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FIRST DAY

Bismarck, January 6, 1987

The Senate convened at 12:00 noon, with President Meiers presiding.

The prayer was offered by Reverend Charlie Neill, First United Methodist Church, Bismarck.

O, Lord, as we wait quietly in prayer, we ask that Your Spirit be upon us. Make these sessions of the 1987 Senate special moments in time. Speak to these leaders of our state that they may know Your will and always be sensitive to human needs around them.

Our prayers today come out of the common experiences of daily life. We are those who know the good and the bad things of life. May we be those persons who search to know Your way. Then out of the common experiences of life may we find life's fulfilling moments. Amen.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called and all Senators were present, except Senators Reiten and Vosper.

A quorum was declared by the President.

MOTION

SEN. HEIGAARD MOVED that the schedule of chaplains be printed in the Journal, which motion prevailed.

CHAPLAINCY SCHEDULE

JANUARY

DATE	NAME AND CHURCH	PHONE
6	Rev. Charlie Neill First United Methodist Church	223-4400
7	Rev. Harley Holden Bethel Assembly, Mandan	663-0303
8	Rev. Kavaney Cathedral of Holy Spirit	223-1033
9	Rev. Lynn Smith-Roberts Unitarian Fellowship Church	258-0425
12	Len Eckroth State Penitentiary	221-6100

13	Robert Nordvall	258-1228
	Charity Lutheran Church	
14	John Nicolai	223-3560
	Trinity Lutheran Church	
15	Mike Kopp	258-5914
	Bible Chapel	
16	Open	
19	Dennis Tippet	223-1942
	St. George's Episcopal Church	
20	Mark Bayert	223-6091
	First Presbyterian Church	
21	John Haveman	258-7573
	Open Door Baptist Church	
22	Rob Storer	286-6663
	Assembly of God, Regan	
23	Marie Hinkler	223-6888
	St. Vincent's Home	
26	Gaylen Kuhens	
	Hannaford	
27	Lamont Loudenslager	223-0478
	Century Baptist Church	
28	Open	
29	Fr. Patrick Moore	224-7000
	St. Alexis Medical Center	
30	Larry Jahnke	255-3230
	New Song Community Church	

MOTIONS

SEN. MAIXNER MOVED that the Senate and Joint Legislative Rules of the Forty-ninth Legislative Assembly as adopted on Thursday, December 6, 1984, be adopted as the temporary rules of the Senate for the Fiftieth Legislative Assembly, with recognition of the appointment of standing committees on December 5, 1986, which motion prevailed.

SEN. HEIGAARD MOVED that the absent Senators be excused, which motion prevailed.

SEN. HEIGAARD MOVED that the Senate be on the Ninth order of business, and at the conclusion of the Ninth order of business, the Senate stand in recess until 5:30 p.m., at which time it will meet in the House Chambers in joint session with the House of Representatives, and after joint session with the House, the Senate stand adjourned until 1:00 p.m. on Wednesday, January 7, 1987, which motion prevailed.

FIRST READING OF SENATE BILLS

Committee on Appropriations introduced:

SB 2001: A BILL for an Act making an appropriation for defraying the expenses of various elected officials of the state of North Dakota; to provide for transfers; to create and enact a new section to chapter 18-01 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to fire safety inspections performed by the fire marshal at the request of the department of human

services; to amend and reenact sections 4-01-21, 34-05-01.2, 49-01-05, 49-18-41.1, 54-08-03, 54-09-05, 54-10-10, 54-11-13, 54-12-11, and 57-01-04 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to fees charged by elected officials and the annual salaries of elected officials; and to provide an effective date.

Was read the first time and referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

Committee on Appropriations introduced:

SB 2002: A BILL for an Act making an appropriation for defraying the expenses of the superintendent of public instruction of the state of North Dakota; providing for a transfer of funds from the displaced homemaker fund; to amend and reenact section 15-21-02 of the North Dakota Century Code and subsection 2 of section 15-40.1-06 of the North Dakota Century Code as amended by Senate Bill No. 2904 as approved by the fiftieth legislative assembly, relating to the annual salary of the superintendent of public instruction and the educational support per pupil; and to provide an effective date.

Was read the first time and referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

Committee on Appropriations introduced:

SB 2003: A BILL for an Act making an appropriation for defraying the expenses of the division of independent study of the state of North Dakota; and to amend and reenact section 15-19-04 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to oversight of the high school correspondence program.

Was read the first time and referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

Committee on Appropriations introduced:

SB 2004: A BILL for an Act making an appropriation for defraying the expenses of the various divisions under the supervision of the director of the office of management and budget of the state of North Dakota; providing an exemption to the provisions of section 54-44.1-11 of the North Dakota Century Code; and to amend and reenact section 54-16-11.1 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the emergency commission authority to increase revenue appropriation authority for intergovernmental service fund agencies.

Was read the first time and referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

Committee on Appropriations introduced:

SB 2005: A BILL for an Act making an appropriation for defraying the expenses of the director of institutions of the state of North Dakota and providing for a transfer from the capitol building fund.

Was read the first time and referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

Committee on Appropriations introduced:

SB 2006: A BILL for an Act making an appropriation for defraying the expenses of the state industrial school of the state of North Dakota.

Was read the first time and referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

Committee on Appropriations introduced:

SB 2007: A BILL for an Act making an appropriation for defraying the expenses of the school for the deaf and the school for the blind of the state of North Dakota.

Was read the first time and referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

Committee on Appropriations introduced:

SB 2008: A BILL for an Act making an appropriation for defraying the expenses of the state library of the state of North Dakota.

Was read the first time and referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

Committee on Appropriations introduced:

SB 2009: A BILL for an Act making an appropriation for defraying the expenses of the state penitentiary and various divisions thereof of the state of North Dakota and providing for a transfer from the North Dakota state penitentiary land fund.

Was read the first time and referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

Committee on Appropriations introduced:

SB 2010: A BILL for an Act making an appropriation for defraying the expenses of the radio communications department of the state of North Dakota and providing for a transfer from the state highway fund.

Was read the first time and referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

Committee on Appropriations introduced:

SB 2011: A BILL for an Act making an appropriation for defraying the expenses of the division of emergency management of the state of North Dakota.

Was read the first time and referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

Committee on Appropriations introduced:

SB 2012: A BILL for an Act making an appropriation for defraying the expenses of the pardon board and the parole and probation office of the state of North Dakota.

Was read the first time and referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

Committee on Appropriations introduced:

SB 2013: A BILL for an Act making an appropriation for defraying the expenses of the adjutant general of the state of North Dakota; and providing for an appropriation and transfer of funds from the national guard tuition trust fund; to provide for an appropriation and transfer from the national guard training area and facility development trust fund to the general fund; and to amend and reenact section 37-07.1-06.1 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the North Dakota national guard tuition trust fund.

Was read the first time and referred to the **Committee on Appropriations.**

Committee on Appropriations introduced:

SB 2014: A BILL for an Act making an appropriation for defraying the expenses of the civil air patrol of the state of North Dakota.

Was read the first time and referred to the **Committee on Appropriations.**

Committee on Appropriations introduced:

SB 2015: A BILL for an Act making an appropriation for defraying the expenses of the department of human services, state hospital, and the governor's council on human resources; making an appropriation and transfer from the lands and minerals trust fund to the common schools trust fund; making an appropriation of excess revenues generated by human service centers; providing the emergency commission with appropriation transfer authority; to create and enact two new sections to chapter 6-09.6 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the creation of developmentally disabled facility loan fund number 4 and the authority of the board of university and school lands to invest in developmentally disabled facility loan fund number 4; to amend and reenact sections 6-09.6-03 and 50-01-09.2 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the amount, terms, and conditions of the loans made under the developmentally disabled facility loan fund and to poor relief expenditures; to repeal sections 50-24.1-02.2 and 50-24.1-02.3 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to resources of separated spouse and preneed funeral allowances; to provide legislative intent statements relating to preneed burials and the use of capital improvement appropriations for payment of construction bonds; to provide an effective date; and to provide an expiration date.

Was read the first time and referred to the **Committee on Appropriations.**

Committee on Appropriations introduced:

SB 2016: A BILL for an Act making an appropriation for defraying the expenses of the Grafton state school, protection and advocacy project, and deinstitutionalization court monitor of the state of North Dakota.

Was read the first time and referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

Committee on Appropriations introduced:

SB 2017: A BILL for an Act making an appropriation for defraying the expenses of the weather modification board of the state of North Dakota.

Was read the first time and referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

Committee on Appropriations introduced:

SB 2018: A BILL for an Act making an appropriation for defraying expenses of various commissions, departments, and divisions of the state of North Dakota.

Was read the first time and referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

Committee on Appropriations introduced:

SB 2019: A BILL for an Act making an appropriation for insurance premium tax payments distribution to fire departments.

Was read the first time and referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

Committee on Appropriations introduced:

SB 2020: A BILL for an Act making an appropriation for the homestead tax credit.

Was read the first time and referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

Committee on Appropriations introduced:

SB 2021: A BILL for an Act to provide an appropriation for the distribution of funds for the replacement of personal property tax revenue; to amend and reenact section 57-58-01 of the North Dakota Century Code as it will exist on July 1, 1987, pursuant to section 5 of chapter 45 of the 1985 Session Laws, relating to distribution of personal property tax replacement revenues to counties and local subdivisions.

Was read the first time and referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

Committee on Appropriations introduced:

SB 2022: A BILL for an Act making an appropriation for the distribution of state general fund revenue to local political subdivisions of the state of North Dakota.

Was read the first time and referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

Committee on Appropriations introduced:

SB 2023: A BILL for an Act making an appropriation for defraying the expenses of the centennial commission of the state of North Dakota.

Was read the first time and referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

Committee on Appropriations introduced:

SB 2024: A BILL for an Act making an appropriation for defraying the expenses of the various divisions under the supervision of the commissioner of insurance of the state of North Dakota; to create and enact three new sections to chapter 26.1-01 and two new subsections to section 26.1-01-07 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the establishment of an insurance regulatory trust fund; to amend and reenact subsection 2 of section 26.1-01-07 and section 26.1-01-09 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to fees charged by the commissioner of insurance and the annual salary of the insurance commissioner; to provide for transfers from the unsatisfied judgment and state bonding funds; and to provide an effective date.

Was read the first time and referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

Committee on Appropriations introduced:

SB 2025: A BILL for an Act making an appropriation for defraying the expenses of various agricultural councils and commissions of the state of North Dakota.

Was read the first time and referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

Committee on Appropriations introduced:

SB 2026: A BILL for an Act making an appropriation for defraying the expenses of the state seed department of the state of North Dakota.

Was read the first time and referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

Committee on Appropriations introduced:

SB 2027: A BILL for an Act making an appropriation for defraying the expenses of the game and fish department of the state of North Dakota.

Was read the first time and referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

Committee on Appropriations introduced:

SB 2028: A BILL for an Act making an appropriation for defraying the expenses of the parks and recreation department of the state of North Dakota and providing for a transfer from the snowmobile fund and the trail tax transfer fund.

Was read the first time and referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

Committee on Appropriations introduced:

SB 2029: A BILL for an Act making an appropriation for defraying the expenses of the various divisions of the state water commission of the state of North Dakota; and providing for an appropriation and transfer of funds from the resources trust fund, bond guarantee fund, the water use fund, and the lands and minerals trust fund.

Was read the first time and referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

Committee on Appropriations introduced:

SB 2030: A BILL for an Act making an appropriation for defraying the expenses of the economic development commission of the state of North Dakota; and providing for a transfer from the state highway fund.

Was read the first time and referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

Committee on Appropriations introduced:

SB 2031: A BILL for an Act making an appropriation for defraying the expenses of the educational broadcasting council of the state of North Dakota.

Was read the first time and referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

Legislative Council introduced:

SB 2032: A BILL for an Act to provide assistance to landowners in developing water projects; and to provide an appropriation.

Was read the first time and referred to the Committee on Agriculture.

Legislative Council introduced:

SB 2033: A BILL for an Act to create and enact three new sections to chapter 20.1-02 of the North Dakota Century Code, establishing a wetlands mediation advisory board.

Was read the first time and referred to the Committee on Natural Resources.

Legislative Council introduced:

SB 2034: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 20.1-02-18.1 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to approval by the board of county commissioners prior to acquisition of property by the department of the interior for waterfowl or wildlife purposes; and to provide a penalty.

Was read the first time and referred to the Committee on Natural Resources.

Legislative Council introduced:

SB 2035: A BILL for an Act declaring a state wetlands policy and providing for classification of wetlands; and to amend and reenact section 61-16.1-41 of the North Dakota Century Code, as amended by section 5 of chapter 665 of the 1985 Session Laws of North Dakota, relating to consideration of the state water resources policy prior to draining water.

Was read the first time and referred to the Committee on Natural Resources.

Legislative Council introduced:

SB 2036: A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new section to chapter 50-06 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to development of a continuum of services for chronically mentally ill individuals.

Was read the first time and referred to the Committee on Social Services and Veterans Affairs.

Legislative Council introduced:

SB 2037: A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new subsection to section 50-24.3-03 and a new section to chapter 50-24.3 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the powers and duties of the department of human services and preadmission assessment of persons entering facilities furnishing skilled or intermediate medical care; and to amend and reenact sections 50-24.3-01 and 50-24.3-04 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to preadmission assessment of persons entering facilities furnishing skilled or intermediate medical care.

Was read the first time and referred to the Committee on Social Services and Veterans Affairs.

Legislative Council introduced:

SB 2038: A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new subsection to section 50-06.2-02 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the definition of family home care; to amend and reenact subsection 3 of section 50-06.2-01, subsection 5 of section 50-06.2-03, and subsection 3 of section 50-06.2-04 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the purposes of the chapter and the powers and duties of the department of human services and county social service boards; and to repeal chapter 50-24.2 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to family home care.

Was read the first time and referred to the Committee on Social Services and Veterans Affairs.

Legislative Council introduced:

SB 2039: A BILL for an Act to establish a children's coordinating cabinet to develop and implement a plan for a coordinated delivery of services to children and adolescents at risk; and to provide an appropriation.

Was read the first time and referred to the Committee on Social Services and Veterans Affairs.

Legislative Council introduced:

SB 2040: A BILL for an Act to create and enact three new sections to chapter 40-18 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the clerk of municipal court and the transfer of cases from municipal court to county court; to amend and reenact sections 27-07.1-17, 29-07-01.1, 40-11-13, 40-18-01, 40-18-03, 40-18-06, 40-18-14, 40-18-15, 40-18-19, 40-18-20, 40-18-22, and 40-21-14 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to jurisdiction of county courts, payment of expenses, fines for violations of municipal ordinances, qualifications of municipal judges, municipal

court procedure, and notices to the supreme court; and to repeal section 40-08-21 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the authority of mayors to release imprisoned offenders from jail.

Was read the first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Legislative Council introduced:

SB 2041: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact subsection 7 of section 11-10-10, sections 27-07.1-01, 27-07.1-02, 27-07.1-04, 27-07.1-06, and subsection 4 of section 27-26-01 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the appointment of and salary paid to part-time county judges.

Was read the first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Legislative Council introduced:

SB 2042: A BILL for an Act to create and enact section 15-40.2-08.1 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the payment of tuition for handicapped children placed outside their school districts of residence for purposes other than education; and to amend and reenact section 15-40.2-08 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to tuition payments for foster care students placed outside their school districts of residence.

Was read the first time and referred to the Committee on Education.

Legislative Council introduced:

SB 2043: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact sections 57-15-16 and 57-15-17 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the establishment and disposition of school district building funds.

Was read the first time and referred to the Committee on Education.

Legislative Council introduced:

SB 2044: A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new section to chapter 15-27.1 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the reorganization, annexation, or dissolution of nonoperating school districts; and to amend and reenact section 15-27.4-01 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the dissolution of school districts not operating schools and attachment of their territory to school districts operating schools.

Was read the first time and referred to the Committee on Education.

Legislative Council introduced:

SB 2045: A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new section to chapter 54-23.1 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to an emergency services communication system advisory committee for 911 telephone systems; and to amend and reenact section 57-40.6-05 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the use of the emergency services telephone access lines excise tax; and to provide an expiration date.

Was read the first time and referred to the Committee on State and Federal Government.

Legislative Council introduced:

SB 2046: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 54-36-01 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the membership of the Indian affairs commission.

Was read the first time and referred to the Committee on State and Federal Government.

Legislative Council introduced:

SB 2047: A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new section to chapter 54-12 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to investigations on Indian reservations by the attorney general.

Was read the first time and referred to the Committee on State and Federal Government.

Legislative Council introduced:

SB 2048: A BILL for an Act to provide for the reciprocal recognition of certain state and tribal court judgments, decrees, and orders; and to provide an expiration date.

Was read the first time and referred to the Committee on State and Federal Government.

Legislative Council introduced:

SB 2049: A BILL for an Act to create and enact two new sections to chapter 54-40.2 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to agreements between public agencies and Indian tribes.

Was read the first time and referred to the Committee on State and Federal Government.

Legislative Council introduced:

SB 2050: A BILL for an Act to provide for the establishment of a North Dakota venture capital corporation; to amend and reenact section 6-09.2-01, subsection 1 of section 6-09.2-03, sections 6-09.2-04, 6-09.2-05, 6-09.2-07, 6-09.2-08, 6-09.2-09, 6-09.2-10, 6-09.2-11, and 54-34-04 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the industrial development revenue bond guarantee program and the duties of the economic development commission; and to repeal section 6-09.2-06 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the industrial development revenue bond fund.

Was read the first time and referred to the Committee on Industry, Business and Labor.

Legislative Council introduced:

SB 2051: A BILL for an Act to provide for the investment of a portion of the total moneys of the teachers' fund for retirement and the workmen's compensation fund in North Dakota-related investments or appropriate alternative investments; and to create and enact a new section to chapter 54-52 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the investment of a portion of the total moneys of funds administered by the public employees retirement board in

North Dakota-related investments or appropriate alternative investments.

Was read the first time and referred to the Committee on State and Federal Government.

Legislative Council introduced:

SB 2052: A BILL for an Act to exempt public retirement benefits, assistance for dependent children, and crime victims reparations awards from all liabilities for debts of the person; and to repeal sections 15-39.1-13, 18-05-11, subsection 3 of section 28-22-03.1, sections 39-03.1-23, 40-45-23, 40-46-22, 50-09-15, 54-52-12, and subsection 4 of section 65-13-15 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the exemption of refunds and annuities paid by the teachers' fund for retirement, payments by a firemen's relief association, unmaturred life insurance policy values, retirement, disability, or severance allowance from the highway patrolmen's retirement fund, pensions from a policemen's pension fund or city employees' pension fund, payments of aid to dependent children, benefits paid by the state retirement board, and awards of reparation for crime victims from execution of judgments.

Was read the first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Legislative Council introduced:

SB 2053: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact sections 26.1-33-36 and 28-22-03.1 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the exemption of rights in life insurance policies and pensions from executions of judgments.

Was read the first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Legislative Council introduced:

SB 2054: A BILL for an Act to provide for indemnification and legal defense for judicial officers.

Was read the first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Legislative Council introduced:

SB 2055: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 28-01-22.1 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the statute of limitations for actions against the state; and to provide an effective date.

Was read the first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Legislative Council introduced:

SB 2056: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 9-10-07 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to a political subdivision's liability for an uncollectible judgment.

Was read the first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Legislative Council introduced:

SB 2057: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact sections 23-27-04.1 and 39-08-04.1 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to liability of persons who render services in an emergency.

Was read the first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Legislative Council introduced:

SB 2058: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 32-03-07 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to claims for exemplary damages.

Was read the first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Legislative Council introduced:

SB 2059: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 32-12.1-02 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the definitions concerning political subdivision liability.

Was read the first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Legislative Council introduced:

SB 2060: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 39-06.1-09 and subsection 3 of section 39-06.1-10 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the penalty for modification of a motor vehicle.

Was read the first time and referred to the Committee on Transportation.

Legislative Council introduced:

SB 2061: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact sections 20.1-01-28, 20.1-01-29, and 20.1-01-30 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the procedures applicable to noncriminal violations of rules approved by the game and fish commissioner and orders issued by the governor.

Was read the first time and referred to the Committee on Natural Resources.

Legislative Council introduced:

SB 2062: A BILL for an Act to create and enact five new sections to chapter 53-06.1 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the establishment of a charitable gambling commission; to amend and reenact sections 53-06.1-01, 53-06.1-02, 53-06.1-03, subsections 4, 7, 8, and 9 of section 53-06.1-06, section 53-06.1-06.1, subsection 1 of section 53-06.1-07, sections 53-06.1-12, 53-06.1-12.1, 53-06.1-13, 53-06.1-14, 53-06.1-15, 53-06.1-15.1, 53-06.1-15.2, 53-06.1-16, 53-06.1-16.2, and 53-06.1-17 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the charitable gambling commission; to provide a transitional provision governing establishment of the charitable gambling commission; to provide an appropriation; and to declare an emergency.

Was read the first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Legislative Council introduced:

SB 2063: A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new section to chapter 53-06.1 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to a state charitable gambling enforcement fund; and to amend and reenact subsection 3 of section 53-06.1-11, and sections 53-06.1-12 and 53-06.1-12.1 of the North Dakota

Century Code, relating to taxation of charitable gambling activities and uses of tax proceeds.
Was read the first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Legislative Council introduced:

SB 2064: A BILL for an Act to create and enact three new sections to chapter 53-06.1 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to maximum rent payable for conducting certain games of chance; and to amend and reenact subdivision c of subsection 3 of section 53-06.1-03 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to maximum rent payable for conducting certain games of chance.

Was read the first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Legislative Council introduced:

SB 2065: A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new section to chapter 53-06.1 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to prize limitations on charitable gambling pull tab and jar games.

Was read the first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Legislative Council introduced:

SB 2066: A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new section to chapter 53-06.1 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to prize limitations on the game of bingo.

Was read the first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Legislative Council introduced:

SB 2067: A BILL for an Act to create and enact two new subsections to section 53-06.1-01 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to definitions in the charitable gaming law; and to amend and reenact sections 53-06.1-08, 53-06.1-14, 53-06.1-16.1, and 53-06.1-17 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to licensing of manufacturers of certain charitable gambling equipment and adoption of certain rules.

Was read the first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Legislative Council introduced:

SB 2068: A BILL for an Act to create and enact two new sections to chapter 25-04 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to liability for care and treatment of nonresident patients at and reduction or writeoff of accounts receivable by the Grafton state school; and to amend and reenact section 25-04-04, subsection 3 of section 25-04-05, and sections 25-04-14, 25-04-15, 25-16-13, 50-06.3-03, 50-06.3-04, and 50-06.3-09 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to payment of expenses for care and treatment of patients at the Grafton state school and the state hospital.

Was read the first time and referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

Legislative Council introduced:

SB 2069: A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new section to chapter 48-10 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the powers and duties of the capitol grounds planning commission and its authority to accept gifts; and to amend and reenact section 48-10-01 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the capitol grounds planning commission.
Was read the first time and referred to the Committee on State and Federal Government.

Legislative Council introduced:

SB 2070: A BILL for an Act to provide for a system for recording gifts of property to the state and for reviewing the artistic value of such gifts; to create and enact a new subsection to section 54-54-05 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the duties of the state council on the arts; and to amend and reenact sections 1-08-04, 48-11-03, and 55-01-04 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the authority of certain state entities to accept gifts.
Was read the first time and referred to the Committee on State and Federal Government.

Legislative Council introduced:

SB 2071: A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new section to chapter 47-16 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to inspection of oil and gas production and royalty payment records.
Was read the first time and referred to the Committee on Natural Resources.

Legislative Council introduced:

SB 2072: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact subsection 7 of section 38-11.1-03 and section 38-11.1-04 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the definition of surface owner and surface damage payments with respect to oil and gas production damage.
Was read the first time and referred to the Committee on Natural Resources.

Legislative Council introduced:

SB 2073: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact subsection 2 of section 38-11.1-03 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the definition of drilling operations.
Was read the first time and referred to the Committee on Natural Resources.

Legislative Council introduced:

SB 2074: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 38-11.1-06 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the protection of water wells and surface and ground water sources from damage caused by oil and gas exploration.
Was read the first time and referred to the Committee on Natural Resources.

Legislative Council introduced:

SB 2075: A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new section to chapter 38-11.1 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to inspection of well sites; and to amend and reenact section 38-11.1-05 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to information that must accompany the notice of oil and gas drilling operations.

Was read the first time and referred to the Committee on Natural Resources.

Legislative Council introduced:

SB 2076: A BILL for an Act providing limitations on property tax levy increase authority of political subdivisions; and to provide an effective date.

Was read the first time and referred to the Committee on Finance and Taxation.

Legislative Council introduced:

SB 2077: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact subsections 4 and 24 of section 57-39.2-04 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to limitations upon exemptions of certain sales from sales taxes when in competition with retailers.

Was read the first time and referred to the Committee on Finance and Taxation.

Legislative Council introduced:

SB 2078: A BILL for an Act to provide a two-year exemption from the oil extraction tax for newly drilled wells; and to declare an emergency.

Was read the first time and referred to the Committee on Finance and Taxation.

Legislative Council introduced:

SB 2079: A BILL for an Act to create and enact four new subsections to section 57-51-01 and three new sections to chapter 57-51 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to definitions for purposes of the oil and gas gross production tax, an additional gross production tax on oil production and apportionment of the additional tax, and production reports; to amend and reenact sections 57-51-14, 57-51-15, 57-51.1-02, and 57-51.1-03 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to duties of the state tax commissioner, apportionment of the oil and gas gross production tax, the rate of the oil extraction tax, and exemptions from the oil extraction tax; to repeal chapter 57-51.1 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to an oil extraction tax; to provide an effective date; and to declare an emergency.

Was read the first time and referred to the Committee on Finance and Taxation.

Legislative Council introduced:

SB 2080: A BILL for an Act to create and enact three new sections to chapter 24-07 and a new subsection to section 32-12.1-03 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to

the designation of certain roads as minimum maintenance roads and the limitation of liabilities of political subdivisions for those roads.

Was read the first time and referred to the Committee on Transportation.

Legislative Council introduced:

SB 2081: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 57-15-06.3 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the county road program of farm-to-market and federal-aid roads; and to provide for partial retroactive application.

Was read the first time and referred to the Committee on Transportation.

Sen. Lips introduced:

SB 2082: A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new chapter to title 39 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to an additional fee for driver education to be deposited in a driver education fund, standards for driver education courses, reimbursement of public schools and approved programs; and providing appropriations.

Was read the first time and referred to the Committee on Education.

Sen. Kelsh introduced:

SB 2083: A BILL for an Act to provide a property tax exemption for certain residential property and to create and enact two new subsections to section 57-02-08 of the North Dakota Century Code, providing exemptions from property taxes for new single family residential property and condominiums and townhouses which meet certain qualifications; and to provide an effective date.

Was read the first time and referred to the Committee on Finance and Taxation.

Sen. Todd introduced:

SB 2084: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact subsection 5 of section 20.1-13-10 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to requirements for boats towing water skiers or other persons.

Was read the first time and referred to the Committee on State and Federal Government.

Sen. Lips introduced:

SB 2085: A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new subsection to section 21-03-07, a new subsection to section 57-15-12.2, and a new section to chapter 57-15 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to a park board tax levy for a building fund for the purpose of providing funds for the purchase, construction, reconstruction, maintenance, or repair of park district property and authority to issue general obligation bonds and to dedicate the building fund tax levy to payment of the general obligation bonds; and to provide an effective date.

Was read the first time and referred to the **Committee on Finance and Taxation**.

Sen. Satrom introduced:

SB 2086: A BILL for an Act to ensure the right to wear a lifejacket in a swimming pool by a person who suffers from a physical disability; and to provide a penalty.

Was read the first time and referred to the **Committee on Social Services and Veterans Affairs**.

Sen. Redlin introduced:

SB 2087: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact sections 39-10.2-02 and 39-10.2-05 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to motorcycle operation and equipment.

Was read the first time and referred to the **Committee on Transportation**.

Sen. Lodoen introduced:

SB 2088: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact sections 40-22-06 and 61-16.1-19 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to agreements authorized to be entered into by cities and water resource districts for the construction of water projects.

Was read the first time and referred to the **Committee on Political Subdivisions**.

Sen. D. Meyer and Rep. G. Berg introduced:

SB 2089: A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new section to chapter 11-18 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the approval of the board of county commissioners before certain instruments can be recorded; and to amend and reenact section 20.1-02-18.1 of the North Dakota Century Code as amended by Senate Bill No. 2034, as approved by the fiftieth legislative assembly, relating to the written approval by the chairman of the board of county commissioners for federal wetland acquisitions.

Was read the first time and referred to the **Committee on Natural Resources**.

Sen. Thane introduced:

SB 2090: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact subsection 5 of section 19-03.1-36 and section 54-12-14 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to property forfeited for violation of controlled substances laws.

Was read the first time and referred to the **Committee on Judiciary**.

Sen. Wright introduced:

SB 2091: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact subdivision j of subsection 1 of section 57-38-01.2 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to an income tax deduction for annuitants of the United States foreign service retirement and disability fund; and to provide an effective date.

Was read the first time and referred to the **Committee on Finance and Taxation**.

Sen. Wright introduced:

SB 2092: A BILL for an Act to allow state courts to recognize the judgments, decrees, and orders of tribal courts of Indian tribes certified by the attorney general.

Was read the first time and referred to the Committee on State and Federal Government.

Sen. Wright introduced:

SB 2093: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact subsections 1 and 9 of section 39-06-03.1, subsection 1 of section 39-06-14, and section 39-06-19 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to nondriver photo identification cards and motor vehicle operator's licenses.

Was read the first time and referred to the Committee on Transportation.

Sen. Peterson and Rep. Moore introduced:

SB 2094: A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new section to chapter 43-04 and a new subsection to section 43-04-42 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to qualifications of barbers registered in another state to receive a certificate of registration to practice barbering in this state and the fee for such a certificate; and to repeal section 43-04-38 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the issuance of a permit to practice as a journeyman barber to persons having practiced barbering in another state.

Was read the first time and referred to the Committee on Industry, Business and Labor.

Sen. Nalewaja and Rep. Koland introduced:

SB 2095: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 26.1-25-04.1 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to discounts from certain motor vehicle insurance premiums and disclosure of the amounts of the discounts.

Was read the first time and referred to the Committee on Industry, Business and Labor.

Sens. Tallackson, Naaden, Kelly and Reps. Myrdal, Schindler introduced:

SB 2096: A BILL for an Act establishing English as the official language of the state of North Dakota.

Was read the first time and referred to the Committee on Education.

Sen. Maixner introduced:

SB 2097: A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new subsection to section 26.1-04-03 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to unfair insurance practices.

Was read the first time and referred to the Committee on Industry, Business and Labor.

Sen. Maixner introduced:

SB 2098: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact subsection 8 of section 23-15-01 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the sale of permissible fireworks.

Was read the first time and referred to the Committee on Political Subdivisions.

Sen. Maixner introduced:

SB 2099: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 57-60-02 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the rate of the coal conversion facility privilege tax imposed on coal gasification plants.

Was read the first time and referred to the Committee on Finance and Taxation.

Committee on Judiciary introduced:

SB 2100: A BILL for an Act to adopt the Uniform Arbitration Act, relating to the enforcement of voluntary written agreements to arbitrate disputes; to amend and reenact sections 24-02-28 and 60-06-06.1 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to arbitration procedures; and to repeal chapter 32-29 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the arbitration of controversies.

Was read the first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Committee on Judiciary introduced:

SB 2101: A BILL for an Act to adopt the Uniform State Antitrust Act, relating to prohibitions against restraint of trade; to repeal chapter 51-08 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the prohibition against certain business pools and trusts; and to provide a penalty.

Was read the first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Committee on Judiciary introduced:

SB 2102: A BILL for an Act to create and enact chapter 30.1-08.3 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to adoption of the Uniform Statutory Will Act, which provides for a statutory will that may be incorporated by reference in whole or in part in a testator's will.

Was read the first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Sen. Mathern introduced:

SB 2103: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact subsection 1 of section 57-36-25 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the excise tax on cigars, snuff, and other tobacco products.

Was read the first time and referred to the Committee on Finance and Taxation.

Committee on Judiciary introduced:

SB 2104: A BILL for an Act to repeal section 47-19-37 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the requirement that the clerk of district court certify to the signature of a county judge when a document that has been notarized or

certified by the county judge is used in a county other than the county in which the judge resides.

Was read the first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Committee on Judiciary introduced:

SB 2105: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact sections 29-07-01.1, 31-01-18, 31-01-19, and 40-18-19 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the payment of indigent defense expenditures and witness fees and expenses in criminal cases.

Was read the first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Committee on Appropriations introduced:

SB 2106: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 6-08.1-07 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the fee charged by financial institutions for preparing customer information for the state auditor.

Was read the first time and referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

Committee on Industry, Business and Labor introduced:

SB 2107: A BILL for an Act authorizing the state of North Dakota acting by job service North Dakota to sell and convey or to exchange Lot 1, Block 11, of the original town, now City of Mandan, Morton County, North Dakota.

Was read the first time and referred to the Committee on Industry, Business and Labor.

Committee on Industry, Business and Labor introduced:

SB 2108: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 54-52.1-04.2 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the requirement of obtaining aggregate stop-loss coverage under the state self-insurance plan for hospital and medical benefits.

Was read the first time and referred to the Committee on Industry, Business and Labor.

Committee on Industry, Business and Labor introduced:

SB 2109: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact sections 43-09-10, 43-09-11, 43-09-13, 43-09-13.1, 43-09-14, and 43-09-15 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the licensing of electricians.

Was read the first time and referred to the Committee on Industry, Business and Labor.

Committee on Agriculture introduced:

SB 2110: A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new subsection to section 4-09-01, a new subsection to section 4-09-10, and a new section to chapter 4-09 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to investment of state seed department moneys and definitions of labeler and disease test; to amend and reenact subsections 6, 17, and 18 of section 4-09-01, subsection 1 of section 4-09-03, sections 4-09-05, 4-09-08, 4-09-14.1, 4-09-14.2, 4-09-14.3,

4-09-14.4, subsections 2, 3, and 5 of section 4-09-15, sections 4-09-22, 4-09-23, and 4-09-24 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to rulemaking authority, free seed tests, seed labeling fee permits, reports, offenses, and enforcement; and to provide a penalty.

Was read the first time and referred to the Committee on Agriculture.

Committee on Agriculture introduced:

SB 2111: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact sections 4-33-01, 4-33-02, and 4-33-12 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to control of plant pests.

Was read the first time and referred to the Committee on Agriculture.

Committee on Agriculture introduced:

SB 2112: A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new section to chapter 4-09 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the sale of certified varieties of seed protected by the Plant Variety Protection Act.

Was read the first time and referred to the Committee on Agriculture.

Committee on State and Federal Government introduced:

SB 2113: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact sections 44-06-03, 44-06-05, and 44-06-09 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to notary public surety bonds and records.

Was read the first time and referred to the Committee on State and Federal Government.

Committee on Social Services and Veterans Affairs introduced:

SB 2114: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 37-15-10.1 and subsection 1 of section 37-18.1-03 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the priorities for admission to the veterans' home and the makeup of the subcommittees of the administrative committee on veterans' affairs.

Was read the first time and referred to the Committee on Social Services and Veterans Affairs.

Sen. Lashkowitz and Rep. Moore introduced:

SB 2115: A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new section to chapter 11-11, a new section to chapter 40-05, a new section to chapter 50-26, a new subsection to section 57-15-06.7, a new subsection to section 57-15-10, and a new section to chapter 57-15 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to authorization and funding of county and city programs and activities for handicapped persons; and to provide an appropriation.

Was read the first time and referred to the Committee on Social Services and Veterans Affairs.

Committee on Agriculture introduced:

SB 2116: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact sections 4-01-17.1, 4-01-17.2, and 4-01-17.3 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the commissioner of agriculture's cooperation with federal agencies in the destruction of predatory animals, destructive birds, and injurious field rodents.

Was read the first time and referred to the Committee on Agriculture.

Committee on Social Services and Veterans Affairs introduced:

SB 2117: A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new subsection to section 23-01-05 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the powers and duties of the state health officer.

Was read the first time and referred to the Committee on Social Services and Veterans Affairs.

Committee on Education introduced:

SB 2118: A BILL for an Act to create and enact section 15-59.2-01.1 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the corporate powers and corporate names of multidistrict special education programs.

Was read the first time and referred to the Committee on Education.

Committee on State and Federal Government introduced:

SB 2119: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 6-09-26.1 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the execution of instruments on behalf of the Bank of North Dakota.

Was read the first time and referred to the Committee on State and Federal Government.

Committee on State and Federal Government introduced:

SB 2120: A BILL for an Act to create and enact section 26.1-22-07.1 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the insurability of property of the Bank of North Dakota under the state fire and tornado fund; and to amend and reenact section 26.1-22-07 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to property of the state which is uninsurable under the state fire and tornado fund.

Was read the first time and referred to the Committee on State and Federal Government.

Committee on State and Federal Government introduced:

SB 2121: A BILL for an Act to create a vocational shop revolving fund at the state industrial school; and to provide an appropriation.

Was read the first time and referred to the Committee on State and Federal Government.

Committee on State and Federal Government introduced:

SB 2122: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 46-05-03 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to fees for publication of legal notices.

Was read the first time and referred to the Committee on State and Federal Government.

Committee on State and Federal Government introduced:

SB 2123: A BILL for an Act to create and enact subsection 12 of section 55-01-02 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the powers and duties of the state historical board.

Was read the first time and referred to the Committee on State and Federal Government.

Committee on State and Federal Government introduced:

SB 2124: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 25-07-04 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to transportation costs for students at the school for the deaf.

Was read the first time and referred to the Committee on State and Federal Government.

Committee on State and Federal Government introduced:

SB 2125: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 25-06-04 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to transportation costs for students at the school for the blind.

Was read the first time and referred to the Committee on State and Federal Government.

Committee on State and Federal Government introduced:

SB 2126: A BILL for an Act authorizing the director of institutions, with the governor's approval, to sell, lease, exchange, or transfer title or use to all or part of the properties of San Haven; and to provide an expiration date.

Was read the first time and referred to the Committee on State and Federal Government.

Committee on Industry, Business and Labor introduced:

SB 2127: A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new section to chapter 52-04 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to advances from sources other than the federal unemployment trust fund; and to amend and reenact section 52-04-22 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the federal advance interest repayment fund.

Was read the first time and referred to the Committee on Industry, Business and Labor.

Committee on Industry, Business and Labor introduced:

SB 2128: A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new section to chapter 52-04 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to incremental bonding of impact projects for unemployment compensation purposes.

Was read the first time and referred to the Committee on Industry, Business and Labor.

Committee on Industry, Business and Labor introduced:

SB 2129: A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new section to chapter 6-09 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the Bank of North Dakota investment in a public venture capital corporation.

Was read the first time and referred to the Committee on Industry, Business and Labor.

Committee on Industry, Business and Labor introduced:

SB 2130: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 52-06-32 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to unemployment compensation claimant attorney fees.

Was read the first time and referred to the Committee on Industry, Business and Labor.

Committee on Industry, Business and Labor introduced:

SB 2131: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 65-05-29 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to assignment of claims.

Was read the first time and referred to the Committee on Industry, Business and Labor.

Committee on Industry, Business and Labor introduced:

SB 2132: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 65-05-09 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to an increase in workmen's compensation weekly dependency benefits.

Was read the first time and referred to the Committee on Industry, Business and Labor.

Committee on Industry, Business and Labor introduced:

SB 2133: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 6-03-70 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to financial institutions call reports.

Was read the first time and referred to the Committee on Industry, Business and Labor.

Committee on Industry, Business and Labor introduced:

SB 2134: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact subsection 4 of section 6-01-04.2 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the appeal of cease and desist orders served upon financial corporations or institutions.

Was read the first time and referred to the Committee on Industry, Business and Labor.

Committee on Industry, Business and Labor introduced:

SB 2135: A BILL for an Act to create and enact section 6-07-04.3 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to emergency action of the acquisition of a failing institution; and to amend and reenact sections 6-01-17 and 6-02-05 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the yearly assessment of banks and application for an organization certificate.

Was read the first time and referred to the Committee on Industry, Business and Labor.

Committee on Industry, Business and Labor introduced:

SB 2136: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact subdivision e of subsection 18 of section 52-01-01 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the definition of "employment" for purposes of unemployment compensation.

Was read the first time and referred to the Committee on Industry, Business and Labor.

Committee on Industry, Business and Labor introduced:

SB 2137: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact subsection 4 of section 52-10-04, subsection 4 of section 52-10-05, and subsection 4 of section 52-10-06 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to contributions for purposes of administration of social security and old-age survivor insurance, delinquent social security payments, and disbursements for administrative expenses from the social security contribution fund; to provide an effective date; and to declare an emergency.

Was read the first time and referred to the Committee on Industry, Business and Labor.

Committee on Transportation introduced:

SB 2138: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 39-04-04 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to retention of motor vehicle department records.

Was read the first time and referred to the Committee on Transportation.

Committee on Transportation introduced:

SB 2139: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 39-04-15 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to when motor vehicle registrations become due and delinquent.

Was read the first time and referred to the Committee on Transportation.

Committee on Transportation introduced:

SB 2140: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 39-04-05 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to grounds for refusing registration of a motor vehicle.

Was read the first time and referred to the Committee on Transportation.

Committee on Transportation introduced:

SB 2141: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 39-04-09 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to acquisition of license plates from the state penitentiary.

Was read the first time and referred to the Committee on Transportation.

Committee on Transportation introduced:

SB 2142: A BILL for an Act to create and enact six new subsections to section 39-01-01 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to motor vehicle definitions; and to repeal section 39-04-01 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to motor vehicle definitions.

Was read the first time and referred to the Committee on Transportation.

Committee on Judiciary introduced:

SB 2143: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact sections 19-03.1-05, 19-03.1-07, 19-03.1-09, 19-03.1-11, and 19-03.1-13 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to controlled substances.

Was read the first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Committee on Judiciary introduced:

SB 2144: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 16.1-06-04 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to instructions placed on ballots for voters.

Was read the first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Sen. Lips introduced:

SB 2145: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact subdivision c of subsection 8 of section 38-14.1-24 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to environmental protection performance standards of surface mining and reclamation operations.

Was read the first time and referred to the Committee on Natural Resources.

Sen. Maixner introduced:

SB 2146: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 47-16-39.1 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the obligation to pay royalties and inspection of the oil and gas producer's production and royalty payment records.

Was read the first time and referred to the Committee on Natural Resources.

Committee on Agriculture introduced:

SB 2147: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 4-30-03.2 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to dairy products regulation.

Was read the first time and referred to the Committee on Agriculture.

Committee on Agriculture introduced:

SB 2148: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact sections 24-01-12.1 and 24-01-12.2 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to harvesting hay on state highway right of way.

Was read the first time and referred to the Committee on Agriculture.

Committee on Industry, Business and Labor introduced:

SB 2149: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact subsections 9 and 15 of section 65-01-02, and sections 65-04-04 and 65-07-01 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to workmen's compensation definitions, determination of premiums, and coverage of employer's spouse and children.

Was read the first time and referred to the Committee on Industry, Business and Labor.

Committee on Industry, Business and Labor introduced:

SB 2150: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact sections 65-14-01 and 65-14-02 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to hazardous substances and the employee information program.

Was read the first time and referred to the Committee on Industry, Business and Labor.

Sen. Holmberg introduced:

SB 2151: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact subsections 1, 2, and 3 of section 16.1-01-09 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to requirements for initiative or referendum petitions.

Was read the first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Committee on Natural Resources introduced:

SB 2152: A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new section to chapter 15-05 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the authority of the board of university and school lands to lease gravel, scoria, sand, and construction aggregate; and to declare an emergency.

Was read the first time and referred to the Committee on Natural Resources.

Committee on Political Subdivisions introduced:

SB 2153: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact subsection 27 of section 57-15-06.7 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to exceptions to county tax levy limitations.

Was read the first time and referred to the Committee on Political Subdivisions.

Committee on Political Subdivisions introduced:

SB 2154: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 6-09.4-04 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the North Dakota municipal bond bank.

Was read the first time and referred to the Committee on Political Subdivisions.

Committee on Political Subdivisions introduced:

SB 2155: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 24-01-06 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to abandonment of highways.

Was read the first time and referred to the Committee on Political Subdivisions.

Committee on Transportation introduced:

SB 2156: A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new section to chapter 39-13 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the authority of the state highway commissioner on the erection and maintenance of tourist information signs within highway right of way.

Was read the first time and referred to the Committee on Transportation.

Committee on Transportation introduced:

SB 2157: A BILL for an Act to repeal chapter 49-10 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the transportation of lignite by motor carriers.

Was read the first time and referred to the Committee on Transportation.

Committee on Transportation introduced:

SB 2158: A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new section to chapter 24-17 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the unlawful erection and maintenance of outdoor advertising structures; and to provide a penalty.

Was read the first time and referred to the Committee on Transportation.

Committee on Agriculture introduced:

SB 2159: A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new section to chapter 6-09.10 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to liability of the credit review board; to amend and reenact sections 6-09.10-02, 6-09.10-03, and 6-09.10-04 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the credit review board; and to repeal sections 4-01-19.2 and 4-01-19.3 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the farm credit counseling program.

Was read the first time and referred to the Committee on Agriculture.

Committee on Agriculture introduced:

SB 2160: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 36-09-13 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the fee for recording and rerecording of brands.

Was read the first time and referred to the Committee on Agriculture.

Committee on Agriculture introduced:

SB 2161: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact sections 6-09.9-02 and 6-09.9-04 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to an operating loan program for farmers and agribusinesses.

Was read the first time and referred to the Committee on Agriculture.

Committee on Agriculture introduced:

SB 2162: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 4-35-09, subsection 3 of section 4-35-14, and sections 4-35-15 and 4-35-18 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to licensing for pesticide applicators, reimbursement of the cost of materials for pesticide act training materials, and application of nonregistered pesticides.

Was read the first time and referred to the Committee on Agriculture.

Committee on Education introduced:

SB 2163: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact subsections 2 and 3 of section 15-59-01 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the definition of the terms "gifted child" and "handicapped child".

Was read the first time and referred to the Committee on Education.

Committee on Finance and Taxation introduced:

SB 2164: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact subsections 1 and 3 of section 26.1-03-17 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the payment and amount of insurance company premium taxes and the penalty for timely payment of those taxes.

Was read the first time and referred to the Committee on Finance and Taxation.

Committee on Finance and Taxation introduced:

SB 2165: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact sections 57-60-01, 57-60-02, and 57-60-14 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the definition of "installed capacity" for purposes of the privilege tax on coal conversion facilities, the rate of tax on coal conversion facilities, and the allocation of tax revenue from coal conversion facilities.

Was read the first time and referred to the Committee on Finance and Taxation.

Committee on Industry, Business and Labor introduced:

SB 2166: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 23-16-03 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to fees for licensure of hospitals.

Was read the first time and referred to the Committee on Industry, Business and Labor.

Committee on Industry, Business and Labor introduced:

SB 2167: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 43-15-02 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to exemptions from application of the provisions in chapter 43-15 of the North Dakota Century Code regulating pharmacists.

Was read the first time and referred to the Committee on Industry, Business and Labor.

Committee on Industry, Business and Labor introduced:

SB 2168: A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new section to chapter 43-15 and two new subsections to section 43-15-10 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to sale of nonprescription drugs and the powers of the board of pharmacy regarding nonprescription drugs; to amend and reenact section 43-15-02 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to application to proprietary medicines; and to repeal section 43-15-33 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the license to sell emergency medicines.

Was read the first time and referred to the Committee on Industry, Business and Labor.

Committee on Industry, Business and Labor introduced:

SB 2169: A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new section to chapter 10-24 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to reservation of a corporate name; to amend and reenact sections 10-24-07, 10-24-08, 10-24-09, 10-24-10, 10-24-28, 10-24-36, 10-24-37, 10-27-03, 10-27-06, 10-27-08, 10-27-09, 10-27-10, 10-27-12, 10-27-16, 10-27-17, 10-28-01, 10-28-02, and 10-28-08 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to nonprofit corporations; and to repeal section 10-27-11 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to foreign nonprofit corporations' articles of incorporation.

Was read the first time and referred to the Committee on Industry, Business and Labor.

Committee on Industry, Business and Labor introduced:

SB 2170: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 65-12-11 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to boiler inspection fees.

Was read the first time and referred to the Committee on Industry, Business and Labor.

Committee on Industry, Business and Labor introduced:

SB 2171: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 43-15-31, subsection 6 of section 43-15-35, and section 43-15-42 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to physicians' prescriptions to be filed and preserved, requirements for a permit to operate a pharmacy, and the penalty for violation of law regulating pharmacies.

Was read the first time and referred to the Committee on Industry, Business and Labor.

Committee on Industry, Business and Labor introduced:

SB 2172: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 52-06-04 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to unemployment compensation benefit amounts.

Was read the first time and referred to the Committee on Industry, Business and Labor.

Committee on Industry, Business and Labor introduced:

SB 2173: A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new section to chapter 43-15 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to out-of-state pharmacies.

Was read the first time and referred to the Committee on Industry, Business and Labor.

Committee on Industry, Business and Labor introduced:

SB 2174: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 26.1-17-04 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the directors of nonprofit health service corporations.

Was read the first time and referred to the Committee on Industry, Business and Labor.

Committee on Judiciary introduced:

SB 2175: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact subsection 1 of section 43-15-42.1 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to disciplinary action of the board of pharmacy; and to provide a penalty.

Was read the first time and referred to the **Committee on Judiciary**.

Committee on Judiciary introduced:

SB 2176: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact subsections 1 and 14 of section 43-15-10 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the powers of the board of pharmacy.

Was read the first time and referred to the **Committee on Judiciary**.

Committee on Judiciary introduced:

SB 2177: A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new section to chapter 43-15 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to an impaired pharmacists program.

Was read the first time and referred to the **Committee on Judiciary**.

Committee on Judiciary introduced:

SB 2178: A BILL for an Act to create and enact five new subsections to section 43-15-10 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to powers of the board of pharmacy.

Was read the first time and referred to the **Committee on Judiciary**.

Committee on Judiciary introduced:

SB 2179: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact sections 54-12-14 and 54-12-16 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to a criminal investigation cash fund and powers of drug enforcement unit personnel.

Was read the first time and referred to the **Committee on Judiciary**.

Committee on Judiciary introduced:

SB 2180: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact subsection 1 of section 38-08-14 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the procedure for appealing an order of the industrial commission to the district court.

Was read the first time and referred to the **Committee on Judiciary**.

Committee on Judiciary introduced:

SB 2181: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 54-12-08 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to assistant and special assistant attorneys general and to billing arrangements for legal services.

Was read the first time and referred to the **Committee on Judiciary**.

Committee on Judiciary introduced:

SB 2182: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact subsection 15 of section 43-15-10 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to confidentiality of investigative files of the board of pharmacy.

Was read the first time and referred to the **Committee on Judiciary**.

Committee on Natural Resources introduced:

SB 2183: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 38-08-04.4 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the industrial commission entering into contracts for the plugging or replugging of wells and site reclamation.
Was read the first time and referred to the Committee on Natural Resources.

Committee on Natural Resources introduced:

SB 2184: A BILL for an Act to establish a state surface mining and reclamation bond fund.
Was read the first time and referred to the Committee on Natural Resources.

Committee on Natural Resources introduced:

SB 2185: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact subsection 12.1 of section 38-14.1-02 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to bonds issued under the state surface mining and reclamation bond fund.
Was read the first time and referred to the Committee on Natural Resources.

Committee on Natural Resources introduced:

SB 2186: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact subsection 4 of section 20.1-03-11 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to limitations on nonresident big game licenses.
Was read the first time and referred to the Committee on Natural Resources.

Committee on Natural Resources introduced:

SB 2187: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact subsections 5 and 6 of section 38-08-02 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the definition of the terms illegal gas and illegal oil.
Was read the first time and referred to the Committee on Natural Resources.

Committee on Natural Resources introduced:

SB 2188: A BILL for an Act to establish a lignite development commission.
Was read the first time and referred to the Committee on Natural Resources.

Committee on Political Subdivisions introduced:

SB 2189: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact subsection 1 of section 15-27.1-03 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the amount of compensation received by members of the county committee.
Was read the first time and referred to the Committee on Political Subdivisions.

Committee on Political Subdivisions introduced:

SB 2190: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact sections 54-40.1-01, 54-40.1-02, subsection 1 of section 54-40.1-03,

and section 54-40.1-05 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to regional planning and development councils.
Was read the first time and referred to the **Committee on Political Subdivisions**.

Committee on Social Services and Veterans Affairs introduced:

SB 2191: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact sections 23-17.2-01, 23-17.2-02, 23-17.2-03, 23-17.2-04, 23-17.2-05, and 23-17.2-09 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the certificate of need for expansion of hospital facilities.

Was read the first time and referred to the **Committee on Social Services and Veterans Affairs**.

Committee on Social Services and Veterans Affairs introduced:

SB 2192: A BILL for an Act to create and enact four new sections to chapter 25-16 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to treatment or care centers for the developmentally disabled; to amend and reenact sections 25-16-01, 25-16-02, 25-16-03, 25-16-03.1, 25-16-04, 25-16-06, 25-16-08, 25-16-09, 25-16-10, and 25-16-12 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to residential care and services for the developmentally disabled; and to provide a penalty.

Was read the first time and referred to the **Committee on Social Services and Veterans Affairs**.

Committee on State and Federal Government introduced:

SB 2193: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 38-08-13 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the procedure for applying for a rehearing before the industrial commission.

Was read the first time and referred to the **Committee on State and Federal Government**.

Committee on State and Federal Government introduced:

SB 2194: A BILL for an Act authorizing North Dakota state penitentiary industry to trade, barter, and exchange merchandise, equipment, and services.

Was read the first time and referred to the **Committee on State and Federal Government**.

Committee on State and Federal Government introduced:

SB 2195: A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new section to chapter 23-09 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the state laboratories department's authority to accept local enforcement and inspection; to amend and reenact sections 23-09-01, 23-09-02, 23-09-09, 23-09-11, 23-09-14, 23-09-16, 23-09-17, 23-09-18, 23-09-21, and 23-09-22 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to hotels, lodging houses, restaurants, boardinghouses, and similar establishments; and to provide a penalty.

Was read the first time and referred to the **Committee on State and Federal Government**.

Committee on State and Federal Government introduced:

SB 2196: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 15-10-25 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the payment of mileage and travel expenses for employees of institutions of higher education.

Was read the first time and referred to the Committee on State and Federal Government.

Committee on State and Federal Government introduced:

SB 2197: A BILL for an Act to repeal section 16.1-03-15 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to expenses of delegates to national conventions.

Was read the first time and referred to the Committee on State and Federal Government.

Committee on State and Federal Government introduced:

SB 2198: A BILL for an Act to create a commission on governmental reorganization to study existing state boards and commissions and to make recommendations to the fifty-first legislative assembly; and to provide an effective date and an expiration date.

Was read the first time and referred to the Committee on State and Federal Government.

Committee on Transportation introduced:

SB 2199: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 39-01-02 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the identification of motor vehicles owned by the state.

Was read the first time and referred to the Committee on Transportation.

Committee on Transportation introduced:

SB 2200: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact subsection 1 of section 39-05-20 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to obtaining certificate of title to a vehicle upon inability to obtain old certificate.

Was read the first time and referred to the Committee on Transportation.

Committee on Transportation introduced:

SB 2201: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact subsection 2 of section 39-06.1-13 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to reduction of point totals on driving records.

Was read the first time and referred to the Committee on Transportation.

Committee on Transportation introduced:

SB 2202: A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new subsection to section 39-06.1-06, a new paragraph to subdivision a of subsection 3 of section 39-06.1-10, and a new subdivision to subsection 1 of section 39-09-02 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to highway speed limits and sanctions for violation of highway speed limits; to amend and reenact subsection 3 of section 39-06.1-06 and

paragraph 33 of subdivision a of subsection 3 of section 39-06.1-10 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to sanctions for violation of speed limits; to provide a penalty; and to provide a contingent effective date.

Was read the first time and referred to the **Committee on Transportation**.

Committee on Transportation introduced:

SB 2203: A BILL for an Act to create and enact two new sections to chapter 24-02 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the transfer of motor vehicles to the central management system and motor vehicle user charges; to amend and reenact section 24-02-03.3 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the central management of state motor vehicles; and to provide an appropriation.

Was read the first time and referred to the **Committee on Transportation**.

Sens. Keller, Freborg and Reps. Hill, O'Shea introduced:

SB 2204: A BILL for an Act relating to the use by state-funded institutions of North Dakota native lignite coal or coal mined in other jurisdictions meeting certain standards; and to provide a penalty.

Was read the first time and referred to the **Committee on Natural Resources**.

Committee on Agriculture introduced:

SB 2205: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact subsections 9 and 11 of section 41-09-42 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to fees of the central notice system.

Was read the first time and referred to the **Committee on Agriculture**.

Committee on Agriculture introduced:

SB 2206: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact sections 19-13.1-04 and 19-16.1-03 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the labeling of commercial feed and registration of antifreeze.

Was read the first time and referred to the **Committee on Agriculture**.

Committee on Education introduced:

SB 2207: A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new section to chapter 15-06 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to renegotiation of land contracts; to amend and reenact sections 15-07-02, 15-07-04, 15-07-10, and 15-07-20 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to sale of nongrant lands, the right of repurchase of a former mortgagor, and to the maximum term of leases of nongrant lands; to repeal sections 15-06-33, 15-06-34, 15-06-35, 15-06-36, 15-06-37, 15-07-05, 15-07-06, 15-07-08, 15-07-09, 15-07-11, 15-07-12, 15-07-13, 15-07-14, 15-07-15, 15-07-16, 15-07-17, and 15-07-18 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to sale of stumpage near Garrison dam and to specific requirements

for terms and conditions of sale of nongrant lands; and to declare an emergency.

Was read the first time and referred to the Committee on Education.

Committee on Education introduced:

SB 2208: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact sections 15-39.1-04, 15-39.1-06, 15-39.1-08, subsection 1 of section 15-39.1-09, sections 15-39.1-22, and 15-39.1-27 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the teachers' fund for retirement.

Was read the first time and referred to the Committee on Education.

Committee on Education introduced:

SB 2209: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact subsection 9 of section 15-27.2-04 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the submission of annexation petitions to the state board of public school education.

Was read the first time and referred to the Committee on Education.

Committee on Education introduced:

SB 2210: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact subsection 6 of section 15-40.1-08 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to per-pupil foundation aid payments for preschool handicapped pupils.

Was read the first time and referred to the Committee on Education.

Committee on Education introduced:

SB 2211: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact subsection 8 of section 15-27.2-04 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the submission of annexation petitions to the county committee.

Was read the first time and referred to the Committee on Education.

Committee on Finance and Taxation introduced:

SB 2212: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact sections 53-06.1-12 and 53-06.1-12.1 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the tax on games of chance and the allocation of the games of chance tax.

Was read the first time and referred to the Committee on Finance and Taxation.

Committee on Finance and Taxation introduced:

SB 2213: A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new section to chapter 57-06 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to telecommunication services; and to amend and reenact section 57-06-02 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the definition of property that is taxed as telephone service property.

Was read the first time and referred to the Committee on Finance and Taxation.

Committee on Finance and Taxation introduced:

SB 2214: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 47-21-08 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the tax

levied on selling and licensing performing rights or music or dramatico-musical compositions; and to repeal sections 47-21-01, 47-21-02, 47-21-03, 47-21-04, 47-21-05, 47-21-06, 47-21-07, 47-21-09, and 47-21-10 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to copyrights for musical and dramatico-musical compositions.

Was read the first time and referred to the **Committee on Finance and Taxation**.

Committee on Finance and Taxation introduced:

SB 2215: A BILL for an Act to create and enact three new subsections to section 57-40.3-01 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to definitions of vehicles for purposes of the motor vehicle excise tax; and to amend and reenact subsection 1 of section 57-40.3-01 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the definition of motor vehicle for purposes of motor vehicle excise tax.

Was read the first time and referred to the **Committee on Finance and Taxation**.

Committee on Finance and Taxation introduced:

SB 2216: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 57-36-32 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to an additional tax on cigarettes.

Was read the first time and referred to the **Committee on Finance and Taxation**.

Committee on Finance and Taxation introduced:

SB 2217: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact subsection 8 of section 57-37.1-01 and section 57-37.1-04 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the definition of the "United States Internal Revenue Code of 1954, as amended" for estate tax purposes and the computation of the estate tax.

Was read the first time and referred to the **Committee on Finance and Taxation**.

Committee on Industry, Business and Labor introduced:

SB 2218: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact subsections 9, 10, 11, 12, and 13 of section 52-06-02 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to educational employee disqualification from unemployment compensation benefits.

Was read the first time and referred to the **Committee on Industry, Business and Labor**.

Committee on Industry, Business and Labor introduced:

SB 2219: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact sections 52-07.1-06 and 52-07.1-07 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to extended unemployment compensation benefit amounts.

Was read the first time and referred to the **Committee on Industry, Business and Labor**.

Committee on Industry, Business and Labor introduced:

SB 2220: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact sections 52-04-05, 52-04-06, 52-04-09, and 52-04-10 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to standard rates of contributions for unemployment compensation purposes, variations in standard rates of contributions, classification of employers to determine contributions, and notification of contributions for the ensuing year; to provide an effective date; and to declare an emergency.
Was read the first time and referred to the Committee on Industry, Business and Labor.

Committee on Industry, Business and Labor introduced:

SB 2221: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 43-15-45 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to costs of prosecution in disciplinary proceedings of the board of pharmacy.
Was read the first time and referred to the Committee on Industry, Business and Labor.

Committee on Industry, Business and Labor introduced:

SB 2222: A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new section to chapter 43-17 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the state uniform group insurance program and licensing requirements to practice medicine.
Was read the first time and referred to the Committee on Industry, Business and Labor.

Committee on Industry, Business and Labor introduced:

SB 2223: A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new chapter to title 51 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to going-out-of-business sales; and to provide a penalty.
Was read the first time and referred to the Committee on Industry, Business and Labor.

Committee on Industry, Business and Labor introduced:

SB 2224: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact subdivision 1 of subsection 9 of section 26.1-04-03 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to reimbursement of nursing home insureds.
Was read the first time and referred to the Committee on Industry, Business and Labor.

Committee on Industry, Business and Labor introduced:

SB 2225: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact subsection 1 of section 52-06-02 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to disqualification from unemployment compensation benefits.
Was read the first time and referred to the Committee on Industry, Business and Labor.

Committee on Industry, Business and Labor introduced:

SB 2226: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 51-15-02 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the unlawful consumer fraud practice of advertising merchandise with

intent not to supply reasonably expectable public demand and to the operation of an unlawful referral selling or pyramid scheme.

Was read the first time and referred to the Committee on Industry, Business and Labor.

Committee on Industry, Business and Labor introduced:

SB 2227: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact sections 6-03-34 and 6-03-36 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the payment of dividends by a banking institution.

Was read the first time and referred to the Committee on Industry, Business and Labor.

Committee on Industry, Business and Labor introduced:

SB 2228: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact subsections 2, 3, and 4 of section 52-04-03 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the amount of wages subject to tax for unemployment compensation purposes; to provide an effective date; and to declare an emergency.

Was read the first time and referred to the Committee on Industry, Business and Labor.

Committee on Industry, Business and Labor introduced:

SB 2229: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 65-05-17 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the removal of a cap on workmen's compensation death benefits.

Was read the first time and referred to the Committee on Industry, Business and Labor.

Committee on Judiciary introduced:

SB 2230: A BILL for an Act to create and enact two new sections to chapter 29-30.3 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to inquiry into the guilt or innocence of an accused upon extradition and to the payment of expenses of an extradition.

Was read the first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Committee on Judiciary introduced:

SB 2231: A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new section to chapter 29-04 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the tolling of the statute of limitations as to a child victim.

Was read the first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Committee on Judiciary introduced:

SB 2232: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 65-02-08 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to payment of attorney's fees in workmen's compensation proceedings.

Was read the first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Committee on Judiciary introduced:

SB 2233: A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new section to chapter 51-15 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to

the adoption of administrative rules by the attorney general.

Was read the first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Committee on Judiciary introduced:

SB 2234: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 32-23-11 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the failure to serve the attorney general with process in a proceeding seeking to declare a statute, ordinance, or franchise unconstitutional.

Was read the first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Committee on Judiciary introduced:

SB 2235: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact subsection 3 of section 12.1-20-03 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the removal of the "voluntary companion" language as a consideration in the offense grading language of the crime of gross sexual imposition.

Was read the first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Committee on Natural Resources introduced:

SB 2236: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact subsections 2 and 7 of section 38-14.1-16 and subsection 7 of section 38-14.1-17 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to minimum reclamation performance bond amounts, the substitution of surety, and the release of reclamation performance bonds.

Was read the first time and referred to the Committee on Natural Resources.

Committee on Natural Resources introduced:

SB 2238: A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new section to chapter 38-08 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to industrial commission authority to regulate the exploration, development, and production of carbon dioxide and nitrogen gas; and to amend and reenact section 38-12-02 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the jurisdiction of the industrial commission to regulate carbon dioxide and nitrogen gas.

Was read the first time and referred to the Committee on Natural Resources.

Committee on Natural Resources introduced:

SB 2239: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact subsections 6, 8, and 9 of section 20.1-03-12 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to fees for fishing licenses; and to provide an effective date.

Was read the first time and referred to the Committee on Natural Resources.

Committee on Political Subdivisions introduced:

SB 2240: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact subsection 9 of section 23-15-01 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to composition of firecrackers.

Was read the first time and referred to the Committee on Political Subdivisions.

Committee on Political Subdivisions introduced:

SB 2241: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact subsection 3 of section 12.1-28-01 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the definition of gambling apparatus.

Was read the first time and referred to the Committee on Political Subdivisions.

Committee on Social Services and Veterans Affairs introduced:

SB 2242: A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new section to chapter 23-06.1 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to establishing procedures for identifying organ and tissue donors.

Was read the first time and referred to the Committee on Social Services and Veterans Affairs.

Committee on Social Services and Veterans Affairs introduced:

SB 2243: A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new subsection to section 50-11.1-03 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to disposition of fees from licenses for early childhood services facilities; to amend and reenact subsection 5 of section 50-11.1-02 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to definition of the term "early childhood services"; and to repeal section 19 of chapter 526 of the 1985 Session Laws of North Dakota, relating to the licensing of day care facilities.

Was read the first time and referred to the Committee on Social Services and Veterans Affairs.

Committee on Social Services and Veterans Affairs introduced:

SB 2244: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact sections 50-25.1-02, 50-25.1-03, 50-25.1-03.1, 50-25.1-04, 50-25.1-04.1, 50-25.1-05, 50-25.1-05.1, 50-25.1-05.2, 50-25.1-05.3, 50-25.1-06, 50-25.1-07, and 50-25.1-11 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to child abuse and neglect.

Was read the first time and referred to the Committee on Social Services and Veterans Affairs.

Committee on Social Services and Veterans Affairs introduced:

SB 2245: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact subsection 1 of section 14-08-07 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to transmittal of support payments by clerks of court.

Was read the first time and referred to the Committee on Social Services and Veterans Affairs.

Committee on Social Services and Veterans Affairs introduced:

SB 2246: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact subsection 5 of section 57-15-56 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the state matching program for senior citizen programs and activities.

Was read the first time and referred to the Committee on Social Services and Veterans Affairs.

Committee on State and Federal Government introduced:

SB 2247: A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new section to chapter 54-52.1 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the prefunding of group medical and hospital insurance premium costs for certain retired public employees.

Was read the first time and referred to the Committee on State and Federal Government.

Committee on State and Federal Government introduced:

SB 2248: A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new subsection to section 54-52-01 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to a definition of investment counselor in the public employees retirement system law; to amend and reenact subsection 6 of section 54-52-04 and sections 54-52-16 and 54-52-25 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to authority of the public employees retirement system board; and to repeal subsection 6 of section 54-52-01 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to a definition of funding agent in the public employees retirement system law.

Was read the first time and referred to the Committee on State and Federal Government.

Committee on State and Federal Government introduced:

SB 2249: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 54-16-04.1 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to emergency commission authorization for pass-through federal funds between state agencies.

Was read the first time and referred to the Committee on State and Federal Government.

Committee on State and Federal Government introduced:

SB 2250: A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new section to chapter 54-44.1 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to indirect cost recoveries from federal programs and special funds.

Was read the first time and referred to the Committee on State and Federal Government.

Committee on State and Federal Government introduced:

SB 2251: A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new section to chapter 54-44 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to financial reporting.

Was read the first time and referred to the Committee on State and Federal Government.

Committee on State and Federal Government introduced:

SB 2252: A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new subsection to section 52-09-07 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to moneys paid or deposited into the old-age survivors' fund; to amend and reenact sections 52-09-06 and

52-09-09 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to investing and disbursing money in the old-age survivors' fund and rates of contributions for purposes of old-age and survivor insurance; to provide an effective date; and to declare an emergency.

Was read the first time and referred to the Committee on State and Federal Government.

Committee on State and Federal Government introduced:

SB 2253: A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new section to chapter 46-02 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to in-plant printing.

Was read the first time and referred to the Committee on State and Federal Government.

Committee on State and Federal Government introduced:

SB 2254: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact subsection 7 of section 54-52-04 and sections 54-52.2-01, 54-52.2-02, and 54-52.2-03 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to administration of the deferred compensation plan for public employees; and to repeal section 54-52.2-03.1 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to staffing and administrative expenses of the deferred compensation plan.

Was read the first time and referred to the Committee on State and Federal Government.

Committee on State and Federal Government introduced:

SB 2255: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact subsection 7 of section 49-02-02 and section 49-06-23 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to authority of the commission to appear before state and federal agencies and to place all payments from public utilities for commission expenses related to commission hearing investigations and appearances before federal agencies and courts in the public utility valuation revolving fund of the state treasury.

Was read the first time and referred to the Committee on State and Federal Government.

Committee on State and Federal Government introduced:

SB 2256: A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new subsection to section 6-09-35 and a new section to chapter 54-18 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to confidentiality of Bank of North Dakota records and to confidentiality of the North Dakota mill and elevator association and export trading company business.

Was read the first time and referred to the Committee on State and Federal Government.

Committee on State and Federal Government introduced:

SB 2257: A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new section to chapter 39-03.1 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to disability retirement benefits for members of the North Dakota highway patrol; and to amend and reenact section

39-03.1-26 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to coordination of benefits.

Was read the first time and referred to the Committee on State and Federal Government.

Committee on Transportation introduced:

SB 2258: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact sections 39-22-02, 39-22-06, 39-22-08, 39-22-11, and 39-22-12 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the licensing of motor vehicle dealers.

Was read the first time and referred to the Committee on Transportation.

Committee on Transportation introduced:

SB 2259: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 39-04-19 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to vehicle registration fees.

Was read the first time and referred to the Committee on Transportation.

Committee on Transportation introduced:

SB 2260: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 39-04-44.1 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to a vehicle transporter's license.

Was read the first time and referred to the Committee on Transportation.

Committee on Transportation introduced:

SB 2261: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact sections 39-18-01, 39-22.1-01, and 39-22.3-01 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to licensing fees for mobile home, trailer, and motorcycle dealers.

Was read the first time and referred to the Committee on Transportation.

Committee on Natural Resources introduced:

SB 2262: A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new subsection to section 39-24-09 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to snowmobile operation requirements; and to amend and reenact sections 39-24-03 and 39-24-09.1 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to snowmobile registration, operation, and safety education programs.

Was read the first time and referred to the Committee on Natural Resources.

Committee on Finance and Taxation introduced:

SB 2263: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 57-39.2-04.1, subsection 2 of section 57-39.2-11, subsection 2 of section 57-39.2-12.1, section 57-40.2-04.1, and subsection 2 of section 57-40.2-07.1 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the tax commissioner's authority to change filing requirements, nonavailability of compensation for administrative expenses, deduction for administrative expenses for filing sales and use tax

returns, and sales and use tax exemption for food and food products purchased with food coupons issued by the United States department of agriculture.

Was read the first time and referred to the **Committee on Finance and Taxation.**

Committee on Political Subdivisions introduced:

SB 2264: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact subsection 9 of section 11-11.1-03 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the powers and duties of job development authorities.

Was read the first time and referred to the **Committee on Political Subdivisions.**

Committee on Social Services and Veterans Affairs introduced:

SB 2265: A BILL for an Act to create and enact two new sections to chapter 50-06 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the eligibility of certain trust beneficiaries for assistance based on economic need and the recovery of department of human services claims from decedents' estates; and to amend and reenact sections 50-24.1-02 and 50-24.1-07 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to eligibility for the medical assistance program and recovery from estates of medical assistance recipients.

Was read the first time and referred to the **Committee on Social Services and Veterans Affairs.**

Committee on State and Federal Government introduced:

SB 2266: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact sections 15-39.1-10.3, 39-03.1-14.1, and 54-52-17.2 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to eligibility for accrual of benefits between retirement systems and purchase of prior service credit for members of certain public retirement systems.

Was read the first time and referred to the **Committee on State and Federal Government.**

Committee on Industry, Business and Labor introduced:

SB 2267: A BILL for an Act relating to changing the name of the workmen's compensation bureau of North Dakota to the workers compensation bureau.

Was read the first time and referred to the **Committee on Industry, Business and Labor.**

Committee on Natural Resources introduced:

SB 2268: A BILL for an Act to create and enact section 23-25-03.1 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to certification of asbestos contractors and workers; and to amend and reenact section 23-25-01 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to definitions for purposes of air pollution control.

Was read the first time and referred to the **Committee on Natural Resources.**

Committee on Industry, Business and Labor introduced:

SB 2269: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact subdivision c of subsection 4 and subdivision a of subsection 6 of section 65-13-03, and subsections 2 and 8 of section 65-13-06 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to awards and limitations of crime victims reparations; and to repeal subsection 7 of section 65-13-06 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the minimum economic loss for crime victims reparations awards.

Was read the first time and referred to the Committee on Industry, Business and Labor.

Committee on Transportation introduced:

SB 2270: A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new section to chapter 39-06 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to motor vehicle operator's license examination fees; to amend and reenact section 39-01-11, subsections 1, 3, 6, and 9 of section 39-06-03.1, subsections 1 and 7 of section 39-06-14, sections 39-06-18 and 39-06-19 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to various fees paid to the highway commissioner.

Was read the first time and referred to the Committee on Transportation.

Committee on Industry, Business and Labor introduced:

SB 2271: A BILL for an Act to require insurance companies to file their annual statements with the national association of insurance commissioners to monitor solvency.

Was read the first time and referred to the Committee on Industry, Business and Labor.

Committee on Industry, Business and Labor introduced:

SB 2272: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact subsections 1 and 3 of section 41-09-41 and subsection 5 of section 41-09-42 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to Uniform Commercial Code form requirements and fees for those filings.

Was read the first time and referred to the Committee on Industry, Business and Labor.

Committee on Industry, Business and Labor introduced:

SB 2273: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact sections 26.1-05-04 and 26.1-12-10 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the required amount of paid in capital stock and surplus of domestic stock and mutual insurance companies.

Was read the first time and referred to the Committee on Industry, Business and Labor.

Committee on Education introduced:

SB 2274: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 15-40.2-08 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to tuition payments for special education students placed

outside their districts of residence for purposes other than education.

Was read the first time and referred to the Committee on Education.

Committee on State and Federal Government introduced:

SB 2275: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact subsection 4 of section 54-52.1-01 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to eligibility to participate in the uniform group insurance program.

Was read the first time and referred to the Committee on State and Federal Government.

Committee on State and Federal Government introduced:

SB 2276: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact sections 46-01-02, 46-02-01, 46-02-04, 46-02-05, 46-02-06, 46-02-07, 46-02-09, 46-02-10, 46-02-12, and 46-02-14 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to printing and binding duties of the office of management and budget; and to repeal sections 46-02-03, 46-02-11, 46-02-13, and 46-02-18 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to printing and binding.

Was read the first time and referred to the Committee on State and Federal Government.

Committee on Social Services and Veterans Affairs introduced:

SB 2277: A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new chapter to title 43 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to licensing of addiction counselors; to amend and reenact section 23-17.1-04 and subsection 3 of section 31-01-06.3 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the certification of addiction counselors and to the definition of counselor; and to provide a penalty.

Was read the first time and referred to the Committee on Social Services and Veterans Affairs.

Committee on State and Federal Government introduced:

SB 2278: A BILL for an Act to consolidate the state department of health and the state laboratories department into the state department of health and consolidated laboratories; and to amend and reenact sections 19-01-01, 19-01-02, 19-01-02.1, 19-01-07, 19-01-18, subsection 4 of section 19-02.1-05, sections 19-02.1-20, 19-02.1-21, subsection 1 of section 19-03.1-01.1, sections 19-03.1-37, 19-10-21, subsection 9 of section 19-13.1-02, sections 19-13.1-09, 19-13.1-11, 19-13.1-12, subsection 4 of section 19-17-04, sections 19-18-02, 19-18-04, 19-18-07, 19-20.1-08, 19-20.1-17, subsection 3 of section 19-21-01, sections 23-01-01, 23-01-07, 23-01-09, 23-09-01, 43-43-01, and 61-28.1-07 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to consolidation of the state laboratories and the state department of health; and to repeal sections 19-01-03, 19-01-04, 19-01-06, and 19-01-08 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the state laboratories department.

Was read the first time and referred to the Committee on State and Federal Government.

Committee on Transportation introduced:

SB 2279: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact subsection 2 of section 39-04-18 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to exemptions from motor vehicle registration.

Was read the first time and referred to the Committee on Transportation.

Committee on Natural Resources introduced:

SB 2280: A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new chapter to title 39 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the registration and titling of motorboats; to amend and reenact section 20.1-13-04 and subsection 78 of section 39-01-01 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the definition of vehicle and the licensing of watercraft for hire; to repeal subsection 22 and 23 of section 20.1-03-12 and sections 20.1-13-02, 20.1-13-03, and 20.1-13-06 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the operation of unlicensed motorcraft, licensing of motorcraft, and license fees for motorcrafts and motorcrafts for hire; to provide a penalty; and to provide an effective date.

Was read the first time and referred to the Committee on Natural Resources.

FIRST READING OF SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTIONS

Legislative Council introduced:

SCR 4001: A concurrent resolution for the amendment of subdivision a of subsection 2 of section 6 of article VIII of the Constitution of the State of North Dakota, relating to the number, qualifications, term of office, and requirements of members of the board of higher education; and to provide an effective date.

Was read the first time and referred to the Committee on Constitutional Revision.

Legislative Council introduced:

SCR 4002: A concurrent resolution for the amendment of subdivision a of subsection 2 of section 6 of article VIII of the Constitution of the State of North Dakota, relating to the nomination of members of the board of higher education; and to provide an effective date.

Was read the first time and referred to the Committee on Constitutional Revision.

Legislative Council introduced:

SCR 4003: A concurrent resolution urging the Department of Human Services to implement changes to the human service delivery system in North Dakota.

Was read the first time and referred to the Committee on Social Services and Veterans Affairs.

Sen. Wright introduced:

SCR 4004: A concurrent resolution urging the Congress of the United States to implement the recommendations of the Garrison Unit Joint Tribal Advisory Committee concerning the effects of the impoundment of waters under the Pick-Sloan Missouri Basin Program on the Fort Berthold and Standing Rock Indian Reservations and urging the creation of a similar advisory committee to review the impact of the impoundment of waters on the economic base of nontribal interests.

Was read the first time and referred to the Committee on Natural Resources.

Sen. Holmberg and Rep. Shaft introduced:

SCR 4005: A concurrent resolution for the amendment of section 8 of article III of the Constitution of the State of North Dakota, relating to the requirement that a measure approved by the electors may not be repealed or amended by the legislative assembly for seven years except by a two-thirds vote.

Was read the first time and referred to the Committee on Constitutional Revision.

The Senate stood adjourned pursuant to Senator Heigaard's motion.

PERRY GROTEBERG, Secretary