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Bismarck, December 4, 1990

At 9:00 a.m. on December 4, 1990, according to the Constitution and Statutes of North Dakota, the members elect of the Senate of the Fifty-second Legislative Assembly, assembled in the Senate Chamber of the State Capitol at Bismarck, North Dakota, and were called to order by the Honorable Lloyd Omdahl, Lieutenant Governor of the State of North Dakota.

CERTIFICATION

The list of the qualified members and holdover members as certified by the Secretary of State was read by the 1989 Secretary of the Senate, Patricia Conrad, as follows:

COMMUNICATION FROM SECRETARY OF STATE JIM KUSLER

December 4, 1990

I hereby certify that the attached listing is, according to the records of my office, a true and correct list of the names and addresses of the holdover Senators elected at the general election in 1988, and duly qualified for the Fifty-second Legislative Assembly.

Dist. No. - Counties or Parts Thereof	Name	Address
2. Williams, Divide	Erwin M. Hanson	Crosby
4. Mountrail, Burke, Divide	Meyer D. Kinnoin	Stanley
6. Bottineau, McHenry	David O'Connell	Lansford
8. McLean	Layton W. Freborg	Underwood
10. Cavalier, Towner Walsh	William S. Heigaard	Langdon
12. Benson, Eddy, Ramsey	Byron Langley	Warwick
14. Wells, Foster	Bryce Streibel	Fessenden
16. Walsh	Harvey D. Tallackson	Grafton
17. Grand Forks	Jack Ingstad	Grand Forks
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20.	Vacant	
22. Cass	Gary J. Nelson	Casselton
24. Barnes	Larry J. Robinson	Valley City
26. Dickey, Sargent, Ransom	Jerome Kelsh	Fullerton
28. Logan, LaMoure, Dickey, Barnes	Don Moore	Forbes
30. Emmons, McIntosh, Burleigh, Logan	Pete Naaden	Braddock
32. Burleigh	Bonnie Heinrich	Bismarck
34. Morton	Corliss Mushik	Mandan
36. McKenzie, Dunn	Dean J. Meyer	Watford City
38. Stark	Ray David	Dickinson
40. Ward	Karen K. Krebsbach	Minot
&	Rolland W. Redlin	Minot
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42. Grand Forks	Wayne Stenehjem	Grand Forks
44. Cass	Curtis Peterson	Fargo
46. Cass	Jens Tennesfos	Fargo
48. Stutsman	David E. Nething	Jamestown
52. Burleigh	Joseph A. Satrom	Bismarck

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North Dakota Century Code section 54-03-03 instructs the Secretary of the Senate and Chief Clerk of the House of Representatives to "...make a correct roll of the members of their houses respectively to whom certificates of election have been issued by the proper officers." The Office of Secretary of State has issued Certificates of Election to the names appearing on the attached list with the Great Seal affixed.

On November 21, 1990, and again on December 3, 1990, the State Canvassing Board met in the Office of Secretary of State and canvassed the certified abstracts of returns from North Dakota's fifty-three counties. The attached certified list is a true and correct list of the candidates who received the highest number of votes for the legislative offices voted upon at the November General Election. As directed by Chapter 16.1-15, Certificates of Election have been issued to these duly elected officers.

Copies of the Certificates of Election for each officer-elect will be provided for your records. Finally, each officer-elect has been forwarded the Oath of Office which must be subscribed and filed in the Office of Secretary of State.

Dist. No. - Counties or Parts Thereof	Name	Address
1. Williams	Jim Yockim	Williston
3. Renville, Ward	Orlin "Bill" Hanson	Sherwood
5. Ward	Larry W. Schoenwald	Minot
7. McHenry, Pierce	Ken Solberg	Rubgy
9. Rolette	Dan Jerome	Belcourt
11. Pembina, Walsh	F. Kent Vosper	Neché
13. Cass	Jay Lindgren	West Fargo
15. Ramsey	John "Jack" Traynor	Devils Lake
17. Grand Forks	Raymon Holmberg	Grand Forks
& 18.		
19. Grand Forks	Duane O. Mutch	Larimore
21. Cass	Tish Kelly	Fargo
23. Nelson, Griggs, Steele	Dan Wogsland	Hannaford
25. Richland	Russell T. Thane	Wahpeton
27. Ransom, Richland	Jim Dotzenrod	Wyndmere
29. Stutsman	Dale Marks	Ypsilanti
31. Burleigh, Sheridan Kidder	Duane DeKrey	Tappen
33. Mercer, Oliver	Joe Keller	Beulah
35. Grant, Hettinger Sioux	Aaron Krauter	Regent
37. Stark	William G. Goetz	Dickinson
39. Adams, Bowman, Billings, Golden Valley, Slope	Bill Bowman	Bowman
41. Ward	Jim Maxson	Minot
43. Grand Forks	Jayson "Jay" Graba	Grand Forks
45. Cass	Donna Nalewaja	Fargo
47. Burleigh	Evan E. Lips	Bismarck
49. Burleigh	Barb Evanson	Bismarck
51. Cass	Tim Mathern	Fargo
53. Morton	Steve Tomac	St. Anthony

ROLL CALL

The roll call was taken manually by the 1989 Secretary, Patricia Conrad. There were 51 members present, 1 member absent, and 1 seat vacant.

YEAS: Bowman; David; DeKrey; Dotzenrod; Evanson; Freborg; Goetz; Graba; Hanson, E.; Hanson, O.; Heigaard; Heinrich; Holmberg; Ingstad; Jerome; Keller; Kelly; Kelsch; Kinnoin; Krauter; Krebsbach; Langley; Lindgren

Lips; Marks; Mathern; Maxson; Meyer; Moore; Mushik; Mutch; Naaden; Nalewaja; Nelson; O'Connell; Peterson; Redlin; Robinson; Satrom; Schoenwald; Solberg; Stenehjem; Streibel; Tallackson; Tennefos; Thane; Tomac; Traynor; Vosper; Wogsland; Yockim

ABSENT: Nething

VACANT: District 20 seat

A quorum was declared by the President.

MOTION

SENATOR NELSON MOVED that the Senate provisionally seat the Senator from District 1, which motion lost.

OATH OF OFFICE

SEN. HEIGAARD MOVED that a committee of two be appointed to escort Associate Justice Gerald W. VandeWalle of the Supreme Court of the State of North Dakota to the rostrum for the purpose of administering the Oath of Office to the newly elected Senators, which motion prevailed.

THE PRESIDENT APPOINTED as such committee, Sens. E. Hanson and Nalewaja. Associate Justice VandeWalle was escorted to the rostrum and administered the Oath of Office to the newly elected Senators.

PRAYER

Prayer was offered by Sister Susan Lardy, Annunciation Priory, Bismarck.

DISTRIBUTION OF LEGISLATORS' MATERIALS

Mr. Jay E. Buringrud, Assistant Director of the Legislative Council, explained the legislators' packets and the other materials that were distributed to the desks of the Senate members.

MOTIONS

SEN. HEIGAARD MOVED that the Senate stand in recess until 1:30 p.m., which motion prevailed.

THE SENATE RECONVENED pursuant to recess taken, with President Omdahl presiding.

SEN. NELSON MOVED that the Secretary of the Senate, Desk Reporter, and the Sergeant-at-Arms remain in office until the end of the organizational session, which motion prevailed.

SEN. NELSON MOVED that the Senate and Joint Legislative Rules of the Fifty-first Legislative Assembly, as adopted on Thursday, December 8, 1988, be adopted as the temporary rules of the Senate with the following amendments, which motion prevailed.

The Committee on Employment be changed from five members to six members.

The Committee on Senate and Joint Rules be changed from nine members to ten members.

The Inaugural Planning Committee from three members to four members.

The Committee on Correction and Revision of the Journal from three members to four members.

The Committee on Arrangements for Senate Committee Rooms from three members to two members.

SELECTION OF SENATE SEATS

PRESIDENT OMDAHL ANNOUNCED that Senate seats will be selected according to seniority as follows:

1991
SENATE SENIORITY TABLE
(1991 session not included)

Name	Sessions Served	Total Senate Sessions	Total Legislative Sessions
Lips, Evan E.	1961-63-65-67-69-71-73- 75-77-79-81-83-85-87-89	15	15
Mutch, Duane	1959-61-63-65-67-69-71- 73-75-79-81-83-85-87-89	15	15
Nething, David E.	1967-69-71-73-75-77-79- 81-83-85-87-89	12	12
Redlin, Rolland W.	1959-61-63-73-75-77-79- 81-83-85-87-89	12	12
Thane, Russell T.	1971-73-75-77-79-81-83- 85-87-89	10	10
Naaden, Pete	1973-75-77-79-81-83-85- 87-89	9	9
Peterson, Curtis N.	1973-77-79-81-83-85-87- 89	8	8
Vosper, F. Kent	1975-77-79-81-83-85-87- 89	8	8
Tennefos, Jens	(House 1975)-77-79-81- 83-85-87-89	7	8
Holmberg, Ray	1977-79-81-83-85-87-89	7	7
Nelson, Gary J.	1977-79-81-83-85-87-89	7	7
Tallackson, Harvey D.	1977-79-81-83-85-87-89	7	7
Heinrich, Bonnie	1977-79-[Nov. 81]- 83-85-87-89	6	6
Dotzenrod, James A.	1979-81-83-85-87-89	6	6
Streibel, Bryce	(House 1957-59-63-65-67- 69-71-73)-81-83-85-87- 89	5	13
Stenehjem, Wayne	(House 1977-79)-81-83-85- 87-89	5	7
Moore, Don	(House 1971)-81-83-85-87- 89	5	6
Heigaard, William S.	(House 1981)-[Nov. 81]-83 85-87-89	4	5
David, Ray	1983-85-87-89	4	4
Meyer, Dean	1983-85-87-89	4	4
Satrom, Joseph A.	1983-85-87-89	4	4
Wogsland, Dan	1983-85-87-89	4	4
Mushik, Corliss	(House 1971-75-77-79-81- 83)-85-87-89	3	9
Freborg, Layton	(House 1973-75-79-81)-85- 87-89	3	7
Langley, Byron	(House 1973-75-77-79)-85- 87-89	3	7
Ingstad, Jack	1985-87-89	3	3
Kelsh, Jerome	1985-87-89	3	3
Keller, Joe	(House 1983-85)-87-89	2	4
Nalewaja, Donna	(House 1983-85)-87-89	2	4
Schoenwald, Larry W.	(House 1983)-87-89	2	3
Mathern, Tim	1987-89	2	2
Maxson, Jim	1987-89	2	2
Yockim, Jim	1987-89	2	2
O'Connell, David	(House 1983-85-87)-89	1	4
Hanson, Erwin	1989	1	1
Kinnoin, Meyer	1989	1	1
Krebsbach, Karen K.	1989	1	1
Robinson, Larry	1989	1	1
Kelly, Tish	(House 1975-77-79-81-83- 85-87-89)	0	8

Goetz, William G.	(House 1975-81-83-85-87-89)	0	6
Hanson, Orlin	(House 1981-83-85-87-89)	0	5
Graba, Jayson	(House 1985-87-89)	0	3
Lindgren, Jay	(House 1985-87-89)	0	3
Marks, Dale	(House 1987-89)	0	2
Tomac, Steve	(House 1987-89)	0	2
Bowman, Bill		0	
DeKrey, Duane L.		0	
Evanson, Barb		0	
Jerome, Dan		0	
Krauter, Aaron		0	
Solberg, Ken		0	
Traynor, John T.		0	

PROCEDURAL COMMITTEES

SEN. NELSON MOVED that a committee of two be appointed to notify the Governor and the House that the Senate is organized and ready to transact business, which motion prevailed. The President appointed as such committee, Sens. Kinnoin and Tennefos.

SEN. NELSON MOVED that a committee of six be appointed to act as a Committee on Employment, which motion prevailed. The President appointed as such committee, Sens. Satrom, Kelsch, Tomac, Naaden, Mutch, and DeKrey.

SEN. NELSON MOVED that a committee of ten be appointed to act as a Committee on Senate and Joint Rules, which motion prevailed. The President appointed as such committee, Sens. Wogsland, Redlin, Maxson, O'Connell, Kelly, Nething, Streibel, Holmberg, Nalewaja, and Goetz.

SEN. NELSON MOVED that a committee of four be appointed to act with a like committee from the House as an Inaugural Planning Committee, which motion prevailed. The President appointed as such committee, Sens. E. Hanson, Jerome, David, and Solberg.

SEN. NELSON MOVED that a committee of four be appointed to act as a Committee on Correction and Revision of the Journal, which motion prevailed. The President appointed as such committee, Sens. Robinson, O'Connell, Freborg, and Bowman.

SEN. NELSON MOVED that a committee of two be appointed to act as a Committee on Arrangements for Senate Committee Rooms, which motion prevailed. The President appointed as such committee, Sens. Yockim and Vosper.

MOTIONS

SEN. NELSON MOVED that the absent member be excused, which motion prevailed.

SEN. NELSON MOVED that the Senate stand adjourned until 9.00 a.m, December 5, 1990, which motion prevailed.

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

PATRICIA CONRAD, Secretary