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Bismarck, January 11, 1999

The House convened at 9:00 a.m., with Speaker Wald presiding.

The prayer was offered by Father Phil Ackerman, Holy Spirit Church, Fargo.

The roll was called and all members were present except Representative DeKrey.

A quorum was declared by the Speaker.

THE HOUSE RECOGNIZED THE PRESENCE OF:

Former Representative Grant Brown

SECOND READING OF HOUSE BILL

HB 1117: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 57-28-21 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to notice to the office of management and budget of cancellation of real property taxes and special assessments.

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 97 YEAS, 0 NAYS, 0 EXCUSED, 1 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING.

YEAS: Aarsvold; Belter; Berg; Bernstein; Boehm; Boucher; Brandenburg; Brekke; Brusegaard; Byerly; Carlisle; Carlson; Clark; Cleary; Dalrymple; Delmore; Delzer; Devlin; Disrud; Dorso; Drovdal; Eckre; Ekstrom; Fairfield; Froelich; Froseth; Galvin; Glassheim; Gorder; Grande; Grosz; Grumbo; Gulleson; Gunter; Haas; Hanson; Hawken; Henegar; Herbel; Hoffner; Huether; Jensen; Johnson, D.; Johnson, N.; Keiser; Kelsch, R.; Kelsh, S.; Kempenich; Kerzman; Klein; Klemin; Kliniske; Koppang; Koppelman; Kroeber; Lemieux; Lloyd; Lundgren; Mahoney; Maragos; Martinson; Metcalf; Meyer; Mickelson; Monson; Mueller; Nelson; Nicholas; Nichols; Niemeier; Nottestad; Nowatzki; Pollert; Poolman; Porter; Price; Renner; Rennerfeldt; Rose; Sandvig; Schmidt; Severson; Solberg; Stefonowicz; Svedjan; Sveen; Thoreson, B.; Thoreson, L.; Thorpe; Timm; Tollefson; Warner; Weisz; Wentz; Wikenheiser; Winrich; Speaker Wald

ABSENT AND NOT VOTING: DeKrey

HB 1117 passed and the title was agreed to.

SECOND READING OF HOUSE BILL

HB 1119: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact subsection 1 of section 50-06-01.2 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to birth reports; and to repeal chapter 50-20 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to reporting of out-of-wedlock births and births of children with visible congenital deformities.

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 97 YEAS, 0 NAYS, 0 EXCUSED, 1 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING.

YEAS: Aarsvold; Belter; Berg; Bernstein; Boehm; Boucher; Brandenburg; Brekke; Brusegaard; Byerly; Carlisle; Carlson; Clark; Cleary; Dalrymple; Delmore; Delzer; Devlin; Disrud; Dorso; Drovdal; Eckre; Ekstrom; Fairfield; Froelich; Froseth; Galvin; Glassheim; Gorder; Grande; Grosz; Grumbo; Gulleson; Gunter; Haas; Hanson; Hawken; Henegar; Herbel; Hoffner; Huether; Jensen; Johnson, D.; Johnson, N.; Keiser; Kelsch, R.; Kelsh, S.; Kempenich; Kerzman; Klein; Klemin; Kliniske; Koppang; Koppelman; Kroeber; Lemieux; Lloyd; Lundgren; Mahoney; Maragos; Martinson; Metcalf; Meyer; Mickelson; Monson; Mueller; Nelson; Nicholas; Nichols; Niemeier; Nottestad; Nowatzki; Pollert; Poolman; Porter; Price; Renner; Rennerfeldt; Rose; Sandvig; Schmidt; Severson; Solberg;

Stefonowicz; Svedjan; Sveen; Thoreson, B.; Thoreson, L.; Thorpe; Timm; Tollefson; Warner; Weisz; Wentz; Wikenheiser; Winrich; Speaker Wald

ABSENT AND NOT VOTING: DeKrey

HB 1119 passed and the title was agreed to.

SECOND READING OF HOUSE BILL

HB 1125: A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new subsection to section 54-06-04 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to biennial agency reports submitted to the secretary of state; and to amend and reenact subsection 4 of section 54-06-04 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to biennial reports submitted to the state archivist.

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 98 YEAS, 0 NAYS, 0 EXCUSED, 0 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING.

YEAS: Aarsvold; Belter; Berg; Bernstein; Boehm; Boucher; Brandenburg; Brekke; Brusegaard; Byerly; Carlisle; Carlson; Clark; Cleary; Dalrymple; DeKrey; Delmore; Delzer; Devlin; Disrud; Dorso; Drovdal; Eckre; Ekstrom; Fairfield; Froelich; Froseth; Galvin; Glassheim; Gorder; Grande; Grosz; Grumbo; Gulleson; Gunter; Haas; Hanson; Hawken; Henegar; Herbel; Hoffner; Huether; Jensen; Johnson, D.; Johnson, N.; Keiser; Kelsch, R.; Kelsh, S.; Kempenich; Kerzman; Klein; Klemin; Kliniske; Koppang; Koppelman; Kroeber; Lemieux; Lloyd; Lundgren; Mahoney; Maragos; Martinson; Metcalf; Meyer; Mickelson; Monson; Mueller; Nelson; Nicholas; Nichols; Niemeier; Nottestad; Nowatzki; Pollert; Poolman; Porter; Price; Renner; Rennerfeldt; Rose; Sandvig; Schmidt; Severson; Solberg; Stefonowicz; Svedjan; Sveen; Thoreson, B.; Thoreson, L.; Thorpe; Timm; Tollefson; Warner; Weisz; Wentz; Wikenheiser; Winrich; Speaker Wald

HB 1125 passed and the title was agreed to.

SECOND READING OF HOUSE BILL

HB 1126: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact sections 44-06-11 and 44-06-13.1 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to filing of notice of revocation of a notary commission and prohibited acts of a notary public.

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 97 YEAS, 0 NAYS, 0 EXCUSED, 1 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING.

YEAS: Aarsvold; Belter; Berg; Bernstein; Boehm; Boucher; Brandenburg; Brekke; Brusegaard; Byerly; Carlisle; Carlson; Clark; Cleary; Dalrymple; DeKrey; Delmore; Delzer; Devlin; Disrud; Dorso; Drovdal; Eckre; Ekstrom; Fairfield; Froelich; Froseth; Galvin; Glassheim; Gorder; Grande; Grosz; Grumbo; Gulleson; Gunter; Haas; Hanson; Hawken; Henegar; Herbel; Hoffner; Huether; Jensen; Johnson, D.; Johnson, N.; Keiser; Kelsch, R.; Kelsh, S.; Kempenich; Kerzman; Klein; Klemin; Kliniske; Koppang; Koppelman; Kroeber; Lemieux; Lloyd; Lundgren; Mahoney; Maragos; Martinson; Metcalf; Meyer; Mickelson; Monson; Mueller; Nelson; Nicholas; Nichols; Niemeier; Nottestad; Nowatzki; Pollert; Poolman; Porter; Price; Renner; Rennerfeldt; Rose; Sandvig; Schmidt; Severson; Solberg; Stefonowicz; Svedjan; Sveen; Thoreson, B.; Thorpe; Timm; Tollefson; Warner; Weisz; Wentz; Wikenheiser; Winrich; Speaker Wald

ABSENT AND NOT VOTING: Thoreson, L.

HB 1126 passed and the title was agreed to.

MOTION

REP. KOPPELMAN MOVED that the House reconsider its action whereby HB 1080 passed, which motion prevailed.

MOTION

REP. DORSO MOVED that HB 1080 be placed at the bottom of the calendar, which motion prevailed.

SECOND READING OF HOUSE BILL

HB 1079: A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new subsection to section 39-03-09 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the powers of the highway patrol.

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 97 YEAS, 0 NAYS, 0 EXCUSED, 1 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING.

YEAS: Aarsvold; Belter; Berg; Bernstein; Boehm; Boucher; Brandenburg; Brekke; Brusegaard; Byerly; Carlisle; Carlson; Clark; Cleary; Dalrymple; DeKrey; Delmore; Delzer; Devlin; Disrud; Dorso; Drovdal; Eckre; Ekstrom; Fairfield; Froelich; Froseth; Galvin; Glassheim; Gorder; Grande; Grosz; Grumbo; Gulleson; Gunter; Haas; Hanson; Hawken; Henegar; Herbel; Hoffner; Huether; Jensen; Johnson, D.; Johnson, N.; Keiser; Kelsch, R.; Kelsh, S.; Kempenich; Kerzman; Klein; Klemin; Kliniske; Koppang; Koppelman; Kroeber; Lemieux; Lloyd; Lundgren; Mahoney; Maragos; Martinson; Metcalf; Meyer; Mickelson; Monson; Mueller; Nelson; Nicholas; Nichols; Niemeier; Nottestad; Nowatzki; Pollert; Poolman; Porter; Price; Renner; Rennerfeldt; Rose; Sandvig; Schmidt; Severson; Solberg; Stefonowicz; Svedjan; Sveen; Thoreson, B.; Thoreson, L.; Thorpe; Timm; Tollefson; Warner; Weisz; Wentz; Wikenheiser; Winrich

ABSENT AND NOT VOTING: Speaker Wald

HB 1079 passed and the title was agreed to.

SECOND READING OF HOUSE BILL

HB 1086: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact subdivision f of subsection 3 of section 38-14.1-30 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to persons presiding at surface coal mining permit application conferences.

ROLL CALL

The question being on the passage of the bill, which has been read, and has committee recommendation of DO PASS, the roll was called and there were 98 YEAS, 0 NAYS, 0 EXCUSED, 0 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING.

YEAS: Aarsvold; Belter; Berg; Bernstein; Boehm; Boucher; Brandenburg; Brekke; Brusegaard; Byerly; Carlisle; Carlson; Clark; Cleary; Dalrymple; DeKrey; Delmore; Delzer; Devlin; Disrud; Dorso; Drovdal; Eckre; Ekstrom; Fairfield; Froelich; Froseth; Galvin; Glassheim; Gorder; Grande; Grosz; Grumbo; Gulleson; Gunter; Haas; Hanson; Hawken; Henegar; Herbel; Hoffner; Huether; Jensen; Johnson, D.; Johnson, N.; Keiser; Kelsch, R.; Kelsh, S.; Kempenich; Kerzman; Klein; Klemin; Kliniske; Koppang; Koppelman; Kroeber; Lemieux; Lloyd; Lundgren; Mahoney; Maragos; Martinson; Metcalf; Meyer; Mickelson; Monson; Mueller; Nelson; Nicholas; Nichols; Niemeier; Nottestad; Nowatzki; Pollert; Poolman; Porter; Price; Renner; Rennerfeldt; Rose; Sandvig; Schmidt; Severson; Solberg; Stefonowicz; Svedjan; Sveen; Thoreson, B.; Thoreson, L.; Thorpe; Timm; Tollefson; Warner; Weisz; Wentz; Wikenheiser; Winrich; Speaker Wald

HB 1086 passed and the title was agreed to.

SECOND READING OF HOUSE BILL

HB 1124: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 16.1-11-27 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to name rotation on ballots; and to repeal section 16.1-11-28 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to piling, cutting, and blocking ballots.

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 96 YEAS, 2 NAYS, 0 EXCUSED, 0 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING.

YEAS: Aarsvold; Belter; Berg; Bernstein; Boehm; Boucher; Brandenburg; Brekke; Brusegaard; Byerly; Carlisle; Carlson; Clark; Cleary; Dalrymple; DeKrey; Delmore; Delzer; Devlin; Disrud; Dorso; Drovdal; Eckre; Ekstrom; Fairfield; Froelich; Froseth; Galvin; Glassheim;

Gorder; Grande; Grosz; Grumbo; Gulleson; Gunter; Haas; Hanson; Hawken; Henegar; Herbel; Hoffner; Huether; Jensen; Johnson, D.; Johnson, N.; Keiser; Kelsch, R.; Kelsh, S.; Kempenich; Kerzman; Klemin; Koppang; Koppelman; Kroeber; Lemieux; Lloyd; Lundgren; Mahoney; Maragos; Martinson; Metcalf; Meyer; Mickelson; Monson; Mueller; Nelson; Nicholas; Nichols; Niemeier; Nottestad; Nowatzki; Pollert; Poolman; Porter; Price; Renner; Rennerfeldt; Rose; Sandvig; Schmidt; Severson; Solberg; Stefonowicz; Svedjan; Sveen; Thoreson, B.; Thoreson, L.; Thorpe; Timm; Tollefson; Warner; Weisz; Wentz; Wikenheiser; Winrich; Speaker Wald

NAYS: Klein; Kliniske

HB 1124 passed and the title was agreed to.

MOTION

REP. MONSON MOVED that the absent member be excused, which motion prevailed.

MOTION

REP. MONSON MOVED that the House be on the Fifth, Ninth, and Twelfth orders of business and at the conclusion of those orders, the House stand adjourned until 9:00 a.m., Tuesday, January 12, 1999, which motion prevailed.

REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE

HB 1054: Finance and Taxation Committee (Rep. Belter, Chairman) recommends DO PASS (15 YEAS, 0 NAYS, 0 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING). HB 1054 was placed on the Eleventh order on the calendar.

REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE

HB 1066: Government and Veterans Affairs Committee (Rep. Klein, Chairman) recommends AMENDMENTS AS FOLLOWS and when so amended, recommends DO PASS (15 YEAS, 0 NAYS, 0 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING). HB 1066 was placed on the Sixth order on the calendar.

Page 2, line 8, replace "Perform an audit of" with "Be vested with the authority to determine whether to audit"

Renumber accordingly

REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE

HB 1138: Education Committee (Rep. R. Kelsch, Chairman) recommends DO PASS (15 YEAS, 0 NAYS, 0 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING). HB 1138 was placed on the Eleventh order on the calendar.

FIRST READING OF HOUSE BILLS

Reps. Grande, Cleary, Martinson, Winrich and Sens. Kringstad, Tallackson introduced:

HB 1228: 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 state employee compensation legislation.

Was read the first time and referred to the Government and Veterans Affairs Committee.

Reps. Gorder, Herbel and Sen. Tallackson introduced:

HB 1229: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 39-12-05.3 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to weight limitations for vehicles on highways that are not in the interstate system.

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

Reps. Carlson. Grosz introduced:

HB 1230: A BILL for an Act relating to the spending authority from the highway tax distribution fund or highway fund by the highway patrol.

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

Reps. Hoffner, Aarsvold, Nowatzki and Sen. Kelsh introduced:

HB 1231: A BILL for an Act to provide for contingent per student payments; and to declare an emergency.

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

Reps. Rose, Hoffner and Sen. Mutzenberger introduced:

HB 1232: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 65-04-15 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to confidentiality of workers' compensation employer's reports.

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

Rep. R. Kelsch introduced:

HB 1233: A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new section to chapter 15-54 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to training for school food service personnel; and to repeal section 15-54-08 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to health certificates for school food service personnel.

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

Rep. Klemin introduced:

HB 1234: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 27-09.1-05.1 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to selection of jurors from a judicial district.

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

Rep. Klemin introduced:

HB 1235: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 40-18-22 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to continuing education for municipal judges.

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

Reps. Mahoney, Boehm, R. Kelsch and Sens. O'Connell, Traynor introduced:

HB 1236: A BILL for an Act to provide for the sharing of costs upon the discovery of a cultural resource during highway construction or maintenance.

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

Rep. Klemin introduced:

HB 1237: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 29-17-11 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to forming a jury; and to repeal section 29-17-09 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to completing a jury panel.

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

Rep. Klemin introduced:

HB 1238: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact sections 26.1-12-06, 26.1-12-14, 26.1-12-16, and subsection 3 of section 28-22-03.1 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to mutual insurance company bylaws, domestic mutual insurance company voting, and absolute exemptions of Roth individual retirement accounts in process, levy, and sale proceedings.

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

Reps. Byerly, Grande introduced:

HB 1239: A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new section to chapter 15-36 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to grounds for revocation of a teaching certificate; and to amend and reenact sections 15-36-01 and 15-36-15 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to teaching certificates.

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

Rep. Byerly introduced:

HB 1240: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact subsections 20 and 22 of section 57-02-08 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to property tax exemptions for disabled and blind persons; and to provide an effective date.

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

Rep. Byerly introduced:

HB 1241: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 20.1-03-17 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to disposition of game and fish license service fees collected by county auditors.

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

Reps. Porter, R. Kelsch, Severson and Sens. Cook, Kilzer introduced:

HB 1242: A BILL for an Act to provide automated external defibrillator site requirements and civil liability immunity for the use of an automated external defibrillator.

Was read the first time and referred to the Human Services Committee.

Reps. L. Thoreson, Mahoney and Sens. Krebsbach, Traynor introduced:

HB 1243: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact subsection 1 of section 6-08-16 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to issuing a check without sufficient funds; to provide a penalty; and to declare an emergency.

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

Reps. Kempenich, Devlin, Meyer and Sen. Schobinger introduced:

HB 1244: A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new section to chapter 20.1-02 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to reimbursement of landowners for damage caused by

hunters; and to amend and reenact section 20.1-02-25 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to duties of the game and fish advisory board; and to provide a continuing appropriation.

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

Reps. Kempenich, Dorso, Grosz, Kerzman, Weisz and Sens. Christmann, Klein introduced:

HB 1245: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact sections 39-04-08, 39-04-10.4, and 39-04-11 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to number plates.

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

Reps. Kempenich, Drovdal, Froelich, Koppang, Meyer and Sen. Wardner introduced:

HB 1246: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 20.1-01-17 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to posting of lands to prohibit hunting.

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

Rep. Glassheim introduced:

HB 1247: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 40-23-07 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to inspection of special assessment property.

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

Reps. DeKrey, Weisz introduced:

HB 1248: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 61-32-03 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to drainage of sheetwater.

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

Reps. DeKrey, Weisz introduced:

HB 1249: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact subsection 3 of section 10-06.1-10 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to approval of farmland or ranchland acquisitions by nonprofit organizations.

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

Reps. DeKrey, Weisz introduced:

HB 1250: A BILL for an Act to authorize the reorganization of certain school districts.

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

Rep. DeKrey introduced:

HB 1251: A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new subsection to section 58-03-07 and a new section to chapter 58-03 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to imposition of assessments by townships against property in the township for road and bridge degradation caused by activities of the owner of the property.

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

Reps. Brandenburg, Froseth, D. Johnson, Pollert and Sens. Klein, Wanzek introduced:

HB 1252: A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new section to chapter 4-35 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the sale and use of agricultural chemicals registered in Canada.

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

Reps. Gulleson, Drovdal and Sen. Kelsh introduced:

HB 1253: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact subsection 3 of section 15-40.1-06 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the school district equalization factor.

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

Reps. Hoffner, Nowatzki and Sen. O'Connell introduced:

HB 1254: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact subsection 2 of section 15-40.1-06 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to per student payments.

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

Reps. Wald, Berg, Porter and Sens. Klein, Mutch, Tallackson introduced:

HB 1255: A BILL for an Act to provide a self-critical insurance analysis privilege.

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

Reps. Monson, D. Johnson, Nichols and Sens. Heitkamp, Sand, Thane introduced:

HB 1256: A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new section to chapter 63-01.1 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the designation of industrial hemp as a noxious weed; and to amend and reenact subsection 13 of section 4-09-01 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the definition of noxious weed seeds.

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

Reps. Wald, Grande, Klein and Sens. Grindberg, Krebsbach, Wardner introduced:

HB 1257: A BILL for an Act to create and enact chapter 54-52.6 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to a defined contribution retirement plan for nonclassified state employees; to amend and reenact subsection 3 of section 54-52-01, section 54-52-26, and subsection 1 of section 54-52.1-03.2 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to definitions, confidentiality of records, and retiree health benefit fund contributions under the public employees retirement system; to repeal section 54-52-02.5 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to newly appointed officials as members of the public employees retirement system; to provide a penalty; and to provide an effective date.

Was read the first time and referred to the Government and Veterans Affairs Committee.

Reps. Aarsvold, DeKrey, Poolman and Sens. DeMers, Holmberg, Schobinger introduced:

HB 1258: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact subdivisions I and r of subsection 1 of section 57-38-01.2 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the maximum individual long-form income tax deduction for military and federal retirement benefits; and to provide an effective date.

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

Reps. Berg, Carlson, Keiser, Wald introduced:

HB 1259: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact subsection 1 of section 21-10-01 and section 65-04-02 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the membership of the state investment board and to workers' compensation reserves.

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

Rep. Keiser and Sen. Krebsbach introduced:

HB 1260: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact sections 5-04-02, 5-04-04, subsection 1 of section 5-04-07, sections 5-04-08, and 5-04-13 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to beer wholesaler and brewer relationships.

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

Reps. Hoffner, Cleary introduced:

HB 1261: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 65-02-03.1 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to workers compensation board of directors composition.

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

Rep. Hoffner and Sen. DeMers introduced:

HB 1262: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 65-05-09.3 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the presumption of retirement for workers' compensation purposes; and to repeal section 65-05-09.4 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to workers' compensation benefits for retired injured workers.

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

Rep. Mahoney and Sen. Mutzenberger introduced:

HB 1263: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact sections 62-02-08, 65-02-15, subsection 1 of 65-05.1-06.1, and section 65-10-03 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to workers compensation attorney fees.

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

Reps. Gulleson, Hoffner and Sen. Kelsh introduced:

HB 1264: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact subsection 3 of section 65-05-28 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to workers' compensation independent medical examinations.

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

Reps. Rose, Cleary, Delmore, Fairfield introduced:

HB 1265: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact subsection 15 of section 65-05-12.2 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to workers' compensation permanent impairment awards

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

Rep. Berg introduced:

HB 1266: A BILL for an Act relating to the expenditure of bureau funds for capital purchases; to provide a continuing appropriation; to provide an expiration date; and to declare an emergency.

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

Rep. Keiser introduced:

HB 1267: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 9-08-06 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to contract provisions restraining business.

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

Rep. Keiser introduced:

HB 1268: A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new subsection to section 47-02-27.4 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to exclusions from the statutory rule against perpetuities; and to amend and reenact sections 47-02-27.1 and 47-02-27.2 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the rule against perpetuities and contingent property interests.

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

Rep. Keiser introduced:

HB 1269: 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 Industry, Business and Labor Committee.

Reps. Berg, Brekke introduced:

HB 1270: A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new subsection to section 6-05-08 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the corporate powers of a state-chartered trust company.

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

Reps. Berg, Grosz and Sen. Lee introduced:

HB 1271: A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new section to chapter 57-02 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the protection of certain commercial information provided for assessment purposes.

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

Reps. Berg, Carlson, Keiser and Sen. Lee introduced:

HB 1272: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact sections 49-11-21 and 49-11-22 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the sounding of a warning device on a locomotive engine.

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

Reps. Brandenburg, D. Johnson, Kempenich, Warner and Sens. Christmann, Wanzek introduced:

HB 1273: A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new section to chapter 47-10 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to abstract requirements.

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

Reps. Brandenburg, Grumbo, Haas, Nottestad, Wikenheiser and Sen. Wardner introduced:

HB 1274: A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new section to chapter 15-36 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the provisional certification of teachers.

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

Reps. DeKrey, Delmore, Koppelman and Sens. W. Stenehjem, Traynor introduced:

HB 1275: A BILL for an Act to create and enact chapter 27-05.2 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to state funding of clerk of district court services; to amend and reenact sections 6-02-05, 11-08-06, 11-08-11, 11-08-14, 11-09.1-04, 11-10-02, 11-10-06, 11-10-10, 11-10-11, 11-19-03, 11-19-16, 11-19-17, 11-19.1-08, 11-20-02, 11-22-01, 11-22-02, 11-22-05, 11-26-01, 11-26-03, 11-26-04, 14-03-09, 14-03-10, 14-03-11, 14-03-17, 14-03-19, 14-03-20, 14-03-21, 14-03-22, and 14-03-24, subsection 3 of section 14-15-09, subsection 4 of section 20.1-13.1-08, subsections 4 and 5 of section 20.1-13.1-10, subsection 4 of section 20.1-15-08, subsections 6 and 7 of section 20.1-15-11, sections 23-02.1-06, 23-21.1-02.1, 23-21.1-02.2, and 26.1-02-19, subsection 1 of section 26.1-06.1-12, subsection 1 of section 26.1-06.1-17, subsection 1 of section 26.1-06.1-24, subsection 3 of section 26.1-06.1-49, subsection 3 of section 26.1-06.1-50, sections 27-01-01.1, 27-08.1-03, 28-20.1-05, 30.1-11-01, 32-37-05, 35-18-04, 35-21-05, 37-01-34, and 37-01-35, subsection 4 of section 39-06.2-10.6, subsection 4 of section 39-20-05, subsections 6 and 7 of section 39-20-07, subsections 4 and 5 of section 39-24.1-08, subsection 1 of section 40-01.1-04, section 40-05.1-05, subsection 1 of section 40-33.1-14, subsection 1 of section 40-61-16, sections 43-01-19, 43-23-16, 43-25-09, 43-49-09, 44-11-01, 46-04-05, 47-18-08, and 51-05.1-06, subsection 4 of section 54-40.4-05, and sections 57-22-16 and 57-22-32 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to filing fees, filing requirements, and various functions performed by clerks of district court; to repeal sections 11-17-01, 11-17-02, 11-17-03, 11-17-04, 11-17-05, 11-17-06, 11-17-07, 11-17-08, 11-17-09, 11-17-10, and 11-17-11 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to duties, responsibilities, and funding of clerks of district court; and to provide an effective date.

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

Rep. Berg and Sen. Solberg introduced:

HB 1276: A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new section to chapter 36-01, a new section to chapter 36-05, and a new section to chapter 36-14 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the confiscation of nontraditional livestock, livestock unfit for sale, and animals imported into the state; to amend and reenact sections 36-01-05, 36-01-07, 36-01-08, 36-01-08.1, 36-01-08.3, 36-01-08.4, 36-01-13, 36-01-14, 36-01-28, 36-05-01, subsection 4 of section 36-05-13.2, sections 36-07-07, 36-14-10, 36-14-20, 36-14-21, 36-15-01, 36-15-02, 36-15-08.1, 36-15-09, 36-15-14, 36-15-19, 35-15-21, 36-15-22, and subsection 1 of section 36-21.1-06 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the board of animal health, livestock auction markets, rendering plants, contagious and infectious livestock diseases, tuberculosis and brucellosis eradication in animals, and humane treatment of animals; to repeal sections 36-14-04, 36-14-05, 36-14-06, 36-14-07, 36-15-08, and 36-15-12 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to horses, cattle, sheep, and swine imported into the state, compensation for owners of animals infected with tuberculosis or paratuberculosis, and bovine tuberculosis and brucellosis funds; and to provide a penalty.

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

Reps. Byerly, Keiser introduced:

HB 1277: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact 10-13-06 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the distribution of electric cooperative revenues.

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

Rep. S. Kelsh introduced:

HB 1278: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 43-23-08.2 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to continuing education requirements for real estate licensure.

Was read the first time and referred to the Government and Veterans Affairs Committee.

Rep. S. Kelsh introduced:

HB 1279: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 43-23-13.1 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to real estate license continuing education renewal requirements.

Was read the first time and referred to the Government and Veterans Affairs Committee.

Reps. Belter, Devlin and Sen. Wardner introduced:

HB 1280: A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new section to chapter 50-09 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to state liability for costs associated with implementing an income shares child support guidelines model; and to amend and reenact sections 14-08.1-06, 14-08.1-07, subsection 2 of section 14-09-08.5, section 14-09-08.6, subsection 2 of section 14-09-08.8, subsection 1 of section 14-09-09.7, and section 14-09-09.10, relating to child support obligees and obligors.

Was read the first time and referred to the Human Services Committee.

Reps. Berg, Nicholas and Sens. Kelsh, Klein, Wanzek introduced:

HB 1281: A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new chapter to title 61 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the creation of an irrigation district finance program; and to declare an emergency.

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

Rep. Carlson introduced:

HB 1282: A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new section to chapter 15-59 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to special education credentials.

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

Reps. Carlson, Boucher, Poolman and Sens. Kinnoin, G. Nelson, Krebsbach introduced:

HB 1283: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact sections 65-05-17, 65-05-20.1, 65-05-26, and 65-05.2-02 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to increasing workers' compensation death benefits; and to provide an effective date.

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

Reps. Wikenheiser, Maragos, Nottestad introduced:

HB 1284: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 16.1-03-07 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to political party district executive committee membership.

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

Reps. Wikenheiser, Maragos, Nottestad introduced:

HB 1285: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact subsection 3 of section 16.1-03-03 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to political party election of precinct committeemen.

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

Reps. S. Kelsh, Maragos and Sen. Kelsh introduced:

HB 1286: A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new section to chapter 5-02 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the retail sale of alcoholic beverages.

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

Reps. Brekke, Maragos and Sen. Traynor introduced:

HB 1287: A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new section to chapter 54-44.8 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to a disability telecommunications advisory council.

Was read the first time and referred to the Government and Veterans Affairs Committee.

Reps. Brekke, Maragos and Sen. Traynor introduced:

HB 1288: A BILL for an Act to provide a bill of rights for children who are deaf or hard of hearing.

Was read the first time and referred to the **Human Services Committee**.

Rep. Maragos introduced:

HB 1289: A BILL for an Act relating to the licensure of interpreters for the deaf and hard of hearing; to provide a penalty; to provide a continuing appropriation; and to provide an effective date.

Was read the first time and referred to the **Human Services Committee**.

Reps. Mever. Nicholas. Froelich and Sens. Kinnoin. Solberg. Wanzek introduced:

HB 1290: A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new chapter to title 36 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to a state meat inspection program; and to provide a penalty.

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

Reps. Mahoney, Fairfield, Keiser, R. Kelsch and Sens. Kringstad, O'Connell introduced:

HB 1291: A BILL for an Act to create and enact sections 39-06-04.1, 39-06-04.2, 39-06-04.3, 39-06-04.4, 39-06-04.5, and 39-06-04.6 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to a graduated motor vehicle driver licensing program for minors; to amend and reenact sections 39-06-03, 39-06-03.1, 39-06-04, 39-06-05, 39-06-07, 39-06-08, and 39-06-17 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to a graduated motor vehicle driver licensing program for minors; and to provide an effective date.

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

Reps. Sandvig, Rose, Kliniske and Sens. DeMers, Lee, Thane introduced:

HB 1292: 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 uniform group insurance program coverage for annual physical examinations for women.

Was read the first time and referred to the **Human Services Committee**.

Rep. Koppelman and Sen. Lee introduced:

HB 1293: A BILL for an Act amend and reenact subsection 1 of section 6-08-16 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to issuing a check without sufficient funds; and to provide a penalty.

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

Reps. Boehm, Kempenich, Renner and Sen. Solberg introduced:

HB 1294: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact subsection 8 of section 43-29-01.1 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the practice of veterinary medicine.

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

Reps. Rose, Cleary, Jensen, N. Johnson introduced:

HB 1295: A BILL for an Act relating to the sale of certain volatile chemicals to minors; to amend and reenact section 12.1-36-06 and subsection 1 of section 29-06-15 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to inhalation of volatile chemicals and to arrest without a warrant; and to provide a penalty.

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

Reps. Carlson, Boucher, Berg and Sens. G. Nelson, Solberg introduced:

HB 1296: A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new section to chapter 65-03 and a new section to chapter 65-04 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to protecting the health of employees through workplace safety programs and to workers' compensation premium calculation programs; to amend and reenact sections 65-02-13.1 and 65-04-17.1 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to expenditures by the workers compensation bureau for extraterritorial coverage and other states' insurance and to retrospective rating; to provide an appropriation; and to declare an emergency.

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

Reps. Sandvig, Rose, Wentz and Sens. DeMers, Krauter, Thane introduced:

HB 1297: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact sections 26.1-36-09.1 and 54-52.1-04.4 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to health insurance and public employee retirement system coverage of mammograms.

Was read the first time and referred to the **Human Services Committee**.

Reps. Aarsvold, Belter and Sens. Fischer, Kelsh, Lindaas introduced:

HB 1298: A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new section to chapter 61-16.1 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to maintenance of natural watercourses and debrisment of bridges and low water crossings.

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

Reps. S. Kelsh, Jensen, Fairfield and Sens. Fischer, T. Mathern, Lee introduced:

HB 1299: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact subsection 1 of section 30.1-28-03 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the court appointment of a guardian of an incapacitated person.

Was read the first time and referred to the Human Services Committee.

Reps. Sandvig, Ekstrom, Kerzman and Sens. Krauter, Kroeplin, Thompson introduced:

HB 1300: A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new section to chapter 54-03 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to requiring governmental employers to allow public employees a leave of absence for service in the legislative assembly.

Was read the first time and referred to the Government and Veterans Affairs Committee.

Rep. S. Kelsh and Sens. Fischer, Lee, T. Mathern introduced:

HB 1301: A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new subsection to section 50-06-05.1 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the provision of a guardianship services system by the department of human services; and to provide an appropriation.

Was read the first time and referred to the **Human Services Committee**.

Reps. S. Kelsh, Fairfield, Jensen and Sens. Fischer, Lee, T. Mathern introduced:

HB 1302: A BILL for an Act providing an appropriation for the support of guardianship services programs by the department of human services.

Was read the first time and referred to the Human Services Committee.

Reps. Drovdal, Kempenich and Sen. Urlacher introduced:

HB 1303: A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new section to chapter 32-03 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the recovery of damages for fraudulent use of social security numbers.

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

Reps. L. Thoreson, B. Thoreson, Nottestad, Ekstrom and Sen. Lee introduced:

HB 1304: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact sections 12-44.1-09, 12-44.1-18.2, and subsection 4 of section 39-08-01 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to inmate placement and programs.

Was read the first time and referred to the Human Services Committee.

Reps. Froelich, Eckre, Meyer, Nelson and Sens. Fischer, Heitkamp introduced:

HB 1305: A BILL for an Act to provide for consumer access to credit report information; and to provide a penalty.

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

Reps. Kliniske, Galvin, Gorder, Herbel and Sen. Christmann introduced:

HB 1306: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 20.1-03-07.1 and subsection 4 of section 20.1-03-11 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to hunting by nonresidents.

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

Reps. Glassheim, Mickelson and Sen. Cook introduced:

HB 1307: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact subsection 1 of section 57-38.3-02 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to claimant agencies for setoff of income tax refunds.

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

Reps. Tollefson, Glassheim introduced:

HB 1308: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 49-02-01.1 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to public service commission jurisdiction over telecommunications service.

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

Reps. Weisz, DeKrey, Galvin, Grosz and Sens. Klein, Schobinger introduced:

HB 1309: A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new section to chapter 57-02 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to allowing certain nonresident property owners to vote in political subdivision ad valorem tax elections.

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

Reps. Weisz, DeKrey, Devlin, Schmidt and Sens. Fischer, Klein introduced:

HB 1310: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact sections 24-03-06, 24-03-08, and 24-06-26.1 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to construction of highways to permit a natural flow of water.

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

Reps. Wald, Stefonowicz, Porter, Gunter and Sens. Kilzer, Lee introduced:

HB 1311: A BILL for an Act providing for the regulation and licensing of persons who administer radiologic procedures and establishing a radiology technology board of examiners.

Was read the first time and referred to the Human Services Committee.

Reps. Martinson, Maragos introduced:

HB 1312: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 39-04-19 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the registration of motorcycles and trailers.

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

Reps. Warner, Nelson, Drovdal and Sen. Thompson introduced:

HB 1313: A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new section to chapter 26.1-03 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to reporting of hail damage information.

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

Reps. Lemieux, Kempenich and Sen. B. Stenehjem introduced:

HB 1314: A BILL for an Act to provide for the protection of the intellectual property rights in the design of vehicle number plates.

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

Reps. Tollefson, Wentz introduced:

HB 1315: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 36-21.1-02 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the abandonment of animals.

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

Reps. Jensen, Aarsvold and Sen. Wardner introduced:

HB 1316: A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new section to chapter 15-10 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to economic impact statements prior to closure of institutions of higher education.

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

Reps. Grosz, Nichols introduced:

HB 1317: A BILL for an Act to create and enact nineteen new sections to chapter 11-05, two new sections to chapter 11-06, a new section to chapter 11-08, a new section to chapter 11-09, a new section to chapter 11-09.1, a new section to chapter 40-05.1, four new sections to chapter 40-08, and a new section to chapter 54-40 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to methods of restructuring county and city governments; to amend and reenact sections 11-05-02, 11-05-04, 11-05-05, 11-05-07, 11-05-25, 11-05-26, 11-05.1-01, 11-05.1-03, 11-05.1-04, 11-05.1-06, 11-08-02.1, 11-08-05, 11-09-03, 11-09-07, 11-09-48, 11-09.1-02, 11-09.1-03, 11-09.1-04, subsection 3 of section 11-09.1-05, sections 11-10-02, 40-04.1-01, 40-04.1-02, 40-05.1-01, 40-05.1-03, 40-05.1-04, 40-08-03, 40-08-04, 40-09-01, 40-09-04, 40-10-02, 40-12-01, 40-14-04, 40-49-05, 54-40-08 and 54-44.4-02 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to methods of restructuring county and city governments; and to repeal sections 11-05-09.1, 11-05-09.2, 11-06-03.1, 11-09.1-04.1, chapters 11-10.2, 11-10.3, 40-01.1, sections 40-05.1-05.1, 40-06-09, 40-49-07.1, 40-49-07.2, chapters 40-49.1, 54-40.3, 54-40.4, and 54-40.5 of the North Dakota Century Code and section 1 of chapter 401 of the 1993 Session Laws, relating to methods of restructuring county and city governments.

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

Reps. Grosz, Dorso, Poolman and Sens. Heitkamp, Wardner introduced:

HB 1318: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact subsection 2 of section 40-05.1-06 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to removal of authority of home rule cities to impose income taxes.

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

Reps. Nelson, D. Johnson and Sen. Fischer introduced:

HB 1319: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 20.1-03-07.1 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to nonresident waterfowl hunting time periods.

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

Reps. S. Kelsh, Delmore, Price and Sens. T. Mathern, Thane introduced:

HB 1320: A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new section to chapter 57-38 and a new subsection to section 57-38-30.3 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to an income tax credit for employers who provide a child care program for children of employees; and to provide an effective date.

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

Reps. Mickelson, Maragos introduced:

HB 1321: A BILL for an Act to provide for the regulation of cigarette marketing; and to provide a penalty.

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

Reps. Belter, Warner and Sen. Thane introduced:

HB 1322: A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new section to chapter 4-35 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to financial responsibility for the application of nonrestricted use pesticides; and to amend and reenact section 4-35-09.1 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to financial responsibility for the application of restricted use pesticides.

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

Reps. S. Kelsh, Delmore, Fairfield, Jensen, Sveen and Sen. Fischer introduced:

HB 1323: A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new section to chapter 39-21 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to safety belts in schoolbuses; and to amend and reenact section 39-21-41.1 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to safety belts in schoolbuses.

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

Reps. Belter, Herbel and Sens. Mutch, Thane introduced:

HB 1324: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 39-06.2-17 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the hours of service exemption for the transportation of agricultural commodities.

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

MESSAGE TO THE SENATE FROM THE HOUSE (LANCE HAGEN, CHIEF CLERK) MADAM PRESIDENT: The House has passed and your favorable consideration is requested on: HB 1078, HB 1090, HB 1097, HB 1098, HB 1107, HB 1109, HB 1114, HB 1116.

MESSAGE TO THE HOUSE FROM THE SENATE (WILLIAM C. PARKER, SECRETARY) MR. SPEAKER: The Senate has passed and your favorable consideration is requested on: SB 2046, SB 2052.

MESSAGE TO THE HOUSE FROM THE SENATE (WILLIAM C. PARKER, SECRETARY) MR. SPEAKER: The Senate has passed and your favorable consideration is requested on: SB 2018, SB 2028, SB 2063, SB 2077, SB 2083, SB 2086, SB 2091, SB 2109, SB 2117, SB 2118, SB 2126, SB 2143, SB 2146, SB 2150, SCR 4005.

The House stood adjourned pursuant to Representative Monson's motion.

LANCE HAGEN, Chief Clerk