

**SENATE JOURNAL  
64TH LEGISLATURE  
FIRST LEGISLATIVE DAY**

Helena, Montana  
January 5, 2015

Senate Chambers  
State Capitol

Senate convened at 12:00 p.m. Senator Fred Thomas, Dean of the Senate, presiding.

Senator Thomas appointed Pastor Keith Johnson as temporary Chaplain and Carl Spencer as temporary Sergeant-at-Arms.

The flags were presented by the U.S. Army Reserve followed by the Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag. Invocation was given by Pastor Johnson.

Senator Thomas appointed Marilyn Miller of Helena as temporary Secretary of the Senate. Secretary Miller called the roll of the newly elected Senators:

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| Senate District 1  | Chas Vincent                 |
| Senate District 4  | Mark Blasdel                 |
| Senate District 5  | Bob Keenan                   |
| Senate District 8  | Lea Whitford                 |
| Senate District 9  | Llew Jones                   |
| Senate District 11 | Ed Buttrey                   |
| Senate District 12 | Mary Sheehy Moe              |
| Senate District 13 | Brian Hoven                  |
| Senate District 14 | Kris Hansen                  |
| Senate District 19 | Frederick Moore              |
| Senate District 20 | Duane Ankney                 |
| Senate District 22 | Doug Kary                    |
| Senate District 24 | Mary McNally                 |
| Senate District 27 | Cary Smith                   |
| Senate District 29 | David Howard                 |
| Senate District 30 | Nels Swandal                 |
| Senate District 32 | Jedediah Hinkle              |
| Senate District 33 | Jennifer "J.P." Pomnichowski |
| Senate District 34 | Gordon Vance                 |
| Senate District 41 | Mary Caferro                 |
| Senate District 42 | Jill Cohenour                |
| Senate District 43 | Patrick Connell              |
| Senate District 48 | Cynthia Wolken               |
| Senate District 49 | Diane Sands                  |
| Senate District 50 | Tom Facey                    |

Sergeant-at-Arms Spencer admitted Montana Supreme Court Justice Laurie McKinnon to the Senate chamber. Justice McKinnon administered the official oath of office to the new Senators.

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Secretary Miller called the roll of the entire Senate. Forty-nine members present, Senator Windy Boy excused. Quorum present.

Senator Rosendale moved that the Rules of the Senate and the Joint Rules as reflected in **SR 1** and **SJ 1**, printed and placed on members' desks this day, be adopted as the temporary operating rules of the 64th Legislature. The motion carried.

Senator Taylor nominated Senator Debby Barrett of Senate District 36 for the office of President of the Senate for the 64th Legislature, and moved that her election carry with it the name of Senator Eric Moore of Senate District 19 for the office of President Pro Tempore.

Senator Sesso moved that the nominations be closed and that Senator Barrett be elected President of the Senate by acclamation. The motion carried.

President Barrett assumed the chair and addressed the Senate. President Barrett then introduced Frederick Moore, President Pro Tempore; Senator Jon Sesso, Minority Leader; and Senator Matthew Rosendale, Majority Leader. Each leader addressed the Senate.

**REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES**

**COMMITTEE ON COMMITTEES (Brenden, Chair)**

**Agriculture, Livestock and Irrigation**

*Tu, Th; 3 p.m.; Rm 335*

Brown, Taylor (R) B Ch

Hoven, Brian (R) B VCh

Stewart-Peregoy, Sharon (D) B MVCh

Caferro, Mary (D)

Cohenour, Jill (D)

Hansen, Kristin (R)

Howard, David (R)

Moore, Eric (R)

Pomnichowski, JP (D)

Swandal, Nels (R)

Wolken, Cynthia (D)

**Business, Labor and Economic Affairs**

*M-F; 8 a.m.; Rm 422*

Buttrey, Ed (R) B Ch

Arntzen, Elsie (R) B VCh

Stewart-Peregoy, Sharon (D) B MVCh

Brown, Dee (R)

Connell, Pat (R)

Facey, Tom (D)

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Smith, Cary (R)  
Vance, Gordon (R)  
Vuckovich, Gene (D)  
Whitford, Lea (D)

**Committee on Committees**

*On call*

Brenden, John (R) B Ch  
Brown, Dee (R)  
Hansen, Kristin (R)  
Ripley, Rick (R)  
Taylor, Janna (R)  
Vincent, Chas (R)

**Education and Cultural Resources**

*M, W, F; 3 p.m.; Rm 422*

Brown, Taylor (R) B Ch  
Blasdel, Mark (R) B VCh  
Cohenour, Jill (D) B MVCh  
Arntzen, Elsie (R)  
Facey, Tom (D)  
Hansen, Kristin (R)  
Jones, Llew (R)  
Keenan, Bob (R)  
Moe, Mary Sheehy (D)  
Stewart-Peregoy, Sharon (D)

**Energy and Telecommunications**

*Tu, Th; 3 p.m.; Rm 317*

Webb, Roger (R) B Ch  
Ankney, Duane (R) B VCh  
Larsen, Cliff (D) B MVCh  
Blasdel, Mark (R)  
Connell, Pat (R)  
Driscoll, Robyn (D)  
Jones, Llew (R)  
Kary, Doug (R)  
Keane, Jim (D)  
Keenan, Bob (R)  
McNally, Mary (D)  
Tutvedt, Bruce (R)  
Windy Boy, Jonathan (D)

**Ethics**

*On call*

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Arntzen, Elsie (R) B Ch  
Brown, Dee (R) B VCh  
Facey, Tom (D) B MVCh  
Malek, Sue (D)

**Finance & Claims**

*M-F; 8 a.m.; Rm 317*

Jones, Llew (R) B Ch  
Keenan, Bob (R) B VCh  
Keane, Jim (D) B MVCh  
Blasdel, Mark (R)  
Brenden, John (R)  
Caferro, Mary (D)  
Hamlett, Bradley Maxon (D)  
Hansen, Kristin (R)  
Howard, David (R)  
Moore, Eric (R)  
Phillips, Mike (D)  
Ripley, Rick (R)  
Rosendale, Matt (R)  
Sesso, Jon (D)  
Smith, Cary (R)  
Taylor, Janna (R)  
Webb, Roger (R)  
Windy Boy, Jonathan (D)  
Wolken, Cynthia (D)

**Fish and Game**

*Tu, Th; 3 p.m.; Rm 422*

Brenden, John (R) B Ch  
Ripley, Rick (R) B VCh  
Vuckovich, Gene (D) B MVCh  
Facey, Tom (D)  
Fielder, Jennifer (R)  
Hamlett, Bradley Maxon (D)  
Hinkle, Jedediah (R)  
Phillips, Mike (D)  
Smith, Cary (R)  
Vincent, Chas (R)

**Highways and Transportation**

*Tu, Th; 3 p.m.; Rm 405*

Arntzen, Elsie (R) B Ch  
Vance, Gordon (R) B VCh  
Whitford, Lea (D) B MVCh

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Barrett, Dick (D)  
Brown, Dee (R)  
Buttrey, Ed (R)  
Kaufmann, Christine (D)  
Malek, Sue (D)  
Sales, Scott (R)  
Sands, Diane (D)  
Taylor, Janna (R)  
Thomas, Fred (R)

**Judiciary**

*M-F; 8 a.m.; Rm 303*  
Sales, Scott (R) B Ch  
Fielder, Jennifer (R) B VCh  
Sands, Diane (D) B MVCh  
Driscoll, Robyn (D)  
Hansen, Kristin (R)  
Hinkle, Jedediah (R)  
Kary, Doug (R)  
Larsen, Cliff (D)  
McNally, Mary (D)  
Moe, Mary Sheehy (D)  
Sands, Diane (D)  
Swandal, Nels (R)  
Vincent, Chas (R)

**Legislative Administration**

*On call*  
Fielder, Jennifer (R) B Ch  
Brown, Taylor (R) B VCh  
Pomnichowski, JP (D) B MVCh  
Tutvedt, Bruce (R)  
Vuckovich, Gene (D)

**Local Government**

*M, W, F; 3 p.m.; Rm 405*  
Taylor, Janna (R) B Ch  
Buttrey, Ed (R) B VCh  
Pomnichowski, JP (D) B MVCh  
Barrett, Dick (D)  
McNally, Mary (D)  
Sales, Scott (R)  
Tutvedt, Bruce (R)  
Vance, Gordon (R)  
Vuckovich, Gene (D)

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**Natural Resources**

*M, W, F; 3 p.m.; Rm 303*  
Vincent, Chas (R) B Ch  
Ripley, Rick (R) B VCh  
Kaufmann, Christine (D) B MVCh  
Ankney, Duane (R)  
Brenden, John (R)  
Connell, Pat (R)  
Fielder, Jennifer (R)  
Hamlett, Bradley Maxon (D)  
Hoven, Brian (R)  
Keane, Jim (D)  
Larsen, Cliff (D)  
Phillips, Mike (D)

**Public Health, Welfare and Safety**

*M, W, F; 3 p.m.; Rm 317*  
Thomas, Fred (R) B Ch  
Howard, David (R) B VCh  
Caferro, Mary (D) B MVCh  
Sands, Diane (D)  
Smith, Cary (R)  
Swandal, Nels (R)  
Windy Boy, Jonathan (D)

**Rules**

*On call*  
Rosendale, Matt (R) B Ch  
Moore, Eric (R) B VCh  
Phillips, Mike (D) B MVCh  
Barrett, Debby (R)  
Barrett, Dick (D)  
Blasdel, Mark (R)  
Buttrey, Ed (R)  
Hansen, Kristin (R)  
Keenan, Bob (R)  
Moe, Mary Sheehy (D)  
Ripley, Rick (R)  
Sands, Diane (D)  
Sesso, Jon (D)  
Smith, Cary (R)  
Thomas, Fred (R)  
Wolken, Cynthia (D)

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**State Administration**

*M, W, F; 3 p.m.; Rm 335*

Brown, Dee (R) B Ch  
Webb, Roger (R) B VCh  
Malek, Sue (D) B MVCh  
Driscoll, Robyn (D)  
Hinkle, Jedediah (R)  
Kary, Doug (R)  
Whitford, Lea (D)

**Taxation**

*M-F; 8 a.m.; Rm 405*

Tutvedt, Bruce (R) B Ch  
Thomas, Fred (R) B VCh  
Barrett, Dick (D) B MVCh  
Ankney, Duane (R)  
Blasdel, Mark (R)  
Brown, Taylor (R)  
Cohenour, Jill (D)  
Hoven, Brian (R)  
Kaufmann, Christine (D)  
Malek, Sue (D)  
Pomnichowski, JP (D)  
Taylor, Janna (R)

Senator Brenden moved the adoption of the committee report. The motion carried.

**LEGISLATIVE ADMINISTRATION COMMITTEE (Fielder, Chair)**

Secretary Miller read the report from the Legislative Administration Committee recommending the following staff appointments:

**Secretary of the Senate**

Marilyn Miller, Secretary of the Senate  
Debra Polhemus, Assistant Secretary of the Senate  
Donna O'Neill, Secretary to the President  
McCalh Racicot, Secretary to Secretary of the Senate  
Amanda Casey, Secretary to Secretary of the Senate  
Shirley Herrin, Word Processing Supervisor

**Sergeant's Office**

Carl Spencer, Sergeant-at-Arms  
Bonner Armstrong, Assistant Sergeant-at-Arms, Purchasing  
Bruce Nachtsheim, Assistant Sergeant-at-Arms, Safety  
Ray Todd, Safety and Facilities Aide

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Dennis Heffner, Safety and Facilities Aide  
Pat Hamilton, Safety and Facilities Aide  
Joyce Nachtsheim, Page Supervisor

**President's Office & Majority Office**

Dave Lewis, Aide to President  
Diane Rice, Aide to Leadership  
Patrick Webb, Chief of Staff  
Eric Sell, Communications Director  
Alison Vergeront, Leadership Aide  
Marissa Stockton, Leadership Aide

**Minority Office**

Kate Stallbaumer, Minority Aide (Supervisor)  
Nick Lockridge, Minority Aide  
Abbey Lee Cook, Minority Aide  
Andre Stolier, Minority Aide (Reception)

**Rostrum**

Peggy Trenk, Amendments Coordinator  
Colt Sales, Assistant Amendments Coordinator  
Carolyn Gorshe, Bills Distribution Clerk  
Hank Trenk, Voting Clerk  
Carolyn Renaud, Bills Clerk  
Lynn Staley, Bills Coordinator  
Karen Berger, Journal Clerk  
Rick Berger, Status Input Technician  
Taylor Rose, Reading Clerk

**Scanning/Documents**

Susie Hamilton, Documents Specialist

**Committee Secretaries**

Nadine Spencer, Committee Support Supervisor  
Prudence Gildroy, Committee Secretary: Finance & Claims/State Administration  
Julie Emge, Committee Secretary: Fish & Game  
Linda Keim, Committee Secretary: Business & Labor  
Barbara Pietuch, Committee Secretary: Public Health/Energy  
Pam Schindler, Committee Secretary: Judiciary  
Taylor Fridrich, Committee Secretary: Ag/Natural Resources  
Julie Ward, Committee Secretary: Taxation  
Charlene Devine, Committee Secretary: Local Government/Highways & Transportation  
Angie Koehler, Committee Secretary: Education



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**Committee Aides**

Roberta "Bobby" Lavinder, Aide Supervisor  
Jan Bouchee, Committee Aide  
Katie Spencer, Committee Aide  
David McCann, Committee Aide

Senator Fielder moved adoption of the Legislative Administration report. The motion carried.

**SPECIAL ORDERS OF THE DAY**

Secretary Miller read a letter from the President appointing Marilyn Miller as Secretary of the Senate, Carl Spencer as Sergeant-at-Arms, and Pastor Keith Johnson as Chaplain to the Senate. Senate confirmation was unanimous.

**MOTIONS**

Majority Leader Rosendale moved the President appoint a select committee to notify His Excellency, the Governor, that the Senate is organized and ready for business. Motion carried. The President appointed Senator Arntzen, chair, and Senators Caferro, Taylor Brown, and Dick Barrett.

Majority Leader Rosendale moved the President appoint a select committee to notify the Chief Justice and members of the Supreme Court that the Senate is organized and ready for business. The motion carried. The President appointed Senator Sales, chair, and Senators Webb, Vuckovich, and Phillips.

Majority Leader Rosendale moved the President appoint a select committee to notify the House of Representatives that the Senate is organized and ready for business and that the Senate wishes the House success in its deliberations. The motion carried. The President appointed Senator Jones, chair, and Senators Fielder, Malek and Hamlett.

Majority Leader Rosendale moved the Senate stand at ease, subject to the call of the chair, to await the reports of the select committees. The motion carried.

**MESSAGES FROM THE OTHER HOUSE**

The Honorable Committee from the House of Representatives, consisting of Representatives Brodehl and Peppers, was escorted into the Senate by Sergeant-at-Arms Spencer. The Committee reported to the Senate that the House of Representatives was organized and ready for business.

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**REPORTS OF SELECT COMMITTEES**

The select committee appointed to notify the Governor was escorted into the Senate by Sergeant-at-Arms Spencer. Committee chair Senator Arntzen reported the committee had discharged its duty. The President thanked and discharged the committee.

The select committee appointed to notify the Chief Justice and members of the Supreme Court was escorted into the Senate by Sergeant-at-Arms Spencer. Committee chair Senator Sales reported the committee had discharged its duty. The President thanked and discharged the committee.

The select committee appointed to notify the House of Representatives was escorted into the Senate by Sergeant-at-Arms Spencer. Committee chair Senator Jones reported the committee had discharged its duty. The President thanked and discharged the committee.

**FIRST READING AND COMMITMENT OF BILLS**

The following Senate bills were introduced, read first time, and referred to committee:

**SB 1**, introduced by D. Kary (by request of the State Administration and Veterans' Affairs Interim Committee), referred to State Administration.

**SB 2**, introduced by J. Windy Boy, referred to Business, Labor, and Economic Affairs.

**SB 3**, introduced by T. Facey (by request of the Economic Affairs Interim Committee), referred to Business, Labor, and Economic Affairs.

**SB 4**, introduced by T. Facey (by request of the Economic Affairs Interim Committee), referred to Business, Labor, and Economic Affairs.

**SB 5**, introduced by J. Windy Boy (by request of the Education and Local Government Interim Committee), referred to Public Health, Welfare and Safety.

**SB 6**, introduced by F. Thomas (by request of the Revenue and Transportation Interim Committee), referred to Taxation.

**SB 7**, introduced by R. Webb (by request of the Children, Families, Health, and Human Services Interim Committee), referred to Public Health, Welfare and Safety.

**SB 8**, introduced by R. Webb (by request of the Children, Families, Health, and Human Services Interim Committee), referred to Public Health, Welfare and Safety.

**SB 9**, introduced by R. Webb (by request of the Children, Families, Health, and Human Services Interim Committee), referred to Public Health, Welfare and Safety.

**SB 10**, introduced by J. Keane (by request of the Public Service Commission), referred to Energy and Telecommunications.

**SB 11**, introduced by J. Keane (by request of the Public Service Commission), referred to Energy and Telecommunications.

**SB 12**, introduced by M. Moe (by request of the Office of Public Instruction), referred to Education and Cultural Resources.

**SB 13**, introduced by S. Malek (by request of the State Administration and Veterans' Affairs Interim Committee), referred to State Administration.

**SB 14**, introduced by R. Driscoll (by request of the Office of Public Instruction), referred to

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Education and Cultural Resources.

**SB 15**, introduced by N. Swandal (by request of the Supreme Court), referred to Judiciary.

**SB 16**, introduced by D. Brown (by request of the State Administration and Veterans' Affairs Interim Committee), referred to State Administration.

**SB 17**, introduced by Dick Barrett (by request of the Revenue and Transportation Interim Committee), referred to Taxation.

**SB 18**, introduced by Dick Barrett (by request of the Revenue and Transportation Interim Committee), referred to Taxation.

**SB 19**, introduced by R. Ripley, referred to Agriculture, Livestock and Irrigation.

**SB 20**, introduced by C. Vincent (by request of the Water Policy Committee), referred to Natural Resources.

**SB 21**, introduced by J. Cohenour (by request of the Department of Fish, Wildlife, and Parks), referred to Fish and Game.

**SB 22**, introduced by J. Cohenour (by request of the Board of Social Work Examiners and Professional Counselors), referred to Business, Labor, and Economic Affairs.

**SB 23**, introduced by R. Webb, referred to Business, Labor, and Economic Affairs.

**SB 24**, introduced by R. Webb, referred to Business, Labor, and Economic Affairs.

**SB 25**, introduced by R. Webb, referred to Business, Labor, and Economic Affairs.

**SB 26**, introduced by N. Swandal (by request of the Department of Justice), referred to Judiciary.

**SB 27**, introduced by D. Brown (by request of the Revenue and Transportation Interim Committee and the State Administration and Veterans' Affairs Interim Committee), referred to State Administration.

**SB 28**, introduced by J. Cohenour (by request of the Department of Natural Resources and Conservation and the Office of Budget and Program Planning), referred to Local Government.

**SB 29**, introduced by T. Brown, referred to Education and Cultural Resources.

**SB 31**, introduced by L. Whitford (by request of the Economic Affairs Interim Committee), referred to Agriculture, Livestock and Irrigation.

**SB 32**, introduced by J. Sesso (by request of the Department of Natural Resources and Conservation and the Office of Budget and Program Planning), referred to Finance and Claims.

**SB 33**, introduced by J. Taylor (by request of the Revenue and Transportation Interim Committee), referred to Taxation.

**SB 34**, introduced by T. Facey (by request of the Department of Natural Resources and Conservation and the Office of Budget and Program Planning), referred to Natural Resources.

**SB 35**, introduced by T. Facey (by request of the Secretary of State), referred to Business, Labor, and Economic Affairs.

**SB 36**, introduced by T. Facey (by request of the Secretary of State), referred to Business, Labor, and Economic Affairs.

**SB 37**, introduced by J. Fielder (by request of the Water Policy Committee), referred to Natural Resources.

**SB 38**, introduced by L. Whitford (by request of the Department of Transportation), referred to Highways and Transportation.

**SB 39**, introduced by C. Smith (by request of the Department of Justice), referred to Business, Labor, and Economic Affairs.

**SB 40**, introduced by T. Facey (by request of the Secretary of State), referred to State Administration.

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- SB 41**, introduced by T. Facey (by request of the Secretary of State), referred to Business, Labor, and Economic Affairs.
- SB 42**, introduced by S. Malek (by request of the State Administration and Veterans' Affairs Interim Committee), referred to State Administration.
- SB 43**, introduced by S. Malek (by request of the Commissioner of Political Practices), referred to State Administration.
- SB 44**, introduced by J. Brenden, referred to Local Government.
- SB 45**, introduced by J. Brenden, referred to State Administration.
- SB 46**, introduced by J. Pomnichowski (by request of the Department of Fish, Wildlife, and Parks), referred to Fish and Game.
- SB 47**, introduced by J. Pomnichowski (by request of the Department of Natural Resources and Conservation), referred to Natural Resources.
- SB 48**, introduced by C. Vincent (by request of the Department of Justice), referred to Public Health, Welfare and Safety.
- SB 49**, introduced by J. Keane (by request of the Department of Environmental Quality), referred to Natural Resources.
- SB 50**, introduced by J. Fielder (by request of the Department of Justice), referred to Judiciary.
- SB 51**, introduced by Dick Barrett (by request of the Department of Commerce), referred to Taxation.
- SB 52**, introduced by J. Cohenour (by request of the State Auditor), referred to Business, Labor, and Economic Affairs.
- SB 53**, introduced by Dick Barrett (by request of the Department of Administration), referred to Business, Labor, and Economic Affairs.
- SB 54**, introduced by Dick Barrett (by request of the Department of Revenue), referred to Taxation.
- SB 55**, introduced by B. Hamlett, referred to Judiciary.
- SB 56**, introduced by B. Hamlett, referred to Natural Resources.
- SB 57**, introduced by C. Vincent (by request of the Department of Natural Resources and Conservation), referred to Natural Resources.
- SB 58**, introduced by P. Connell (by request of the Department of Natural Resources and Conservation), referred to Natural Resources.
- SB 59**, introduced by R. Driscoll (by request of the Public Defender Commission), referred to Judiciary.
- SB 60**, introduced by R. Driscoll (by request of the Department of Justice), referred to Judiciary.
- SB 61**, introduced by R. Driscoll (by request of the Public Defender Commission), referred to Judiciary.
- SB 62**, introduced by T. Brown (by request of the Department of Revenue), referred to Agriculture, Livestock and Irrigation.
- SB 63**, introduced by T. Brown (by request of the Legislative Audit Committee), referred to Finance and Claims.
- SB 64**, introduced by J. Keane (by request of the Environmental Quality Council), referred to State Administration.
- SB 65**, introduced by R. Driscoll (by request of the Code Commissioner), referred to State Administration.
- SB 66**, introduced by D. Sands (by request of the Department of Justice), referred to Business, Labor, and Economic Affairs.

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- SB 67**, introduced by C. Larsen (by request of the Department of Justice), referred to Judiciary.
- SB 68**, introduced by M. Caferro (by request of the Department of Justice), referred to Judiciary.
- SB 69**, introduced by P. Connell (by request of the Commissioner of Political Practices), referred to State Administration.
- SB 70**, introduced by J. Keane (by request of the Department of Labor and Industry), referred to Business, Labor, and Economic Affairs.
- SB 71**, introduced by J. Keane (by request of the Department of Labor and Industry), referred to Business, Labor, and Economic Affairs.
- SB 72**, introduced by T. Brown (by request of the Commissioner of Political Practices), referred to State Administration.
- SB 73**, introduced by T. Facey (by request of the Secretary of State), referred to State Administration.
- SB 74**, introduced by M. Moe (by request of the Public Employees' Retirement Board), referred to State Administration.
- SB 75**, introduced by G. Vuckovich (by request of the Department of Administration), referred to Business, Labor, and Economic Affairs.
- SB 76**, introduced by G. Vuckovich (by request of the Department of Labor and Industry), referred to Business, Labor, and Economic Affairs.
- SB 77**, introduced by Debby Barrett (by request of the Board of Medical Examiners), referred to Business, Labor, and Economic Affairs.
- SB 78**, introduced by B. Tutvedt (by request of the Department of Agriculture), referred to Agriculture, Livestock and Irrigation.
- SB 79**, introduced by T. Facey (by request of the Department of Labor and Industry), referred to Business, Labor, and Economic Affairs.
- SB 80**, introduced by D. Brown (by request of the Legislative Audit Committee), referred to Finance and Claims.
- SB 81**, introduced by T. Facey (by request of the Board of Chiropractors, the Board of Hearing Aid Dispensers, the Board of Nursing, the Board of Outfitters, and the Board of Realty Regulation), referred to Business, Labor, and Economic Affairs.
- SB 82**, introduced by B. Hamlett (by request of the Water Policy Committee), referred to Natural Resources.
- SB 83**, introduced by C. Kaufmann (by request of the State Auditor), referred to Business, Labor, and Economic Affairs.
- SB 84**, introduced by M. McNally (by request of the State Auditor), referred to Business, Labor, and Economic Affairs.
- SB 85**, introduced by E. Buttrey (by request of the Department of Labor and Industry), referred to Business, Labor, and Economic Affairs.
- SB 86**, introduced by J. Pomnichowski (by request of the Commissioner of Political Practices), referred to State Administration.
- SB 87**, introduced by M. Phillips (by request of the Department of Fish, Wildlife, and Parks), referred to Fish and Game.
- SB 88**, introduced by J. Brenden (by request of the Department of Natural Resources and Conservation and the Office of Budget and Program Planning), referred to Natural Resources.
- SB 89**, introduced by J. Brenden, referred to State Administration.
- SB 90**, introduced by N. Swandal (by request of the Public Defender Commission), referred to

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Judiciary.

**SB 91**, introduced by F. Thomas (by request of the Department of Revenue), referred to Taxation.

**SB 92**, introduced by F. Thomas (by request of the Revenue and Transportation Interim Committee), referred to Taxation.

**SB 93**, introduced by P. Connell, referred to Judiciary.

**SB 94**, introduced by E. Buttrey (by request of the Department of Administration), referred to State Administration.

**SB 95**, introduced by C. Kaufmann (by request of the Revenue and Transportation Interim Committee), referred to Taxation.

**SB 96**, introduced by J. Keane (by request of the Department of Environmental Quality), referred to Natural Resources.

**SB 97**, introduced by C. Vincent (by request of the Department of Environmental Quality), referred to Natural Resources.

**SB 98**, introduced by T. Facey (by request of the Department of Administration), referred to Business, Labor, and Economic Affairs.

**SB 99**, introduced by J. Cohenour (by request of the State Auditor), referred to Business, Labor, and Economic Affairs.

**SB 100**, introduced by C. Larsen (by request of the Department of Livestock), referred to Agriculture, Livestock and Irrigation.

**SB 101**, introduced by R. Driscoll (by request of the Law and Justice Interim Committee), referred to Judiciary.

**SB 102**, introduced by D. Ankney (by request of the Department of Environmental Quality), referred to Natural Resources.

**SB 103**, introduced by M. Caferro (by request of the State Auditor), referred to Business, Labor, and Economic Affairs.

**SB 104**, introduced by E. Arntzen (by request of the Board of Massage Therapy), referred to Business, Labor, and Economic Affairs.

**SB 105**, introduced by E. Arntzen (by request of the Department of Labor and Industry), referred to Business, Labor, and Economic Affairs.

The following Senate resolution was introduced, read first time, and referred to committee:

**SR 1**, introduced by M. Rosendale (by request of the Senate Rules Standing Committee), referred to Rules.

The following Senate joint resolutions were introduced, read first time, and referred to committees:

**SJ 1**, introduced by M. Rosendale (by request of the House Rules Standing Committee and the Senate Rules Standing Committee), referred to Rules.

**SJ 2**, introduced by B. Hamlett (by request of the Environmental Quality Council), referred to Natural Resources.

**SJ 3**, introduced by R. Driscoll (by request of the Law and Justice Interim Committee), referred to Judiciary.

**SJ 4**, introduced by B. Tutvedt (by request of the State-Tribal Relations Committee), referred to Natural Resources.

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**SJ 5**, introduced by C. Vincent (by request of the Water Policy Committee), referred to Natural Resources.

**SPECIAL ORDERS OF THE DAY**

Majority leader Rosendale introduced the new Republican senators: Senators Duane Ankney, Mark Blasdel, Pat Connell, Kris Hansen, Jedediah Hinkle, Brian Hoven, David Howard, Doug Kary, Bob Keenan, Cary Smith, Nels Swandal, and Gordon Vance. Each senator addressed the Senate and introduced family members.

Minority leader Sesso introduced the new Democrat senators: Senators Jill Cohenour, Mary McNally, Mary Sheehy Moe, JP Pomnichowski, Diane Sands, Lea Whitford, and Cynthia Wolken. Each senator addressed the Senate and introduced family members.

President Barrett asked Senator Hamlett to discuss the print of Charlie Russell's "When the Land Belonged to God," which used to hang above the Senate rostrum. It was removed preceding the 2007 session to make way for the bronze mural "We Proceeded On" by Eugene Daub. Senator Hamlett reported the picture has returned to the Senate and hangs on the east wall of the Senate chamber.

**ANNOUNCEMENTS**

Senator Cary Smith introduced the pages for the coming week:

Teresa Patten of Helena, sponsored by Senator Moore  
Taylor Rost of Polson, sponsored by Senator Taylor  
Faith Scow of Helena, sponsored by Senator Dee Brown

Committee meetings were announced by the committee chairs.

Majority Leader Rosendale moved that the Senate adjourn until 1:00 p.m., Tuesday, January 6, 2015, the second legislative day. Motion carried.

Senate adjourned at 1:25 p.m.

MARILYN MILLER  
Secretary of the Senate

DEBBY BARRETT  
President of the Senate