February 7, 2022 - Monday

SJM 8009
By Senator Lovelett
Calling for a national biodiversity strategy.
Referred to Committee on AGRICULTURE, WATER, NATURAL RESOURCES & PARKS.

FIRST READING OF HOUSE BILLS

2SHB 1210
By House Committee on Commerce & Gaming (originally sponsored by Representatives Morgan, Peterson, Kloba, Johnson, J., Ryu, Santos, Ortiz-Self, Ormsby, Simmons, Gregerson, Riccelli, Macri, Frame and Harris-Talley)
Replacing the term "marijuana" with the term "cannabis" throughout the Revised Code of Washington.
Referred to Committee on LABOR, COMMERCE & TRIBAL AFFAIRS.

SHB 1616
By House Committee on Health Care & Wellness (originally sponsored by Representatives Simmons, Cody, Bateman, Valdez, Davis, Macri, Slatter, Pollet and Taylor; by request of Attorney General)
Concerning the charity care act.
Referred to Committee on HEALTH & LONG TERM CARE.

SHB 1617
By House Committee on State Government & Tribal Relations (originally sponsored by Representatives Morgan, Leavitt, Johnson, J., Ramel, Callan, Davis, Taylor, Santos, Simmons, Riccelli, Ormsby and Harris-Talley)
Aligning state and school holidays.
Referred to Committee on EARLY LEARNING & K-12 EDUCATION.
SHB 1642
By House Committee on College & Workforce Development (originally sponsored by Representatives Leavitt, Hoff, Orwall, Klippert, Ryu, Paul, Berry, Dolan, Graham, Valdez, Chambers, Bronoske, Callan, Dufault, Jacobsen, Ramos, Rule, Simmons, Sullivan, Slatter, Bergquist, Ormsby and Young; by request of Military Department)
Concerning the Washington national guard postsecondary education grant program.
Referred to Committee on HIGHER EDUCATION & WORKFORCE DEVELOPMENT.

HB 1647
By Representatives Tharinger, Leavitt, Duerr, Springer, Berg, Callan, Goodman, Simmons, Wylie and Frame
Concerning the building for the arts program.
Referred to Committee on WAYS & MEANS.

SHB 1649
By House Committee on Rural Development, Agriculture & Natural Resources (originally sponsored by Representatives Shewmake and Taylor; by request of Department of Fish and Wildlife)
Concerning the advisory committee on hunters and fishers with disabilities.
Referred to Committee on AGRICULTURE, WATER, NATURAL RESOURCES & PARKS.

SHB 1747
By House Committee on Children, Youth & Families (originally sponsored by Representatives Ortiz-Self, Taylor, Davis, Peterson, Ryu, Orwall, Dolan, Simmons, Ramos, Wicks, Valdez, Fitzgibbon, Morgan, Stonier, Goodman, Ormsby, Macri, Harris-Talley and Frame)
Supporting relative placements in child welfare proceedings.
Referred to Committee on HUMAN SERVICES, REENTRY & REHABILITATION.

HB 1765
By Representatives Chopp, Cody, Macri, Ryu, Simmons, Wylie, Tharinger, Valdez, Pollet, Fitzgibbon, Chapman, Ortiz-Self, Stonier, Goodman, Riccelli, Davis, Taylor and Kloba; by request of Office of Financial Management
Ensuring the ongoing sustainability and vitality of the Washington health benefit exchange by eliminating the expiration date of its business and occupation tax exemption.
Referred to Committee on WAYS & MEANS.

HB 1780
By Representatives Slatter and Chambers
Concerning workforce education investment accountability and oversight board staffing changes.
Referred to Committee on HIGHER EDUCATION & WORKFORCE DEVELOPMENT.
**SHB 1789**  
By House Committee on Finance (originally sponsored by Representatives Ramos, Goehner, Callan, Johnson, J., Senn, Ryu, Chambers, Springer, Eslick, Fey, Goodman, Robertson, Jacobsen, Peterson, Ramel, Rule, Santos, Shewmake, Wylie, Simmons, Slatter, Tharinger, Valdez, Pollet, Graham, Young and Kloba)

Establishing a property tax exemption for adult family homes that serve people with intellectual or developmental disabilities and are owned by a nonprofit.

Referred to Committee on WAYS & MEANS.

**HB 1804**  
By Representatives Paul, Griffey, Leavitt, Bronoske, Gilday, Bergquist, Graham and Young; by request of Select Committee on Pension Policy and LEOFF Plan 2 Retirement Board

Concerning interruptive military service credit for members of the state retirement systems.

Referred to Committee on WAYS & MEANS.

**HB 1808**  
By Representatives Stonier, MacEwen, Dolan, Leavitt, Johnson, J., Callan, Santos, Shewmake, Wylie, Bergquist, Pollet, Harris-Talley and Kloba

Concerning pupil transportation funding.

Referred to Committee on EARLY LEARNING & K-12 EDUCATION.

**HB 1834**  
By Representatives Callan, Rude, Johnson, J., Davis, Macri, Ramos, Rule, Santos, Senn, Paul, Simmons, Bergquist, Thai, Stonier, Riccelli, Frame and Harris-Talley

Concerning student excused absences for mental health reasons.

Referred to Committee on EARLY LEARNING & K-12 EDUCATION.

**HB 1894**  
By Representatives Harris-Talley, Frame, Leavitt, Simmons, Johnson, J., Goodman, Walen, Dolan, Ryu, Taylor, Fey, Fitzgibbon, Davis, Bateman, Macri, Valdez and Pollet; by request of Administrative Office of the Courts

Concerning the period for juvenile diversion agreements.

Referred to Committee on HUMAN SERVICES, REENTRY & REHABILITATION.

**SHB 1957**  
By House Committee on Appropriations (originally sponsored by Representatives Rule, Walen, Chapman, Santos, Simmons, Ramel, Johnson, J., Riccelli, Frame, Ormsby and Harris-Talley)

Establishing a small business disaster recovery financial assistance program.

Referred to Committee on BUSINESS, FINANCIAL SERVICES & TRADE.
SHB 2019  By House Committee on College & Workforce Development (originally sponsored by Representatives Boehnke, Graham, Johnson, J., Leavitt and Sutherland)

Increasing educational and training opportunities for careers in retail.

Referred to Committee on HIGHER EDUCATION & WORKFORCE DEVELOPMENT.

HCR 4407  By Representatives Sullivan and Kretz

Amending the redistricting plan for state legislative and congressional districts.

Placed on SECOND READING CALENDAR.