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Senate Chamber, Lansing, Wednesday, October 7, 2020.

10:00 a.m.

Pursuant to rule 1.101, in the absence of the Presiding Officers, the Senate was called to order by the Secretary of the Senate.

Messages from the Governor

The following message from the Governor was received:

Date: October 6, 2020

Time: 1:30 p.m.

To the President of the Senate:

Sir—I have this day approved and signed

Enrolled Senate Bill No. 757 (Public Act No. 177), being

An act to amend 1954 PA 116, entitled “An act to reorganize, consolidate, and add to the election laws; to provide for election officials and prescribe their powers and duties; to prescribe the powers and duties of certain state departments, state agencies, and state and local officials and employees; to provide for the nomination and election of candidates for public office; to provide for the resignation, removal, and recall of certain public officers; to provide for the filling of vacancies in public office; to provide for and regulate primaries and elections; to provide for the purity of elections; to guard against the abuse of the elective franchise; to define violations of this act; to provide appropriations; to prescribe penalties and provide remedies; and to repeal certain acts and all other acts inconsistent with this act,” by amending sections 759, 761, 764a, 765, 765a, and 765b (MCL 168.759, 168.761, 168.764a, 168.765, 168.765a, and 168.765b), sections 759 and 761 as amended by 2018 PA 603, section 764a as amended by 2012 PA 128, sections 765 and 765a as amended by 2020 PA 95, and section 765b as added by 2018 PA 127, and by adding sections 14b, 24k, and 761d.

(Filed with the Secretary of State on October 6, 2020, at 2:08 p.m.)

Respectfully,
Gretchen Whitmer
Governor

Committee Reports

The Committee on Local Government reported

Senate Bill No. 1108, entitled

A bill to amend 1976 PA 267, entitled “Open meetings act,” by amending section 3 (MCL 15.263), as amended by 2018 PA 485, and by adding section 3a.

With the recommendation that the substitute (S-3) be adopted and that the bill then pass.

The committee further recommends that the bill be given immediate effect.

Dale W. Zorn
Chairperson

To Report Out:

Yeas: Senators Zorn, Johnson, Daley, Alexander and Moss

Nays: None

The bill and the substitute recommended by the committee were referred to the Committee of the Whole.

The Committee on Local Government reported

House Bill No. 4030, entitled

A bill to amend 1972 PA 139, entitled "An act authorizing township boards to provide for the maintenance and improvement of private roads by contract and to provide payments by special assessment districts; and to repeal certain acts and parts of acts," by amending section 2 (MCL 247.392).

With the recommendation that the bill pass.

The committee further recommends that the bill be given immediate effect.

Dale W. Zorn
Chairperson

To Report Out:

Yeas: Senators Zorn, Johnson, Daley, Alexander and Moss

Nays: None

The bill was referred to the Committee of the Whole.

The Committee on Local Government reported

House Bill No. 5197, entitled

A bill to amend 1992 PA 116, entitled "Records reproduction act," (MCL 24.401 to 24.406) by adding section 2a.

With the recommendation that the bill pass.

The committee further recommends that the bill be given immediate effect.

Dale W. Zorn
Chairperson

To Report Out:

Yeas: Senators Zorn, Johnson, Daley, Alexander and Moss

Nays: None

The bill was referred to the Committee of the Whole.

The Committee on Local Government reported

House Bill No. 5198, entitled

A bill to amend 1931 PA 328, entitled "The Michigan penal code," by amending section 491 (MCL 750.491), as amended by 2017 PA 182.

With the recommendation that the bill pass.

The committee further recommends that the bill be given immediate effect.

Dale W. Zorn
Chairperson

To Report Out:

Yeas: Senators Zorn, Johnson, Daley, Alexander and Moss

Nays: None

The bill was referred to the Committee of the Whole.

COMMITTEE ATTENDANCE REPORT

The Committee on Local Government submitted the following:

Meeting held on Thursday, October 1, 2020, at 1:30 p.m., Room 1200, Binsfeld Office Building

Present: Senators Zorn (C), Johnson, Daley, Alexander and Moss

In the absence of all Senators, pursuant to Joint Rule 15, the Secretary of the Senate adjourned the Senate, the time being 10:01 a.m.

The Secretary of the Senate declared the Senate adjourned until Thursday, October 8, 2020, at 10:00 a.m.

MARGARET O'BRIEN
Secretary of the Senate

