

## JOURNAL OF THE SENATE

## Fifty-fourth Legislative Assembly

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Bismarck, March 1, 1995

The Senate convened at 1:00 p.m., with President Myrdal presiding.

The prayer was offered by Pastor Terry R. Kern, First Evangelical Free Church, Bismarck.

The roll was called and all members were present.

A quorum was declared by the President.

## CORRECTION AND REVISION OF THE JOURNAL

MADAM PRESIDENT: Your Committee on Correction and Revision of the Journal (Sen. Sand, Chairman) has carefully examined the Journals of the Thirty-fourth and Thirty-ninth Days and recommends that they be corrected as follows and when so corrected, recommends that they be approved:

Page 702, line 53, replace "Human Services Committee" with "Sen. Thane"

Page 703, line 17, remove "(Approved by the Delayed Bills Committee)"

Page 782, line 13, remove "SCR 4004"

SEN. SAND MOVED that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed.

## MESSAGE TO THE HOUSE FROM THE SENATE (WILLIAM C. PARKER, SECRETARY)

MR. SPEAKER: The Senate has passed and your favorable consideration is requested on: SCR 4050, SCR 4053.

## MESSAGE TO THE HOUSE FROM THE SENATE (WILLIAM C. PARKER, SECRETARY)

MR. SPEAKER: The Senate has passed unchanged: HB 1024, HB 1078, HB 1087, HB 1098, HB 1122, HB 1130, HB 1140, HB 1280, HB 1304, HB 1403.

## MESSAGE TO THE HOUSE FROM THE SENATE (WILLIAM C. PARKER, SECRETARY)

MR. SPEAKER: The Senate has amended and subsequently passed: HB 1298.

## MESSAGE TO THE HOUSE FROM THE SENATE (WILLIAM C. PARKER, SECRETARY)

MR. SPEAKER: The Senate has amended and subsequently passed: HB 1084, HB 1336.

## MESSAGE TO THE SENATE FROM THE HOUSE (ROY GILBREATH, CHIEF CLERK)

MADAM PRESIDENT: The House has passed and your favorable consideration is requested on: HCR 3040, HCR 3041, HCR 3043.

## MESSAGE TO THE SENATE FROM THE HOUSE (ROY GILBREATH, CHIEF CLERK)

MADAM PRESIDENT: The House has passed and your favorable consideration is requested on: HCR 3038, HCR 3039, HCR 3045.

## MESSAGE TO THE SENATE FROM THE HOUSE (ROY GILBREATH, CHIEF CLERK)

MADAM PRESIDENT: The House has passed unchanged: SB 2107, SB 2108, SB 2117, SB 2138, SB 2139, SB 2145, SB 2148, SB 2156, SB 2157, SB 2167, SB 2175, SB 2178, SB 2196, SB 2205, SB 2208, SCR 4008.

## MESSAGE TO THE HOUSE FROM THE SENATE (WILLIAM C. PARKER, SECRETARY)

MR. SPEAKER: The President has signed and your signature is respectfully requested on: SB 2078, SB 2092, SB 2120, SB 2129, SB 2144, SB 2162, SB 2197, SB 2201, SB 2222, SB 2266, SB 2287, SB 2299, SB 2364, SB 2431, SB 2479, SB 2493, SB 2523.

**MESSAGE TO THE HOUSE FROM THE SENATE (WILLIAM C. PARKER, SECRETARY)**

MR. SPEAKER: The President has signed: HB 1040, HB 1042, HB 1137, HB 1142, HB 1144, HB 1242, HB 1319, HB 1357, HB 1364, HB 1410, HB 1483.

**MESSAGE TO THE SENATE FROM THE HOUSE (ROY GILBREATH, CHIEF CLERK)**

MADAM PRESIDENT: The Speaker has signed and your signature is respectfully requested on: HB 1040, HB 1042, HB 1137, HB 1142, HB 1144, HB 1242, HB 1319, HB 1357, HB 1364, HB 1410, HB 1483.

**MESSAGE TO THE SENATE FROM THE HOUSE (ROY GILBREATH, CHIEF CLERK)**

MADAM PRESIDENT: The Speaker has signed: SB 2124, SB 2189, SB 2191, SB 2199, SB 2333, SCR 4015.

**DELIVERY OF ENROLLED BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS**

The following resolution was delivered to the Secretary of State for his filing at the hour of 8:22 a.m., March 1, 1995: SCR 4004.

**COMMUNICATION FROM GOVERNOR EDWARD T. SCHAFER**

This is to inform you that on March 1, 1995, I signed the following: SB 2032, SB 2048, SB 2119, SB 2125, SB 2126, SB 2153, SB 2165, SB 2168, SB 2169, SB 2184, SB 2185, and SB 2337.

**CONSIDERATION OF AMENDMENTS**

SCR 4049: SEN. MATHERN (Human Services Committee) MOVED that the amendments on SJ page 790 be adopted and then be placed on the Eleventh order with DO PASS, which motion prevailed.

**CONSIDERATION OF AMENDMENTS**

SCR 4058: SEN. YOCKIM (Human Services Committee) MOVED that the amendments on SJ page 790 be adopted and then be placed on the Eleventh order with DO PASS, which motion prevailed.

**CONSIDERATION OF AMENDMENTS**

HB 1094, as engrossed: SEN. TOMAC (Finance and Taxation Committee) MOVED that the amendments on SJ page 791 be adopted and then be placed on the Fourteenth order with DO PASS, which motion prevailed.

**SECOND READING OF SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION**

SCR 4056: A concurrent resolution directing the Legislative Council to study North Dakota's wetlands laws.

The question being on the final adoption of the amended resolution, which has been read, and has committee recommendation of DO PASS.

Engrossed SCR 4056 was declared adopted on a voice vote, and the title was agreed to.

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**SECOND READING OF HOUSE BILL**

HB 1100: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact sections 1-08-04.1, 48-10-01, and 48-10-03 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to duties of the council on the arts and membership and duties of the capitol grounds planning commission; to repeal chapter 48-11 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the capitol arts and historic preservation advisory committee; and to transfer the balance of the capitol arts and historic preservation advisory committee special operating fund to the general fund.

**ROLL CALL**

The question being on the final passage of the amended bill, which has been read, and has committee recommendation of DO PASS, the roll was called and there were 49 YEAS, 0 NAYS, 0 EXCUSED, 0 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING.

**YEAS:** Andrist; Bowman; Christmann; DeMers; Freborg; Goetz; Grindberg; Heinrich; Heitkamp; Holmberg; Kelsh; Kinnoin; Krauter; Krebsbach; Kringstad; LaFountain; Langley; Lee; Lindaas; Lips; Mathern; Mushik; Mutch; Naaden; Nalewaja; Nelson, C.; Nelson, G.; Nething; O'Connell; Redlin; Robinson; Sand; Scherber; Schobinger; Solberg; St. Aubyn; Stenehjem, B.; Stenehjem, W.; Streibel; Tallackson; Tennefos; Thane; Tomac; Traynor; Urlacher; Wanzek; Watne; Wogsland; Yockim

HB 1100, as amended, passed and the title was agreed to.

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#### SECOND READING OF HOUSE BILL

**HB 1044:** A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact sections 15-40.2-04, 15-40.2-05, and 15-40.3-05 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the transportation of students participating in open enrollment and other nonresident students; and to repeal section 15-34.2-02 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to agreements for transportation of nonresident students.

#### ROLL CALL

The question being on the final passage of the bill, which has been read, and has committee recommendation of DO PASS, the roll was called and there were 37 YEAS, 12 NAYS, 0 EXCUSED, 0 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING.

**YEAS:** DeMers; Freborg; Goetz; Grindberg; Heinrich; Heitkamp; Holmberg; Kelsh; Kinnoin; Krebsbach; Kringstad; LaFountain; Langley; Lee; Lindaas; Lips; Mathern; Mushik; Mutch; Naaden; Nalewaja; Nelson, C.; Nelson, G.; Nething; Redlin; Robinson; Sand; Scherber; Schobinger; St. Aubyn; Stenehjem, B.; Stenehjem, W.; Tallackson; Thane; Traynor; Wanzek; Watne; Yockim

**NAYS:** Andrist; Bowman; Christmann; Krauter; O'Connell; Sand; Solberg; Streibel; Tennefos; Tomac; Urlacher; Wogsland

HB 1044 passed and the title was agreed to.

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#### SECOND READING OF HOUSE BILL

**HB 1109:** A BILL for an Act to change crime victims reparations to crime victims compensation; and to amend and reenact section 54-23.4-05 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the restitution and gift fund.

#### ROLL CALL

The question being on the final passage of the bill, which has been read, and has committee recommendation of DO PASS, the roll was called and there were 49 YEAS, 0 NAYS, 0 EXCUSED, 0 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING.

**YEAS:** Andrist; Bowman; Christmann; DeMers; Freborg; Goetz; Grindberg; Heinrich; Heitkamp; Holmberg; Kelsh; Kinnoin; Krauter; Krebsbach; Kringstad; LaFountain; Langley; Lee; Lindaas; Lips; Mathern; Mushik; Mutch; Naaden; Nalewaja; Nelson, C.; Nelson, G.; Nething; O'Connell; Redlin; Robinson; Sand; Scherber; Schobinger; Solberg; St. Aubyn; Stenehjem, B.; Stenehjem, W.; Streibel; Tallackson; Tennefos; Thane; Tomac; Traynor; Urlacher; Wanzek; Watne; Wogsland; Yockim

HB 1109 passed and the title was agreed to.

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#### SECOND READING OF HOUSE BILL

**HB 1202:** A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact subsection 15 of section 57-02-08 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the farm

buildings property tax exemption as it applies to producers of nontraditional livestock; and to provide an effective date.

#### ROLL CALL

The question being on the final passage of the bill, which has been read, and has committee recommendation of DO PASS, the roll was called and there were 45 YEAS, 4 NAYS, 0 EXCUSED, 0 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING.

**YEAS:** Andrist; Bowman; Christmann; DeMers; Freborg; Goetz; Heitkamp; Kelsh; Kinnoin; Krauter; Krebsbach; Kringstad; LaFountain; Langley; Lee; Lindaas; Lips; Mathern; Mushik; Mutch; Naaden; Nalewaja; Nelson, G.; Nething; O'Connell; Redlin; Robinson; Sand; Scherber; Schobinger; Solberg; St. Aubyn; Stenehjem, B.; Stenehjem, W.; Streibel; Tallackson; Tennefos; Thane; Tomac; Traynor; Urlacher; Wanzek; Watne; Wogsland; Yockim

**NAYS:** Grindberg; Heinrich; Holmberg; Nelson, C.

HB 1202 passed and the title was agreed to.

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#### SECOND READING OF HOUSE BILL

**HB 1262:** A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new section to chapter 11-15 and a new section to chapter 12-60 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to duties of sheriffs and the bureau of criminal investigation with respect to protection and restraining orders.

#### ROLL CALL

The question being on the final passage of the bill, which has been read, and has committee recommendation of DO PASS, the roll was called and there were 49 YEAS, 0 NAYS, 0 EXCUSED, 0 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING.

**YEAS:** Andrist; Bowman; Christmann; DeMers; Freborg; Goetz; Grindberg; Heinrich; Heitkamp; Holmberg; Kelsh; Kinnoin; Krauter; Krebsbach; Kringstad; LaFountain; Langley; Lee; Lindaas; Lips; Mathern; Mushik; Mutch; Naaden; Nalewaja; Nelson, C.; Nelson, G.; Nething; O'Connell; Redlin; Robinson; Sand; Scherber; Schobinger; Solberg; St. Aubyn; Stenehjem, B.; Stenehjem, W.; Streibel; Tallackson; Tennefos; Thane; Tomac; Traynor; Urlacher; Wanzek; Watne; Wogsland; Yockim

Engrossed HB 1262 passed and the title was agreed to.

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#### SECOND READING OF HOUSE BILL

**HB 1333:** A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact subsection 1 of section 57-15-06.3 and subsection 17 of section 57-15-06.7 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the tax levy for county road programs of farm-to-market and federal-aid roads.

#### ROLL CALL

The question being on the final passage of the bill, which has been read, and has committee recommendation of DO PASS, the roll was called and there were 45 YEAS, 4 NAYS, 0 EXCUSED, 0 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING.

**YEAS:** Andrist; Bowman; Christmann; DeMers; Goetz; Grindberg; Heinrich; Heitkamp; Holmberg; Kelsh; Kinnoin; Krauter; Krebsbach; Kringstad; LaFountain; Langley; Lee; Lindaas; Lips; Mathern; Mushik; Mutch; Nalewaja; Nelson, C.; Nelson, G.; Nething; Redlin; Robinson; Sand; Scherber; Schobinger; Solberg; St. Aubyn; Stenehjem, B.; Stenehjem, W.; Tallackson; Tennefos; Thane; Tomac; Traynor; Urlacher; Wanzek; Watne; Wogsland; Yockim

**NAYS:** Freborg; Naaden; O'Connell; Streibel

HB 1333 passed and the title was agreed to.

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**SECOND READING OF HOUSE BILL**

**HB 1348:** A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new section to chapter 15-41 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the approval of nonpublic high schools; and to amend and reenact subsection 1 of section 15-34.1-03 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to compulsory attendance.

**ROLL CALL**

The question being on the final passage of the bill, which has been read, and has committee recommendation of DO PASS, the roll was called and there were 47 YEAS, 2 NAYS, 0 EXCUSED, 0 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING.

**YEAS:** Andrist; Bowman; Christmann; DeMers; Freborg; Goetz; Grindberg; Heinrich; Heitkamp; Holmberg; Kelsh; Kinnoin; Krauter; Krebsbach; Kringstad; LaFountain; Langley; Lee; Lindaas; Lips; Mathern; Mushik; Mutch; Naaden; Nalewaja; Nelson, C.; Nelson, G.; Nething; O'Connell; Redlin; Robinson; Scherber; Schobinger; Solberg; St. Aubyn; Stenehjem, B.; Stenehjem, W.; Streibel; Tallackson; Thane; Tomac; Traynor; Urlacher; Wanzek; Watne; Wogsland; Yockim

**NAYS:** Sand; Tennefos

Engrossed HB 1348 passed and the title was agreed to.

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**MOTION**

**SEN. GOETZ MOVED** that the Senate be on the Fifth, Thirteenth, and Sixteenth orders of business and at the conclusion of those orders, the Senate stand adjourned until 1:00 p.m., Thursday, March 2, 1995, which motion prevailed.

**REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE**

**SCR 4060:** Human Services Committee (Sen. Thane, Chairman) recommends AMENDMENTS AS FOLLOWS and when so amended, recommends DO PASS (7 YEAS, 0 NAYS, 0 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING). SCR 4060 was placed on the Sixth order on the calendar.

Page 1, line 2, replace "sexual" with "sex"

Page 1, line 3, replace "sexual" with "sex"

Page 1, line 5, replace "sexual" with "sex"

Page 1, line 7, replace "sexual" with "sex"

Page 1, line 10, replace "sexual" with "sex"

Page 1, line 11, replace "sexual" with "sex"

Page 1, line 14, replace "sexual" with "sex"

Page 1, line 18, replace "sexual" with "sex"

Page 1, line 20, replace "sexual" with "sex"

Renumber accordingly

**REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE**

**HB 1047,** as engrossed: Education Committee (Sen. Freborg, Chairman)

recommends DO PASS (5 YEAS, 2 NAYS, 0 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING). Engrossed HB 1047 was placed on the Fourteenth order on the calendar.

#### REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE

HB 1069, as engrossed: Judiciary Committee (Sen. W. Stenehjem, Chairman) recommends AMENDMENTS AS FOLLOWS and when so amended, recommends DO PASS (5 YEAS, 0 NAYS, 0 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING). Engrossed HB 1069 was placed on the Sixth order on the calendar for immediate second reading.

Page 1, line 1, after "Act" insert "to create and enact a new section to chapter 14-03 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to surnames; and" and after "14-03-10" insert "and subsection 3 of section 14-03-17"

Page 1, line 2, after "requirements" insert "and applications"

Page 1, after line 21, insert:

"SECTION 2. AMENDMENT. Subsection 3 of section 14-03-17 of the 1993 Supplement to the North Dakota Century Code is amended and reenacted as follows:

3. Each application for a marriage license must also contain a statement ~~to the following effect:~~

#### NOTICE TO APPLICANTS

- a. ~~Every person has the right to adopt any surname by which that person wishes to be known by using that surname consistently and without intent to defraud.~~
- b. ~~A person's surname does not automatically change upon marriage. Neither party to the marriage must change the party's surname. Parties to a marriage need not have the same surname.~~
- c. ~~One party or both parties to a marriage may elect to change the surname by which that party wishes to be known after the solemnization of the marriage by entering the new surname in the space below. The entry must consist of one of the following surnames:~~
  - (1) ~~The surname of the other spouse;~~
  - (2) ~~Any former surname of either spouse;~~
  - (3) ~~A name combining into a single surname all or a segment of the premarriage surname or any former surname of either spouse; or~~
  - (4) ~~A combination name separated by a hyphen, provided that each part of the combination surname is the premarriage surname or a former surname of either spouse.~~
- d. ~~Use of the option under subdivision c has the effect of providing a record of the surname change. The marriage certificate containing the new surname, if any, constitutes proof that the use of the new surname, or the retention of the former surname, is lawful.~~
- e. ~~Neither the use of nor the failure to use the option of selecting a new surname by means of this application, as provided in subdivision c, abrogates the right of either party to adopt a different surname through usage at a future date.~~

(Optional) — Enter new surname above)

regarding surname options which is consistent with section 3 of this Act.

SECTION 3. A new section to chapter 14-03 of the North Dakota Century Code is created and enacted as follows:

Surname options.

1. Every person has the right to adopt any surname by which that person wishes to be known by using that surname consistently and without intent to defraud.
2. A person's surname does not automatically change upon marriage. Neither party to the marriage must change the party's surname. Parties to a marriage need not have the same surname.
3. One party or both parties to a marriage may elect to change the surname by which that party wishes to be known after the solemnization of the marriage by entering the new surname in the space provided on the marriage license application. The entry on the application must consist of one of the following surnames:
  - a. The surname of the other spouse;
  - b. Any former surname of either spouse;
  - c. A name combining into a single surname all or a segment of the premarriage surname or any former surname of either spouse; or
  - d. A combination name separated by a hyphen, provided that each part of the combination surname is the premarriage surname or former surname of either spouse.
4. Use of the option under subsection 3 has the effect of providing a record of the surname change. The marriage certificate containing the new surname, if any, constitutes proof that the use of the new surname, or the retention of the former surname, is lawful.
5. Neither the use of nor the failure to use the option of selecting a new surname by means of a marriage license application, as provided in subsection 3, abrogates the right of either party to adopt a different surname through usage at a future date.
6. Compliance with the surname provisions of this section is sufficient to meet the satisfactory evidence requirements of section 39-06-07.1."

Renumber accordingly

REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE

HB 1110: Judiciary Committee (Sen. W. Stenehjem, Chairman) recommends DO PASS (5 YEAS, 0 NAYS, 0 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING). HB 1110 was placed on the Fourteenth order on the calendar.

REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE

HB 1111, as engrossed: Judiciary Committee (Sen. W. Stenehjem, Chairman)

recommends DO PASS (5 YEAS, 0 NAYS, 0 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING). Engrossed HB 1111 was placed on the Fourteenth order on the calendar.

REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE

HB 1162, as engrossed: Human Services Committee (Sen. Thane, Chairman) recommends DO PASS (6 YEAS, 0 NAYS, 1 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING). Engrossed HB 1162 was placed on the Fourteenth order on the calendar.

REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE

HB 1189, as engrossed: Education Committee (Sen. Freborg, Chairman) recommends AMENDMENTS AS FOLLOWS and when so amended, recommends DO PASS (7 YEAS, 0 NAYS, 0 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING). Engrossed HB 1189 was placed on the Sixth order on the calendar.

Page 1, line 19, remove "school-sponsored"

Page 1, line 20, after "institution" insert "approved by and under the control of the school board"

Renumber accordingly

REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE

HB 1193: Finance and Taxation Committee (Sen. Tennesfos, Chairman) recommends DO PASS (7 YEAS, 0 NAYS, 0 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING). HB 1193 was placed on the Fourteenth order on the calendar.

REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE

HB 1237: Transportation Committee (Sen. B. Stenehjem, Chairman) recommends DO PASS (7 YEAS, 0 NAYS, 0 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING). HB 1237 was placed on the Fourteenth order on the calendar.

REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE

HB 1244, as engrossed: Judiciary Committee (Sen. W. Stenehjem, Chairman) recommends AMENDMENTS AS FOLLOWS and when so amended, recommends DO PASS (5 YEAS, 0 NAYS, 0 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING). Engrossed HB 1244 was placed on the Sixth order on the calendar.

Page 1, line 10, after "confidentiality" insert "that convinces the issuing magistrate that limited confidentiality is necessary for the safety of the law enforcement officer or to enable the warrant to be properly served"

Page 1, line 18, after "confidentiality" insert "that convinces the issuing magistrate that limited confidentiality is necessary for the safety of the law enforcement officer or to enable the warrant to be properly served"

Renumber accordingly

REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE

HB 1275, as engrossed: Finance and Taxation Committee (Sen. Tennesfos, Chairman) recommends AMENDMENTS AS FOLLOWS and when so amended, recommends DO PASS (7 YEAS, 0 NAYS, 0 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING). Engrossed HB 1275 was placed on the Sixth order on the calendar.

Page 2, line 24, replace "all of the" with "any other" and after "districts" insert "that wish to enter the agreement"

Renumber accordingly

REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE

HB 1283: Human Services Committee (Sen. Thane, Chairman) recommends DO PASS (6 YEAS, 0 NAYS, 1 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING). HB 1283 was placed on the Fourteenth order on the calendar.



## REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE

HB 1351: Education Committee (Sen. Freborg, Chairman) recommends DO PASS (7 YEAS, 0 NAYS, 0 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING). HB 1351 was placed on the Fourteenth order on the calendar.

## REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE

HB 1359: Finance and Taxation Committee (Sen. Tennefos, Chairman) recommends DO PASS (7 YEAS, 0 NAYS, 0 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING). HB 1359 was placed on the Fourteenth order on the calendar.

## REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE

HB 1371: Judiciary Committee (Sen. W. Stenehjem, Chairman) recommends AMENDMENTS AS FOLLOWS and when so amended, recommends DO PASS (5 YEAS, 0 NAYS, 0 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING). HB 1371 was placed on the Sixth order on the calendar.

Page 1, line 11, after the third comma insert "or" and replace ", or" with ",  
The term also includes"

Renumber accordingly

## REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE

HB 1433: Education Committee (Sen. Freborg, Chairman) recommends DO PASS (7 YEAS, 0 NAYS, 0 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING). HB 1433 was placed on the Fourteenth order on the calendar.

## FIRST READING OF HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTIONS

HCR 3038: A concurrent resolution directing the Legislative Council to study the extent of elementary and high school student participation in school-sanctioned extracurricular activities, the effect of extracurricular activities on the education of individual students and on teachers and administrators, and the financial impact of extracurricular activities on school district budgets.  
Was read the first time and referred to the Education Committee.

HCR 3039: A concurrent resolution directing the Legislative Council to study the feasibility and desirability of establishing four major regional air transportation terminals in the state and of developing a system of intrastate commuter air and ground transportation to serve those regional facilities.  
Was read the first time and referred to the Transportation Committee.

HCR 3040: A concurrent resolution directing the Legislative Council to study the feasibility and desirability of merging the State Gaming Commission and the State Racing Commission into a single commission.  
Was read the first time and referred to the Judiciary Committee.

HCR 3041: A concurrent resolution directing the Legislative Council to study the state's wetlands laws and related issues.  
Was read the first time and referred to the Agriculture Committee.

HCR 3043: A concurrent resolution directing the Legislative Council to study the legislative environment and process.  
Was read the first time and referred to the Government and Veterans Affairs Committee.

HCR 3045: A concurrent resolution directing the Legislative Council to study the responsibilities of county social service agencies as they are distinguished from the responsibilities of regional human service centers and the Department of Human Services.  
Was read the first time and referred to the Human Services Committee.

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

William C. Parker, Secretary