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**THIRTY-THIRD LEGISLATIVE DAY**  
**FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 13, 2026**

House of Representatives

The House convened at 11 a.m., the Speaker in the Chair.

Roll call showed 68 members present.  
Absent and excused - Alfieri and Hill. Total - 2.  
Total - 70.

Prayer was offered by Chaplain Tom Dougherty.

The Pledge of Allegiance was led by Gabrielle Hill, Page.

### 3RD ORDER

#### Approval of Journal

February 13, 2026

Mr. Speaker:

We, your COMMITTEE ON JUDICIARY, RULES AND ADMINISTRATION, report that we have read and approved the House Journal of the Thirty-second Legislative Day and recommend that same be adopted as corrected.

SKAUG, Chairman

Mr. Skaug moved that the report be adopted. Seconded by Mr. Gannon. Report adopted.

There being no objection, the House advanced to the Fifth Order of Business.

### 5TH ORDER

#### Report of Standing Committees

February 13, 2026

Mr. Speaker:

We, your COMMITTEE ON JUDICIARY, RULES AND ADMINISTRATION, report that we have printed [HCR 27](#), [H 637](#), [H 638](#), [H 639](#), [H 640](#), [H 641](#), [H 642](#), [H 643](#), [H 644](#), [H 645](#), [H 646](#), [H 647](#), [H 648](#), [H 649](#), [H 650](#), [H 651](#), [H 652](#), [H 653](#), [H 654](#), [H 655](#), [H 656](#), and [H 657](#).

SKAUG, Chairman

[H 639](#) was filed for second reading.

[HCR 27](#), [H 637](#), [H 638](#), and [H 650](#) were referred to the State Affairs Committee.

[H 640](#), [H 641](#), and [H 642](#) were referred to the Commerce and Human Resources Committee.

[H 643](#), [H 644](#), [H 645](#), [H 646](#), [H 647](#), and [H 649](#) were referred to the Business Committee.

[H 648](#) and [H 655](#) were referred to the Health and Welfare Committee.

[H 651](#), [H 652](#), and [H 653](#) were referred to the Resources and Conservation Committee.

[H 654](#) was referred to the Judiciary, Rules and Administration Committee.

[H 656](#) and [H 657](#) were referred to the Education Committee.

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Mr. Speaker:

We, your COMMITTEE ON EDUCATION, report that we have had under consideration [H 635](#) and recommend that it do pass.

HAWKINS, Chairman

[H 635](#) was filed for second reading.

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Mr. Speaker:

We, your COMMITTEE ON REVENUE AND TAXATION, report that we have had under consideration [H 594](#) and [H 610](#) and recommend that they do pass.

CANNON, Chairman

[H 594](#) and [H 610](#) were filed for second reading.

There being no objection, the House advanced to the Seventh Order of Business.

### 7TH ORDER

#### Motions, Memorials, and Resolutions

#### HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 21

##### BY TRANSPORTATION AND DEFENSE COMMITTEE

##### A HOUSE RESOLUTION

STATING FINDINGS OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES AND PROVIDING THAT ALL PENDING RULES OF THE IDAHO TRANSPORTATION DEPARTMENT HAVE BEEN REVIEWED AND APPROVED BY THE HOUSE TRANSPORTATION COMMITTEE WITH AN EXCEPTION.

Be It Resolved by the House of Representatives of the State of Idaho:

WHEREAS, pursuant to Section 67-5291, Idaho Code, standing committees of the Legislature shall review any pending rule that is germane to its committee and has been published in the Idaho Administrative Bulletin; and

WHEREAS, the House Transportation Committee reviewed pending rules adopted by the Idaho Transportation Department.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the members of the House of Representatives, assembled in the Second Regular Session of the Sixty-eighth Idaho Legislature, that all pending rules adopted by the Idaho Transportation Department, pursuant to the Administrative Procedure Act and submitted through the Office of the Administrative Rules Coordinator to the Legislature for review during the 2026 legislative session have been reviewed and approved by the House Transportation Committee with the exception of IDAPA 39.02.60, Idaho Transportation Department, Rules Governing License Plate Provisions, Docket No. 39-0260-2501, Section 012., Subsection 03., only, which was not approved.

#### HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 22

##### BY EDUCATION COMMITTEE

##### A HOUSE RESOLUTION

STATING FINDINGS OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES AND PROVIDING THAT ALL

TEMPORARY AND PENDING RULES OF THE STATE BOARD OF EDUCATION AND THE DIVISION OF CAREER TECHNICAL EDUCATION HAVE BEEN REVIEWED AND APPROVED BY THE HOUSE EDUCATION COMMITTEE.

Be It Resolved by the House of Representatives of the State of Idaho:

WHEREAS, pursuant to Section 67-5291, Idaho Code, standing committees of the Legislature shall review any temporary or pending rule that is germane to its committee and has been published in the Idaho Administrative Bulletin; and

WHEREAS, the House Education Committee reviewed temporary and pending rules adopted by the State Board of Education and the Division of Career Technical Education.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the members of the House of Representatives, assembled in the Second Regular Session of the Sixty-eighth Idaho Legislature, that all temporary and pending rules adopted by the State Board of Education and the Division of Career Technical Education, pursuant to the Administrative Procedure Act and submitted through the Office of the Administrative Rules Coordinator to the Legislature for review during the 2026 legislative session have been reviewed and approved by the House Education Committee.

[HR 21](#) and [HR 22](#) were introduced, read the first time by title, and referred to the Judiciary, Rules, and Administration Committee for printing.

#### **8TH ORDER**

#### **Introduction, First Reading, and Reference of Bills and Joint Resolutions**

#### **HOUSE BILL NO. 658**

#### **BY LOCAL GOVERNMENT COMMITTEE**

AN ACT

RELATING TO CEMETERY MAINTENANCE DISTRICTS; AMENDING SECTION 27-110, IDAHO CODE, TO REVISE PROVISIONS REGARDING VACANCIES ON CEMETERY MAINTENANCE BOARDS OF COMMISSIONERS; AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY AND PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

#### **HOUSE BILL NO. 659**

#### **BY LOCAL GOVERNMENT COMMITTEE**

AN ACT

RELATING TO A MEMORANDUM OF AGREEMENT WITH IMMIGRATION AND CUSTOMS ENFORCEMENT; AMENDING CHAPTER 6, TITLE 19, IDAHO CODE, BY THE ADDITION OF A NEW SECTION 19-626, IDAHO CODE, TO ESTABLISH PROVISIONS REGARDING LAW ENFORCEMENT ENTERING INTO A MEMORANDUM OF AGREEMENT WITH IMMIGRATION AND CUSTOMS ENFORCEMENT; AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY AND PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

#### **HOUSE BILL NO. 660**

#### **BY LOCAL GOVERNMENT COMMITTEE**

AN ACT

RELATING TO THE IMMIGRATION STATUS AND NATIONALITY OF ARRESTED INDIVIDUALS; AMENDING CHAPTER 30, TITLE 67, IDAHO CODE, BY THE ADDITION OF A NEW SECTION 67-3015, IDAHO CODE, TO ESTABLISH PROVISIONS REGARDING THE IMMIGRATION STATUS AND NATIONALITY OF ARRESTED INDIVIDUALS; AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY AND PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

#### **HOUSE BILL NO. 661**

#### **BY LOCAL GOVERNMENT COMMITTEE**

AN ACT

RELATING TO SOLID WASTE DISPOSAL; AMENDING SECTION 31-4403, IDAHO CODE, TO REVISE PROVISIONS REGARDING SOLID WASTE DISPOSAL SITE CONTRACTS IN COUNTIES AND TO MAKE TECHNICAL CORRECTIONS; AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY AND PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

#### **HOUSE BILL NO. 662**

#### **BY AGRICULTURAL AFFAIRS COMMITTEE**

AN ACT

RELATING TO MILK TESTING; AMENDING SECTION 37-506, IDAHO CODE, TO REVISE PROVISIONS REGARDING THE METHOD OF TESTING MILK AND CREAM; AMENDING SECTION 37-516, IDAHO CODE, TO REVISE PROVISIONS REGARDING THE RULES FOR ADMINISTRATION AND DEFINITIONS OF DIRECTOR AND DEPARTMENT; AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY AND PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

#### **HOUSE BILL NO. 663**

#### **BY TRANSPORTATION AND DEFENSE COMMITTEE**

AN ACT

RELATING TO AGRICULTURE LICENSE PLATES; AMENDING SECTION 49-417B, IDAHO CODE, TO REVISE PROVISIONS REGARDING AGRICULTURE PLATES COLOR AND DESIGN; AMENDING SECTION 49-402C, IDAHO CODE, TO EXEMPT AGRICULTURE PLATES FROM STANDARDIZED COLOR AND DESIGN; AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY AND PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

#### **HOUSE BILL NO. 664**

#### **BY TRANSPORTATION AND DEFENSE COMMITTEE**

AN ACT

RELATING TO SPEED LIMITS; AMENDING SECTION 49-654, IDAHO CODE, TO PROVIDE THAT THE SPEED LIMITS FOR VEHICLES WITH FIVE OR MORE AXLES OPERATING AT A GROSS WEIGHT OF MORE THAN TWENTY-SIX THOUSAND POUNDS SHALL BE THE SAME AS FOR OTHER MOTOR VEHICLES; AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY AND PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

#### **HOUSE BILL NO. 665**

#### **BY TRANSPORTATION AND DEFENSE COMMITTEE**

AN ACT

RELATING TO APPALOOSA LICENSE PLATES; AMENDING SECTION 49-420D, IDAHO CODE, TO REVISE PROVISIONS REGARDING APPALOOSA LICENSE PLATES; AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY AND PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

#### **HOUSE BILL NO. 666**

#### **BY TRANSPORTATION AND DEFENSE COMMITTEE**

AN ACT

RELATING TO MOTOR VEHICLES; AMENDING SECTION 49-119, IDAHO CODE, TO REVISE A DEFINITION; AMENDING SECTION 49-301, IDAHO CODE, TO REQUIRE A PERSON TO APPLY FOR AN IDAHO DRIVER'S LICENSE WITHIN THIRTY DAYS OF BECOMING AN IDAHO RESIDENT; AMENDING SECTION 49-401A, IDAHO CODE, TO REQUIRE A PERSON TO REGISTER VEHICLES WITHIN THIRTY

DAYS OF BECOMING AN IDAHO RESIDENT; AMENDING SECTION 49-502, IDAHO CODE, TO REQUIRE A PERSON TO OBTAIN A CERTIFICATE OF TITLE WITHIN THIRTY DAYS OF BECOMING AN IDAHO RESIDENT; AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY AND PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 667**

**BY TRANSPORTATION AND DEFENSE COMMITTEE  
AN ACT**

RELATING TO THE NONDOMICILED CDL PROGRAM; AMENDING SECTION 49-115, IDAHO CODE, TO REMOVE A DEFINITION AND TO MAKE TECHNICAL CORRECTIONS; AMENDING SECTION 49-306, IDAHO CODE, TO REMOVE PROVISIONS REGARDING NONDOMICILED LICENSES AND COMMERCIAL LEARNER'S PERMITS; REPEALING SECTION 49-336, IDAHO CODE, RELATING TO NONRESIDENT COMMERCIAL DRIVER'S LICENSES; AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY AND PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 668**

**BY JUDICIARY, RULES AND ADMINISTRATION  
COMMITTEE  
AN ACT**

RELATING TO CHILD CUSTODY INTERFERENCE; PROVIDING LEGISLATIVE INTENT; AMENDING SECTION 18-4506, IDAHO CODE, TO REVISE PROVISIONS REGARDING CHILD CUSTODY INTERFERENCE AND TO ESTABLISH PROVISIONS REGARDING PENALTIES AND ENFORCEMENT; AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY AND PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 669**

**BY CAYLER  
AN ACT**

RELATING TO CLOUD SEEDING; REPEALING SECTION 42-4301, IDAHO CODE, RELATING TO CLOUD SEEDING; AMENDING CHAPTER 43, TITLE 42, IDAHO CODE, BY THE ADDITION OF A NEW SECTION 42-4301, IDAHO CODE, TO ESTABLISH PROVISIONS REGARDING CLOUD SEEDING; AMENDING SECTION 42-605, IDAHO CODE, TO REMOVE A REFERENCE TO CLOUD SEEDING AND TO MAKE TECHNICAL CORRECTIONS; AMENDING SECTION 42-1805, IDAHO CODE, TO REMOVE REFERENCES TO CLOUD SEEDING AND WEATHER MODIFICATION AND TO MAKE TECHNICAL CORRECTIONS; REPEALING SECTION 46-1015, IDAHO CODE, RELATING TO WEATHER MODIFICATION; AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 670**

**BY REVENUE AND TAXATION COMMITTEE  
AN ACT**

RELATING TO URBAN RENEWAL; AMENDING SECTION 50-2906, IDAHO CODE, TO REVISE A PROVISION REGARDING SPECIAL RULES FOR CERTAIN TAXING DISTRICTS; AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 671**

**BY REVENUE AND TAXATION COMMITTEE  
AN ACT**

RELATING TO TAXATION; AMENDING SECTION 63-3641, IDAHO CODE, TO REVISE PROVISIONS

REGARDING THE REBATE OF SALES TAX COLLECTED; AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY AND PROVIDING RETROACTIVE APPLICATION.

[H 658](#), [H 659](#), [H 660](#), [H 661](#), [H 662](#), [H 663](#), [H 664](#), [H 665](#), [H 666](#), [H 667](#), [H 668](#), [H 669](#), [H 670](#), and [H 671](#) were introduced, read the first time by title, and referred to the Judiciary, Rules, and Administration Committee for printing.

There being no objection, the House advanced to the Tenth Order of Business.

**10TH ORDER**

**Second Reading of Bills and Joint Resolutions**

[H 632](#) and [H 607](#), by State Affairs Committee, were read the second time by title and filed for third reading.

[H 528](#) and [H 530](#), by Health and Welfare Committee, were read the second time by title and filed for third reading.

[H 521](#), by Judiciary, Rules and Administration Committee, was read the second time by title and filed for third reading.

[H 498](#), [H 539](#), and [H 613](#), by State Affairs Committee, were read the second time by title and filed for third reading.

[H 516](#), by Education Committee, was read the second time by title and filed for third reading.

There being no objection, the House returned to the Seventh Order of Business.

**7TH ORDER**

**Motions, Memorials, and Resolutions**

**[H 613](#) - POLLING PLACES**

Mr. Monks moved that all rules of the House interfering with the immediate consideration of [H 613](#) be suspended; that the portions of Section 15, Article 3 of the Constitution of the State of Idaho, requiring all bills to be read on three several days be dispensed with, this being a case of urgency; and that [H 613](#) be read the third time at length, section by section, and placed before the House for final consideration. Seconded by Ms. Rubel.

The question being, "Shall the rules be suspended?"

Roll call resulted as follows:

AYES—Barbieri, Beiswenger, Berch, Bingham, Boyle, Bruce, Burgoyne, Cannon, Cayler, Cheatum, Church, Cornilles, Crane(12), Crane(13), Dygert, Egbert, Ehardt, Ehlers, Erickson, Fuhriman, Furniss, Galaviz, Gannon, Garner, Green, Hall(Stone), Handy, Harris, Hawkins, Haws, Healey, Holtzclaw, Hostetler, Leavitt, Manwaring, Marmon, Mathias(Carlson), McCann, Mendive, Mickelsen, Miller, Mitchell, Monks, Nelsen, Palmer, Petzke, Pickett, Pohanka, Price, Rasor, Raybould, Raymond, Redman, Rubel, Sauter, Scott, Shepherd, Shirts, Skaug, Tanner(13), Tanner(14), Thompson, Vander Woude, Veile, Weber, Wheeler, Wisniewski, Mr. Speaker. Total - 68.

NAYS—None.

Absent—Alfieri, Hill. Total - 2.

Total - 70.

Whereupon the Speaker declared that more than two-thirds of the membership having voted in the affirmative, the motion carried, the rules were suspended, and [H 613](#) was read the third time at length, section by section, and placed before the House for final consideration.

At this time, the Speaker recognized Ms. Raybould to open debate.

The question being, "Shall [H 613](#) pass?"

Roll call resulted as follows:

AYES—Barbieri, Beiswenger, Berch, Bingham, Boyle, Bruce, Burgoyne, Cannon, Cayler, Cheatum, Church, Cornilles, Crane(12), Crane(13), Dygert, Egbert, Ehardt, Ehlers, Erickson, Fuhriman, Furniss, Galaviz, Gannon, Garner, Green, Hall(Stone), Handy, Harris, Hawkins, Haws, Healey, Holtzclaw, Hostetler, Leavitt, Manwaring, Marmon, Mathias(Carlson), McCann, Mendive, Mickelsen, Miller, Mitchell, Monks, Nelsen, Palmer, Petzke, Pickett, Pohanka, Price, Razor, Raybould, Raymond, Redman, Rubel, Sauter, Scott, Shepherd, Shirts, Skaug, Tanner(13), Tanner(14), Thompson, Vander Woude, Veile, Weber, Wheeler, Wisniewski, Mr. Speaker. Total - 68.

NAYS—None.

Absent—Alfieri, Hill. Total - 2.

Total - 70.

Whereupon the Speaker declared that [H 613](#) passed the House. Title was approved and the bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

There being no objection, the House advanced to the Eleventh Order of Business.

#### 11TH ORDER

##### Third Reading of Bills and Joint Resolutions

Mr. Monks asked unanimous consent that [H 547](#) be removed from General Orders and returned to the Business Committee. There being no objection, it was so ordered.

Mr. Monks asked unanimous consent that [H 525](#) be removed from General Orders and returned to the Judiciary, Rules and Administration Committee. There being no objection, it was so ordered.

Mrs. Green asked unanimous consent that [H 530](#) be placed on General Orders for consideration. There being no objection, it was so ordered.

#### [H 587](#) - RANGELAND IMPROVEMENT

[H 587](#) was read the third time at length, section by section, and placed before the House for final consideration.

At this time, the Speaker recognized Mr. Raymond to open debate.

The question being, "Shall [H 587](#) pass?"

Roll call resulted as follows:

AYES—Berch, Bingham, Boyle, Cannon, Cheatum, Church, Cornilles, Dygert, Egbert, Erickson, Fuhriman, Furniss, Galaviz, Gannon, Garner, Green, Hall(Stone), Handy, Haws, Healey, Holtzclaw, Manwaring, Mathias(Carlson), McCann, Mendive, Mickelsen, Miller, Mitchell, Monks, Nelsen, Palmer, Petzke, Pickett, Pohanka, Raybould, Raymond, Rubel, Sauter, Shirts, Vander Woude, Veile, Weber, Wheeler, Mr. Speaker. Total - 44.

NAYS—Alfieri, Barbieri, Beiswenger, Bruce, Burgoyne, Cayler, Crane(12), Crane(13), Ehardt, Ehlers, Harris, Hawkins, Hostetler, Leavitt, Marmon, Price, Razor, Redman, Scott,

Shepherd, Skaug, Tanner(13), Tanner(14), Thompson, Wisniewski. Total - 25.

Absent—Hill. Total - 1.

Paired Votes:

AYE - Green

NAY - Alfieri

(Pairs enumerated in roll call above.)

Total - 70.

Whereupon the Speaker declared that [H 587](#) passed the House. Title was approved and the bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

#### [H 573](#) - ENHANCED LICENSES TO CARRY CONCEALED WEAPONS

[H 573](#) was read the third time at length, section by section, and placed before the House for final consideration.

At this time, the Speaker recognized Mr. Shepherd to open debate.

Pursuant to Rule 80(3), the following Representative disclosed a conflict of interest regarding [H 573](#):

Mr. Hawkins

The question being, "Shall [H 573](#) pass?"

Roll call resulted as follows:

AYES—Barbieri, Beiswenger, Berch, Bingham, Boyle, Bruce, Burgoyne, Cannon, Cayler, Cheatum, Church, Cornilles, Crane(12), Crane(13), Dygert, Egbert, Ehardt, Ehlers, Erickson, Fuhriman, Furniss, Galaviz, Gannon, Garner, Green, Hall(Stone), Handy, Harris, Hawkins, Haws, Healey, Holtzclaw, Hostetler, Leavitt, Manwaring, Marmon, Mathias(Carlson), McCann, Mendive, Mickelsen, Miller, Mitchell, Monks, Nelsen, Palmer, Petzke, Pickett, Pohanka, Price, Razor, Raybould, Raymond, Redman, Rubel, Sauter, Scott, Shepherd, Shirts, Skaug, Tanner(13), Tanner(14), Thompson, Vander Woude, Veile, Weber, Wheeler, Wisniewski, Mr. Speaker. Total - 68.

NAYS—None.

Absent—Alfieri, Hill. Total - 2.

Total - 70.

Whereupon the Speaker declared that [H 573](#) passed the House. Title was approved and the bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

#### [H 624](#) - EDUCATION

[H 624](#) was read the third time at length, section by section, and placed before the House for final consideration.

At this time, the Speaker recognized Mr. Pickett to open debate.

The question being, "Shall [H 624](#) pass?"

Roll call resulted as follows:

AYES—Barbieri, Beiswenger, Berch, Bingham, Boyle, Bruce, Burgoyne, Cannon, Cayler, Cheatum, Church, Cornilles, Crane(12), Crane(13), Dygert, Egbert, Ehardt, Ehlers, Erickson, Fuhriman, Furniss, Galaviz, Gannon, Garner, Green, Hall(Stone), Handy, Harris, Hawkins, Haws, Healey, Holtzclaw, Hostetler, Leavitt, Manwaring, Marmon, Mathias(Carlson), McCann, Mendive, Mickelsen, Miller, Mitchell, Monks, Nelsen, Palmer, Petzke, Pickett, Pohanka, Price, Razor, Raybould, Raymond,

Redman, Rubel, Sauter, Scott, Shepherd, Shirts, Skaug, Tanner(13), Tanner(14), Thompson, Vander Woude, Veile, Weber, Wheeler, Wisniewski, Mr. Speaker. Total - 68.

NAYS–None.

Absent–Alfieri, Hill. Total - 2.

Total - 70.

Whereupon the Speaker declared that [H 624](#) passed the House. Title was approved and the bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Mr. Monks asked unanimous consent that the remaining bills on the Third Reading Calendar retain their places until Monday, February 16, 2026. There being no objection, it was so ordered.

There being no objection, the House advanced to the Fifteenth Order of Business.

**15TH ORDER**  
**Announcements**

Announcements were made to the body.

**16TH ORDER**  
**Adjournment**

Mr. Monks moved that the House adjourn until 10 a.m., Monday, February 16, 2026. Seconded by Ms. Rubel. Motion carried.

Whereupon the Speaker declared the House adjourned at 12:03 p.m.

MIKE MOYLE, Speaker

ATTEST:

CYRUS VORE, Acting Chief Clerk