird, who was first elected to represent the citizens of House District 44 in 2010, will be leaving the House Chamber for the last time at the end of the 2018 legislative session;

Whereas, During his time at the Statehouse, Representative Baird has served as a member of the Agriculture and Rural Development Committee, the Statutory Committee on Ethics, the Veterans Affairs and Public Safety Committee, the Statutory Committee on Interstate and International Cooperation, and as the Health and Medicaid Subcommittee Chair of the Ways and Means Committee;

Whereas, Representative Baird was awarded the American Legion, Department of Indiana's Distinguished Public Service Award in 2013 for his support and work benefiting veterans through legislation which expanded college opportunities for Hoosier veterans and provided assistance to veteran owned

small businesses;

Whereas, Representative Baird received a 2018 Civility in Government Award by the Association of Retired Members of the Indiana Assembly;

Whereas, In 2016 Representative Baird was instrumental in the placement of a POW-MIA Chair of Honor in the Indiana Statehouse to serve as a permanent tribute to American prisoners of war and those who are missing in action;

Whereas, In addition to his work at the Statehouse, Representative Baird is an active member of the Veterans of Foreign Wars, American Legion, Indiana Farm Bureau, The National Cattlemen's Beef Association, the American Quarter Horse Association, and a former member of the Purdue Agriculture Dean's Advisory Council;

Whereas, Representative Baird owns and operates Baird Family Farms and a home health care agency;

Whereas, Prior to his work at the Statehouse, Representative Baird served as the Putnam County Commissioner and a livestock specialist for the Cooperative Extension Service;

Whereas, Representative Baird is a decorated Vietnam veteran who served as a first lieutenant in the U.S. Army and was awarded a Bronze Star with V device and two Purple Hearts. In 2012, his unit, the 523rd Transportation Company, became the first company inducted into the U.S. Army Transportation Corps Hall of Fame because of its heroic actions in Lam Son, Vietnam;

Whereas, Representative Baird graduated from Turkey Run High School and received a Bachelor's Degree and a Master's Degree from Purdue University, and a Ph.D. from the University of Kentucky;

Whereas, Representative Baird is married to his high school sweetheart, Danise, and they have three children; and

Whereas, Representative Baird has served his constituency loyally and faithfully since his election to the Indiana House of Representatives: Therefore,

Be it resolved by the House of Representatives of the General Assembly of the State of Indiana:

SECTION 1. That the Indiana House of Representatives bids a fond farewell to Representative Jim Baird. The House of Representatives has seen only good things during his tenure. Legislators and staff alike will miss him greatly. His departure will leave a void that will never truly be filled.

SECTION 2. That the Principal Clerk of the House of Representatives shall transmit copies of this resolution to Representative Jim Baird and his family.

The resolution was read a first time and adopted by voice vote.

OTHER BUSINESS ON THE SPEAKER'S TABLE

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE

Mr. Speaker: I am directed by the Senate to inform the House that the Senate has passed, without amendments, Engrossed House Bills 1058, 1277, 1358 and 1382 and the same are herewith returned to the House.

JENNIFER L. MERTZ
Principal Secretary of the Senate

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE

Mr. Speaker: I am directed by the Senate to inform the House that the Senate has passed Engrossed House Bills 1027, 1039, 1063, 1120, 1195, 1220, 1233, 1244, 1248, 1263, 1267, 1285,

1290, 1301, 1311 and 1402 with amendments and the same are herewith returned to the House for concurrence.

JENNIFER L. MERTZ
Principal Secretary of the Senate

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE

Mr. Speaker: I am directed by the Senate to inform the House that the President Pro Tempore of the Senate has appointed the following Senators to serve as conference committee on Engrossed Senate Bill 50:

Conferees: Eckerty, Chairman; and Tallian
Advisors: Bassler, Niezgodski, Perfect and Ruckelshaus

JENNIFER L. MERTZ
Principal Secretary of the Senate

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE

Mr. Speaker: I am directed by the Senate to inform the House that the President Pro Tempore of the Senate has appointed the following Senators to serve as conference committee on Engrossed Senate Bill 242:

Conferees: Holdman, Chairman; and Stoops
Advisors: Houchin, Tallian, Perfect and Zay

JENNIFER L. MERTZ
Principal Secretary of the Senate

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE

Mr. Speaker: I am directed by the Senate to inform the House that the President Pro Tempore of the Senate has appointed the following Senators to serve as conference committee on Engrossed Senate Bill 303:

Conferees: Raatz, Chairman; and Melton
Advisors: Kruse, Stoops, Zay and L. Brown

JENNIFER L. MERTZ
Principal Secretary of the Senate

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE

Mr. Speaker: I am directed by the Senate to inform the House that the President Pro Tempore of the Senate has appointed the following Senators to serve as conference committee on Engrossed Senate Bill 380:

Conferees: Messmer, Chairman; and Randolph
Advisors: Koch, Stoops and Spartz

JENNIFER L. MERTZ
Principal Secretary of the Senate

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE

Mr. Speaker: I am directed by the Senate to inform the House that the President Pro Tempore of the Senate has appointed the following Senators to serve as conference committee on Engrossed Senate Bill 387:

Conferees: Zay, Chairman; and Melton
Advisors: Kruse, Stoops and Raatz

JENNIFER L. MERTZ
Principal Secretary of the Senate

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE

Mr. Speaker: I am directed by the Senate to inform the House that the President Pro Tempore of the Senate has appointed the following Senators a conference committee to confer on Engrossed House Bill 1104:

Conferees: Bassler and Tallian
Advisors: Holdman, G. Taylor, Zay, Buchanan and Spartz

JENNIFER L. MERTZ
Principal Secretary of the Senate

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE

Mr. Speaker: I am directed by the Senate to inform the House that the President Pro Tempore of the Senate has appointed the following Senators a conference committee to confer on Engrossed House Bill 1230:

Conferees: Raatz and Melton

Advisors: Kruse, Stoops, Crane and Tomes

JENNIFER L. MERTZ
Principal Secretary of the Senate

On the motion of Representative Baird, the House adjourned at 3:45 p.m., this sixth day of March, 2018, until Wednesday, March 7, 2018, at 10:00 a.m.

BRIAN C. BOSMA
Speaker of the House of Representatives

M. CAROLINE SPOTTS
Principal Clerk of the House of Representatives