HOUSE JOURNAL

Third Extraordinary Session of the Fifty-ninth Legislature

of the State of Oklahoma

First Legislative Day, Monday, January 29, 2024

Pursuant to the Call of the Governor, the Honorable J. Kevin Stitt, the House of Representatives of the Fifty-ninth Legislature of the State of Oklahoma convened in the Third Extraordinary Session in the House Chamber at 9:00 a.m. and was called to order by Speaker Pro Tempore Hilbert.

The roll was called with 80 Members present.

The following Members were excused: Blancett, Boatman, Burns, Caldwell (Chad), Conley, Cornwell, Grego, Kendrix, Lowe (Jason), Marti, McDugle, Pae, Patzkowsky, Randleman, Rosecrants, Smith, Sneed, Tedford, Turner, Williams.—20.

Vacancy: District 39.—1.

The Speaker Pro Tempore declared a quorum present.

Prayer was offered by Representative Newton.

EXECUTIVE ORDER

The Governor's Executive Order 2024-01 calling the Fifty-ninth Legislature into Third Extraordinary Session was read at length as follows:

To the Honorable Members of the Oklahoma House of Representatives and the Honorable Members of the Oklahoma State Senate:

WHEREAS, the people of the great State of Oklahoma have experienced the highest level of inflation in four decades and need relief now; and

WHEREAS, the vast majority of Oklahoma voters support cutting income taxes so they can keep more of their hard-earned money and slow the growth of government; and WHEREAS, the citizens of the State of Oklahoma deserve to know where each elected legislator stands on giving the people of Oklahoma the tax relief they desperately need; and

WHEREAS, given historic state savings and recent historic and expected future levels of state revenues, I believe the State should seize the opportunity to allow taxpayers to keep more of their hard-earned money—because Oklahomans know how to spend their money better than the government.

THEREFORE, I, J. Kevin Stitt, Governor of the State of Oklahoma, pursuant to the authority vested in me by Article VI, § 7 of the Oklahoma Constitution, hereby convoke an Extraordinary Session of the Fifty-Ninth Legislature to convene at the State Capitol on January 29, 2024. The Legislature shall only act:

1. To put up for a vote a 0.25% decrease in individual income tax rates.

Copies of this Executive Order shall be distributed to every member of the House of Representatives, every member of the State Senate, the Clerk of the House of Representatives, the Secretary of the Senate, and the Director of the Office of Management and Enterprise Services.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of Oklahoma to be affixed at Oklahoma City, Oklahoma, this 16th day of January, 2024.

BY THE GOVERNOR OF THE STATE OF OKLAHOMA

/s/J. KEVIN STITT

ORGANIZATION

The Presiding Officer announced that the organization and selection of Officers for the Third Extraordinary Session of the Fifty-ninth Legislature shall be printed in the House Journal.

HOUSE OFFICERS AND LEADERSHIP

Charles A. McCall	Speaker
Kyle Hilbert	Speaker Pro Tempore
Jon Echols	
John Pfeiffer	Deputy Floor Leader
Steve Bashore	Deputy Floor Leader
Mark McBride	Assistant Floor Leader
Josh West	Assistant Floor Leader
Kevin West	Assistant Floor Leader
Brian Hill	Assistant Floor Leader
Tammy West	Majority Leader

Terry O'Donnell	Majority Whin
Nicole Miller	5 7 1
Mark Vancuren	5 5 1
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David Hardin	5 7 1
Jim Grego	
Rusty Cornwell	5 5 1
Eddy Dempsey	Assistant Majority Whip
Mike Dobrinski	Assistant Majority Whip
Dick Lowe	Assistant Majority Whip
Preston Stinson	Assistant Majority Whip
Eric Roberts	Assistant Majority Whip
Denise Crosswhite Hader	Assistant Majority Whip
Ross Ford	Assistant Majority Whip
Stan May	
Danny Williams	Majority Caucus Vice-Chair
Sherrie Conley	
Cyndi Munson	Minority Leader
Melissa Provenzano	Assistant Minority Leader
Andy Fugate	Minority Floor Leader
Regina Goodwin	Assistant Minority Floor Leader
Forrest Bennett	Assistant Minority Floor Leader
Mickey Dollens	
Trish Ranson	Minority Caucus Chair
John WaldronMin	

STANDING COMMITTEE CHANGES

Speaker McCall announced the following changes:

December 21, 2023 – Representative Caldwell (Trey) was appointed Vice-Chair of the House Appropriations and Budget Committee and Representative Dobrinski was appointed Chair of the Utilities Committees. (House Rule 1.8c)

COMMITTEES

The Presiding Officer announced that the membership of the Standing and Special Committees of the Third Extraordinary Session of the Fifty-ninth Legislature be printed in the House Journal pursuant to the list provided by the Speaker's Office.

ADMINISTRATIVE RULES

Gerrid Kendrix, Chair Denise Crosswhite Hader, Vice-Chair

Collin Duel Nicole Miller Anthony Moore Melissa Provenzano Clay Staires Amanda Swope Max Wolfley Rande Worthen

AGRICULTURE

Dell Kerbs, Chair Kenton Patzkowsky, Vice-Chair

Arturo Alonso-Sandoval Ty Burns Trey Caldwell Scott Fetgatter Jim Grego David Hardin Toni Hasenbeck Dick Lowe John Pfeiffer Ajay Pittman Trish Ranson Danny Sterling Rick West

ALCOHOL, TOBACCO AND CONTROLLED SUBSTANCES

T.J. Marti, Chair Neil Hays, Vice-Chair

Mickey Dollens Scott Fetgatter Kevin McDugle Monroe Nichols Eric Roberts

APPROPRIATIONS AND BUDGET

Kevin Wallace, Chair Trey Caldwell, Vice-Chair

Rhonda Baker Steve Bashore Forrest Bennett Meloyde Blancett Jeff Boatman Brad Boles Jon Echols Ken Luttrell Mark McBride Marcus McEntire Nicole Miller Anthony Moore Cyndi Munson Carl Newton

Scott Fetgatter	Monroe Nichols	
Ross Ford	Terry O'Donnell	
Regina Goodwin	Mike Osburn	
Toni Hasenbeck	John Pfeiffer	
Brian Hill	Melissa Provenzano	
Chris Kannady	Trish Ranson	
Gerrid Kendrix	Danny Sterling	
Dell Kerbs	Judd Strom	
Mark Lawson	Mark Vancuren	
Mark Lepak	Tammy West	
Dick Lowe		

Education Subcommittee

Mark McBride, Chair Dick Lowe, Vice-Chair

Rhonda Baker Meloyde Blancett Jeff Boatman Chad Caldwell Andy Fugate Toni Hasenbeck Neil Hays Ronny Johns Cody Maynard Mike Osburn Mark Tedford John Waldron

Finance Subcommittee

Scott Fetgatter, Chair Clay Staires, Vice-Chair

Brad Boles Ellyn Hefner Brian Hill Mark Lepak T.J. Marti Kevin McDugle Annie Menz

General Government Subcommittee

Judd Strom, Chair Daniel Pae, Vice-Chair

Arturo Alonso-Sandoval Jared Deck Tom Gann Eric Roberts Jay Steagall Max Wolfley

Health Subcommittee

Marcus McEntire, Chair Tammy West, Vice-Chair

Josh Cantrell Jared Deck Gerrid Kendrix Ajay Pittman Chris Sneed Tammy Townley

Human Services Subcommittee

Mark Lawson, Chair Randy Randleman, Vice-Chair

Trey Caldwell Ellyn Hefner Cynthia Roe Suzanne Schreiber Marilyn Stark Danny Williams

Judiciary Subcommittee

Danny Sterling, Chair Stan May, Vice-Chair

Collin Duel Chris Kannady Jason Lowe Robert Manger Anthony Moore Jacob Rosecrants Rande Worthen

Natural Resources and Regulatory Services Subcommittee

Carl Newton, Chair John Pfeiffer, Vice-Chair

Arturo Alonso-Sandoval Nick Archer Eddy Dempsey Jim Grego Dell Kerbs Kenton Patzkowsky Jacob Rosecrants Mark Vancuren Josh West

Public Safety Subcommittee

Ross Ford, Chair Kevin West, Vice-Chair

Mickey Dollens John George David Hardin Justin Humphrey Jim Olsen Lonnie Sims Amanda Swope Rick West

Select Agencies

Ken Luttrell, Chair David Smith, Vice-Chair

Chris Banning Rusty Cornwell Terry O'Donnell John Talley John Waldron

Transportation Subcommittee

Nicole Miller, Chair Preston Stinson, Vice-Chair

Ty Burns Sherrie Conley Denise Crosswhite Hader Bob Ed Culver Mike Dobrinski John Kane Annie Menz Ajay Pittman

BANKING, FINANCIAL SERVICES AND PENSIONS

Mark Lepak, Chair John Kane, Vice-Chair

Chad Caldwell Ross Ford Andy Fugate Neil Hays Robert Manger Stan May Cody Maynard Suzanne Schreiber Preston Stinson

BUSINESS AND COMMERCE

Kevin McDugle, Chair Chris Banning, Vice-Chair

Meloyde Blancett Rusty Cornwell Mike Dobrinski Regina Goodwin Gerrid Kendrix Preston Stinson Mark Tedford

CHILDREN, YOUTH AND FAMILY SERVICES

John Talley, Chair Danny Williams, Vice-Chair

Mark Lawson Cyndi Munson Randy Randleman Cynthia Roe Marilyn Stark

COMMON EDUCATION

Rhonda Baker, Chair Mark Vancuren, Vice-Chair

Chad Caldwell Ronny Johns Dick Lowe Mark McBride Melissa Provenzano Jacob Rosecrants Danny Sterling Mark Tedford Tammy West

COUNTY AND MUNICIPAL GOVERNMENT

Lonnie Sims, Chair Josh Cantrell, Vice-Chair

Forrest Bennett Brad Boles Dell Kerbs Monroe Nichols Josh West Rick West

CRIMINAL JUSTICE AND CORRECTIONS

Justin Humphrey, Chair David Hardin, Vice-Chair

Jared Deck John Kane Kevin West Danny Williams

ELECTIONS AND ETHICS

Jim Olsen, Chair Max Wolfley, Vice-Chair

Chris Banning Mickey Dollens Tom Gann Clay Staires Amanda Swope Rande Worthen

ENERGY AND NATURAL RESOURCES

Brad Boles, Chair (Vacant), Vice-Chair

Nick Archer Rhonda Baker Steve Bashore Forrest Bennett Trey Caldwell Chris Kannady Mark Lepak Jason Lowe Ken Luttrell Mark McBride Monroe Nichols Terry O'Donnell Eric Roberts Suzanne Schreiber Judd Strom Tammy Townley

GENERAL GOVERNMENT

Kevin West, Chair Nick Archer, Vice-Chair

Jared Deck Cody Maynard Cyndi Munson David Smith Jay Steagall Max Wolfley

GOVERNMENT MODERNIZATION AND TECHNOLOGY

Jeff Boatman, Chair Eric Roberts, Vice-Chair

Arturo Alonso-Sandoval Chris Banning Nicole Miller Jim Olsen Daniel Pae Melissa Provenzano Tammy Townley Danny Williams

HEALTH SERVICES AND LONG-TERM CARE

Chad Caldwell, Chair Marilyn Stark, Vice-Chair

Ellyn Hefner Marcus McEntire Randy Randleman Cynthia Roe Clay Staires John Waldron

HIGHER EDUCATION AND CAREER TECH

Anthony Moore, Chair Sherrie Conley, Vice-Chair

Bob Ed Culver Jared Deck Ronny Johns Daniel Pae Trish Ranson John Talley Mark Vancuren

INSURANCE

Chris Sneed, Chair Mark Tedford, Vice-Chair

Forrest Bennett Josh Cantrell Ellyn Hefner T.J. Marti Marcus McEntire

JUDICIARY - CIVIL

Chris Kannady, Chair Bob Ed Culver, Vice-Chair

Collin Duel Anthony Moore Mike Osburn Melissa Provenzano Suzanne Schreiber Chris Sneed Danny Sterling Preston Stinson

JUDICIARY - CRIMINAL

Rande Worthen, Chair Collin Duel, Vice-Chair

John George Jason Lowe Stan May Lonnie Sims Judd Strom

PUBLIC HEALTH

Cynthia Roe, Chair Toni Hasenbeck, Vice-Chair

Carl Newton Randy Randleman Trish Ranson Marilyn Stark

PUBLIC SAFETY

Robert Manger, Chair John George, Vice-Chair

Regina Goodwin David Hardin Justin Humphrey John Kane Jason Lowe Stan May

RULES

Mike Osburn, Chair Brian Hill, Vice-Chair

Steve Bashore Jon Echols Andy Fugate Kevin McDugle John Pfeiffer Amanda Swope Tammy West

RURAL DEVELOPMENT

Daniel Pae, Chair Rick West, Vice-Chair

Nick Archer Josh Cantrell Jared Deck Tom Gann Jim Grego Justin Humphrey Cyndi Munson Carl Newton Josh West

STATE POWERS

Jay Steagall, Chair Cody Maynard, Vice-Chair

Ty Burns Sherri Conley Denise Crosswhite Hader Tom Gann Jim Olsen Amanda Swope John Waldron Kevin West

TOURISM

Tammy Townley, Chair Ajay Pittman, Vice-Chair

Eddy Dempsey John George Mark Lawson Annie Menz Chris Sneed

TRANSPORTATION

Ronny Johns, Chair Jim Grego, Vice-Chair

Sherrie Conley Denise Crosswhite Hader Bob Ed Culver Eddy Dempsey Mike Dobrinski Regina Goodwin Neil Hays Annie Menz Kenton Patzkowsky Lonnie Sims

UTILITIES

Mike Dobrinski, Chair (Vacant), Vice-Chair

Steve Bashore Meloyde Blancett Jeff Boatman Trey Caldwell Mickey Dollens Ross Ford Brian Hill T.J. Marti Terry O'Donnell Kenton Patzkowsky Clay Staires

VETERANS AND MILITARY AFFAIRS

Josh West, Chair Rusty Cornwell, Vice-Chair

Collin Duel Andy Fugate Ken Luttrell Robert Manger Jacob Rosecrants David Smith Jay Steagall Max Wolfley

WILDLIFE

Ty Burns, Chair Eddy Dempsey, Vice-Chair

Rusty Cornwell Jacob Rosecrants David Smith John Talley John Waldron Kevin Wallace

MILEAGE REPORT

Pursuant to the federal mileage allowable, effective January 1, 2024, Representative Echols moved adoption of the report on Mileage Allowance prepared by the Office of the Comptroller and for said Report to be printed in the House Journal, which motion was declared adopted.

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Steve Bashore, Miami and return	382	255.94
Forrest Bennett, Oklahoma City and return	18	12.06
Meloyde Blancett, Tulsa and return	208	139.36
Jeff Boatman, Tulsa and return	200	147.40
Brad Boles, Marlow and return	150	100.50
Ty Burns, Morrison and return	184	123.28
Chad Caldwell, Enid and return	200	123.20
Trey Caldwell, Faxon and return	214	143.38
Josh Cantrell, Kingston and return	262	175.54
Sherrie Conley, Newcastle and return	50	33.50
Rusty Cornwell, Vinita and return	330	221.10
Denise Crosswhite Hader, Yukon and return	52	34.84
Bob Ed Culver, Tahlequah and return	330	221.10
Dean Davis, Broken Arrow and return	228	152.76
Jared Deck, Norman and return	41	27.47
Eddy Dempsey, Valliant and return	450	301.50
Mike Dobrinski, Okeene and return	178	119.26
Mickey Dollens, Oklahoma City and return	22	14.74
Collin Duel, Guthrie and return	62	41.54
Jon Echols, Oklahoma City and return	0	0.00
Scott Fetgatter, Okmulgee and return	192	128.64
Ross Ford, Broken Arrow and return	220	147.40
Andy Fugate, Oklahoma City and return	19	12.73
Tom Gann, Inola and return	252	168.84
John George, Newalla and return	44	29.48
Regina Goodwin, Tulsa and return	216	144.72
Jim Grego, Wilburton and return	312	209.04
David Hardin, Stilwell and return	390	261.30
Toni Hasenbeck, Fletcher and return	142	95.14
Neil Hays, Checotah and return	246	164.82
Ellyn Hefner, Oklahoma City and return	20	13.40
Kyle Hilbert, Bristow and return	150	100.50
Brian Hill, Mustang and return	44	29.48
Justin Humphrey, Lane and return	300	201.00
Ronny Johns, Ada and return	172	115.24
John Kane, Bartlesville and return	292	195.64
Chris Kannady, Oklahoma City and return	30	20.10
Gerrid Kendrix, Altus and return	290	194.30
Dell Kerbs, Shawnee and return	84	56.28
Mark Lawson, Sapulpa and return	187	125.29
Mark Lepak, Claremore and return	255	170.85
Dick Lowe, Amber and return	110	73.70
Jason Lowe, Oklahoma City and return	0	0.00
Ken Luttrell, Ponca City and return	214	143.38
Robert Manger, Oklahoma City and return	32	21.44
T. J. Marti, Tulsa and return	226	151.42
Stan May, Broken Arrow and return	220	147.40
Cody Maynard, Durant and return	310	207.70
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Mark McBride, Moore and return	22	14.74
Charles McCall, Atoka and return	262	175.54
Kevin McDugle, Broken Arrow and return	236	158.12
Marcus McEntire, Duncan and return	180	120.60
Annie Menz, Norman and return	42	28.14
Nicole Miller, Edmond and return	0	0.00
Anthony Moore, Clinton and return	187	125.29
Cyndi Munson, Oklahoma City and return	10	6.70
Carl Newton, Cherokee and return	310	207.70
Monroe Nichols, Tulsa and return	212	142.04
Terry O'Donnell, Catoosa and return	238	159.46
Jim Olsen, Roland and return	360	241.20
Mike Osburn, Edmond and return	0	0.00
Daniel Pae, Lawton and return	186	124.62
Kenton Patzkowsky, Balko and return	444	297.48
John Pfeiffer, Mulhall and return	86	57.62
Ajay Pittman, Oklahoma City and return	7	4.69
Melissa Provenzano, Tulsa and return	214	143.38
Randy Randleman, Eufaula and return	290	194.30
Trish Ranson, Stillwater and return	124	83.08
Eric Roberts, Oklahoma City and return	27	18.09
Cynthia Roe, Lindsay and return	108	72.36
Jacob Rosecrants, Norman and return	34	22.78
Suzanne Schreiber, Tulsa and return	210	140.70
Lonnie Sims, Jenks and return	200	134.00
David Smith, McAlester and return	226	151.42
Chris Sneed, Ft. Gibson and return	312	209.04
Clay Staires, Skiatook and return	250	167.50
Marilyn Stark, Bethany and return	0	0.00
Jay Steagall, Yukon and return	52	34.84
Danny Sterling, Tecumseh and return	101	67.67
Preston Stinson, Edmond and return	39	26.13
Judd Strom, Copan and return	324	217.08
Amanda Swope, Tulsa and return	204	136.68
John Talley, Stillwater and return	120	80.40
Mark Tedford, Tulsa and return	196	131.32
Tammy Townley, Ardmore and return	202	135.34
Mauree Turner, Oklahoma City and return	3	2.01
Mark Vancuren, Owasso and return	244	163.48
John Waldron, Tulsa and return	220	147.40
Kevin Wallace, Wellston and return	102	68.34
Josh West, Grove and return	408	273.36
Kevin West, Moore and return	0	0.00
Rick West, Heavener and return	440	294.80
Tammy West, Oklahoma City and return	30	20.10
Danny Williams, Seminole and return	124	83.08
Max Wolfley, Oklahoma City and return	36	24.12
Rande Worthen, Lawton and return	184	123.28

FIRST READING

The Presiding Officer announced pursuant to House Rule 8.2 that the following measures be considered introduced and read for the first time:

HB 1001 – By Lepak.

An Act relating to revenue and taxation; amending 68 O.S. 2021, Section 2355, as last amended by Section 1, Chapter 27, 1st Extraordinary Session, O.S.L. 2023 (68 O.S. Supp. 2023, Section 2355), which relates to income tax levies; reducing income tax rate; providing for revenue computations by the State Board of Equalization; providing for reductions in certain income tax rate based upon increases in total collections; defining term; prescribing formula for further reductions of income tax rates; providing for reductions until individual income tax rate equals zero; and providing an effective date.

HB 1002 – By McCall.

An Act relating to revenue and taxation; amending 68 O.S. 2021, Section 2355, as last amended by Section 1, Chapter 27, 1st Extraordinary Session, O.S.L. 2023 (68 O.S. Supp. 2023, Section 2355), which relates to individual income tax rates; reducing tax rates; and providing an effective date.

APPOINTMENTS

Speaker McCall announced the following appointments:

October 19, 2023 – Representative Wallace appointed as Chair, Representative Bashore appointed as Vice-Chair and Representatives Echols, Osborn and Pittman appointed as Members of the Joint Committee on State-Tribal Relations. (House Rule 1.8c)

October 27, 2023 – Representative Boatman appointed as a Designee to the Governor's Task Force on Emerging Technologies. (House Rule 1.8c)

October 27, 2023 – Representative Steagall appointed as a Member of the Veteran Suicide Prevention Task Force. (House Rule 1.8c)

January 3, 2024 – Representative Caldwell (Trey) appointed as a Member of the Legislative Office of Fiscal Transparency Oversight Committee. (House Rule 1.8c)

January 26, 2024 – Representative Luttrell appointed as a Designee to the One Oklahoma Task Force. (House Rule 1.8c)

FIRST READING

The following was introduced and read for the first time:

HB 1003 – By Steagall.

An Act relating to revenue and taxation; amending 68 O.S. 2021, Section 2355, as last amended by Section 1, Chapter 27, O.S.L. 2023, 1st Extraordinary Session of the 59th Oklahoma Legislature (68 O.S. Supp. 2023, Section 2355), which relates to income taxation; providing for reduction of individual income tax rates; providing formula for income tax rate reductions; providing for reduction of corporate income tax rate; providing formula for income tax rate reductions; specifying income tax years for which reductions applicable; modifying references; amending 68 O.S. 2021, Section 2355.1P-4, which relates to income tax imposed on certain business entities; providing for reduction of tax rates; and providing an effective date.

Representative Echols moved that when the clerk's desk is clear, the House stand adjourned to reconvene at 9:00 a.m., Tuesday, January 30, 2024, which was the order.

Pursuant to the motion of Representative Echols, the House was adjourned at 9:10 a.m., to reconvene Tuesday, January 30, 2024, at 9:00 a.m.