LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF IDAHO

Sixty-eighth Legislature First Regular Session - 2025

IN THE SENATE

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 101

BY STATE AFFAIRS COMMITTEE

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

STATING FINDINGS OF THE LEGISLATURE AND REJECTING THE RATES OF LEGISLATIVE COMPENSATION SET BY THE CITIZENS' COMMITTEE ON LEGISLATIVE COMPENSATION.

Be It Resolved by the Legislature of the State of Idaho:

WHEREAS, the Legislature is vested with the authority to reject or reduce rates of compensation and expenses established for service as members of the Legislature by the Citizens' Committee on Legislative Compensation pursuant to the provisions of Section 23, Article III of the Constitution of the State of Idaho; and

WHEREAS, with Idahoans facing increasing costs for essential goods and services such as food, housing, and energy, the Legislature must exercise fiscal responsibility by prioritizing the needs of Idaho residents over increasing government growth and higher legislator compensation.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the members of the First Regular Session of the Sixty-eighth Idaho Legislature, the Senate and the House of Representatives concurring therein, that the rates of compensation for services rendered as members of the Legislature, as set by the Citizens' Committee on Legislative Compensation on November 6, 2024, to take effect for the two-year period beginning December 1, 2024, are hereby rejected, and the rate of compensation and expenses in effect during the Sixty-seventh Idaho Legislature are continued in full force and effect. The compensation and expenses that were in effect from December 1, 2024, until the effective date of this resolution shall be deemed to have been in effect for that period, and any amounts paid shall have been paid lawfully and need not be recovered from or repaid by members of the Legislature.