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**FIFTH LEGISLATIVE DAY**  
**FRIDAY, JANUARY 12, 2024**

Senate Chamber

President Bedke called the Senate to order at 11 a.m.

Roll call showed all members present except Senators Adams, Lent, Ricks, and Taylor, absent and formally excused by the Chair; and Senators Burtenshaw, Carlson, and Ruchti, absent and excused.

Prayer was offered by Chaplain Doug Armstrong.

The Pledge of Allegiance was led by Draycen Lamm, Page.

The Senate advanced to the Third Order of Business.

### Reading and Correction of the Journal

The JUDICIARY AND RULES Committee reports that the Senate Journal of the proceedings of January 11, 2024, was read and approved as corrected.

LAKEY, Chairman

There being no objection, the report was adopted and ordered filed in the office of the Secretary of the Senate.

The Senate advanced to the Fourth Order of Business.

### Reading of Communications

January 11, 2024

The Honorable Scott Bedke  
President of the Senate  
Idaho State Senate

Dear Mr. President,

Pursuant to Section 67-6622, Idaho Code, I submit from the records of this office the enclosed listing of names of the lobbyists, registered under law.

If we may be of assistance to you regarding this listing, please do not hesitate to contact this office.

Sincerely,  
/s/ Phil McGrane  
Secretary of State

The correspondence was ordered filed in the office of the Secretary of the Senate.

On request by Senator Anthon, granted by unanimous consent, the Senate advanced to the Eighth Order of Business.

### Messages from the Governor

Senator Burtenshaw was recorded present at this order of business.

January 11, 2024

The Honorable Scott Bedke  
President of the Senate  
Idaho State Senate

Dear Mr. President:

I have the honor to inform you that Erik Lehtinen of Boise, Idaho, was appointed as the State Appellate Public Defender to serve a term commencing January 7, 2024, and expiring August 1, 2026.

This appointment is subject to confirmation by the Senate, and notice of appointment is hereby given.

Sincerely,  
/s/ Brad Little  
Governor

The correspondence was ordered filed in the office of the Secretary of the Senate.

The Gubernatorial appointment was referred to the Judiciary and Rules Committee.

January 11, 2024

The Honorable Scott Bedke  
President of the Senate  
Idaho State Senate

Dear Mr. President:

I have the honor to inform you that Don Ebert of Weippe, Idaho, was reappointed to the Idaho Fish and Game Commission to serve a term commencing June 30, 2023, and expiring June 30, 2027.

This appointment is subject to confirmation by the Senate, and notice of appointment is hereby given.

Sincerely,  
/s/ Brad Little  
Governor

The correspondence was ordered filed in the office of the Secretary of the Senate.

The Gubernatorial appointment was referred to the Resources and Environment Committee.

January 11, 2024

The Honorable Scott Bedke  
President of the Senate  
Idaho State Senate

Dear Mr. President:

I have the honor to inform you that Mark Ciavarella of Meridian, Idaho, was reappointed to the State Building Authority to serve a term commencing January 1, 2022, and expiring January 1, 2027.

This appointment is subject to confirmation by the Senate, and notice of appointment is hereby given.

Sincerely,  
/s/ Brad Little  
Governor

The correspondence was ordered filed in the office of the Secretary of the Senate.

The Gubernatorial appointment was referred to the State Affairs Committee.

On request by Senator Anthon, granted by unanimous consent, the Senate advanced to the Eleventh Order of Business.

**Introduction, First Reading, and Reference of Bills,  
House Petitions, Resolutions, and Memorials**

**S 1216**

**BY TRANSPORTATION COMMITTEE**

AN ACT

RELATING TO MOTOR VEHICLE DRIVER'S LICENSES; AMENDING SECTION 49-303, IDAHO CODE, TO PROVIDE THAT A DRIVER'S LICENSE SHALL BE REVOKED OR CANCELED UNDER CERTAIN CIRCUMSTANCES AND TO MAKE A TECHNICAL CORRECTION; AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY AND PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

**S 1217**

**BY TRANSPORTATION COMMITTEE**

AN ACT

RELATING TO ABANDONMENT AND VACATION OF COUNTY HIGHWAYS OR PUBLIC RIGHTS-OF-WAY; AMENDING SECTION 40-203, IDAHO CODE, TO PROVIDE THAT COMMISSIONERS SHALL ACCEPT CERTAIN EVIDENCE, TO ESTABLISH A PROVISION REGARDING REPLACEMENT RIGHTS-OF-WAY TO PROVIDE ACCESS TO PUBLIC LANDS OR WATERS, AND TO MAKE TECHNICAL CORRECTIONS; AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY AND PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

**S 1218**

**BY STATE AFFAIRS COMMITTEE**

AN ACT

RELATING TO POLITICAL CAMPAIGNS; AMENDING SECTION 67-6607, IDAHO CODE, TO REMOVE CERTAIN MINIMUM CAMPAIGN CONTRIBUTION AMOUNTS REQUIRING DISCLOSURE; AMENDING SECTION 67-6610, IDAHO CODE, TO REMOVE MINIMUM CAMPAIGN CONTRIBUTION AMOUNTS REQUIRING DISCLOSURE AND TO MAKE A TECHNICAL CORRECTION; AMENDING SECTION 67-6628, IDAHO CODE, TO REMOVE CERTAIN MINIMUM CONTRIBUTION AMOUNTS REQUIRING DISCLOSURE; AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY AND PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

**S 1219**

**BY STATE AFFAIRS COMMITTEE**

AN ACT

RELATING TO THE PERSONNEL SYSTEM; AMENDING CHAPTER 53, TITLE 67, IDAHO CODE, BY THE ADDITION OF A NEW SECTION 67-5344, IDAHO CODE, TO ESTABLISH CERTAIN REQUIREMENTS FOR STATE EMPLOYEE TELEWORK, TO PROVIDE CERTAIN LIMITATIONS, TO PROVIDE FOR AN EXCEPTION, AND TO DEFINE TERMS; AMENDING CHAPTER 53, TITLE 67, IDAHO CODE, BY THE ADDITION OF A NEW SECTION

67-5345, IDAHO CODE, TO PROVIDE REQUIREMENTS FOR SALARY ADJUSTMENTS AND SAVINGS; AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.

**S 1220**

**BY STATE AFFAIRS COMMITTEE**

AN ACT

RELATING TO THE TERRORIST CONTROL ACT; AMENDING SECTION 18-8101, IDAHO CODE, TO REVISE THE LEGISLATIVE PURPOSE; AMENDING SECTION 18-8102, IDAHO CODE, TO REMOVE A DEFINITION, TO DEFINE TERMS, TO REVISE A DEFINITION, AND TO MAKE TECHNICAL CORRECTIONS; AMENDING SECTION 18-8103, IDAHO CODE, TO REVISE A PROVISION REGARDING PROHIBITED ACTIVITIES, TO PROVIDE FOR THE CRIME OF DOMESTIC TERRORISM, AND TO MAKE TECHNICAL CORRECTIONS; AMENDING SECTION 18-8106, IDAHO CODE, TO PROVIDE FOR DOMESTIC TERRORISTS; AMENDING SECTION 18-4003, IDAHO CODE, TO PROVIDE FOR DOMESTIC TERRORISM AND TO MAKE A TECHNICAL CORRECTION; AMENDING SECTION 19-401, IDAHO CODE, TO PROVIDE FOR DOMESTIC TERRORISM; AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY AND PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

**S 1221**

**BY STATE AFFAIRS COMMITTEE**

AN ACT

RELATING TO SCHOOL LIBRARIES; AMENDING CHAPTER 5, TITLE 33, IDAHO CODE, BY THE ADDITION OF A NEW SECTION 33-512E, IDAHO CODE, TO ESTABLISH PROVISIONS REGARDING THE SELECTION, REVIEW, AND RECONSIDERATION OF SCHOOL LIBRARY MATERIALS; AMENDING SECTION 33-512, IDAHO CODE, TO REVISE PROVISIONS REGARDING SCHOOL LIBRARIES; AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY AND PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

[S 1216](#), [S 1217](#), [S 1218](#), [S 1219](#), [S 1220](#), and [S 1221](#) were introduced, read the first time at length, and referred to the Judiciary and Rules Committee for printing.

On request by Senator Anthon, granted by unanimous consent, the Senate advanced to the Fifteenth Order of Business.

**Miscellaneous Business**

On motion by Senator Anthon, seconded by Senator Wintrow, by voice vote, the Senate adjourned at 11:18 a.m. until the hour of 11 a.m., Monday, January 15, 2024.

SCOTT BEDKE, President

Attest: JENNIFER NOVAK, Secretary