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Bismarck, February 6, 2001

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

The prayer was offered by Pastor Bob Weiss, Bismarck Baptist Church, Bismarck.

The roll was called and all members were present.

A quorum was declared by the President.

MOTION

SEN. CHRISTMANN MOVED that the rules be suspended, and that after action taken on the Sixth order, all bills on that order be placed on the Eleventh order, as amended, for immediate second reading and final passage, which motion prevailed.

CONSIDERATION OF AMENDMENTS

SB 2009: SEN. SCHOBINGER (Appropriations Committee) MOVED that the amendments on SJ page 299 be adopted and then be placed on the Eleventh order with **DO PASS**, which motion prevailed.

SECOND READING OF SENATE BILL

SB 2009: A BILL for an Act to provide an appropriation for defraying the expenses of the state fair association.

ROLL CALL

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

YEAS: Andrist; Bercier; Bowman; Christenson; Christmann; Cook; Dever; Erbele; Espegard; Every; Fischer; Flakoll; Freborg; Grindberg; Heitkamp; Holmberg; Kelsh; Kilzer; Klein; Krauter; Krebsbach; Kringstad; Kroeplin; Lee; Lindaas; Lyson; Mathern, D.; Mathern, T.; Mutch; Nelson, C.; Nelson, G.; Nething; Nichols; O'Connell; Polovitz; Robinson; Schobinger; Solberg; Stenehjem; Tallackson; Thane; Tollefson; Tomac; Traynor; Trenbeath; Urlacher; Wanzek; Wardner; Watne

Engrossed SB 2009 passed and the title was agreed to.

CONSIDERATION OF AMENDMENTS

SB 2245: SEN. COOK (Political Subdivisions Committee) MOVED that the amendments on SJ pages 299-300 be adopted and then be placed on the Eleventh order with **DO PASS**, which motion prevailed.

SECOND READING OF SENATE BILL

SB 2245: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 40-38-11 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to joint public library services.

ROLL CALL

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

YEAS: Andrist; Bercier; Bowman; Christenson; Christmann; Cook; Dever; Erbele; Espegard; Every; Fischer; Flakoll; Freborg; Grindberg; Heitkamp; Holmberg; Kelsh; Kilzer; Klein; Krauter; Krebsbach; Kringstad; Kroeplin; Lee; Lindaas; Lyson; Mathern, D.; Mathern, T.; Mutch; Nelson, G.; Nething; Nichols; O'Connell; Polovitz; Robinson; Schobinger; Solberg; Stenehjem; Tallackson; Thane; Tollefson; Traynor; Trenbeath; Urlacher; Wanzek; Wardner; Watne

NAYS: Nelson, C.; Tomac

Engrossed SB 2245 passed and the title was agreed to.

CONSIDERATION OF AMENDMENTS

SB 2253: SEN. D. MATHERN (Political Subdivisions Committee) MOVED that the amendments on SJ pages 300-301 be adopted and then be placed on the Eleventh order with **DO PASS**, which motion prevailed.

SECOND READING OF SENATE BILL

SB 2253: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact sections 40-04.1-02, 40-08-07, and 40-09-06 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the salary of city council members and commissioners.

ROLL CALL

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

YEAS: Andrist; Bercier; Bowman; Christenson; Christmann; Dever; Erbele; Espgaard; Every; Fischer; Flakoll; Freborg; Grindberg; Heitkamp; Holmberg; Kelsh; Kilzer; Klein; Krebsbach; Kringstad; Kroeplin; Lee; Lindaas; Lyson; Mathern, D.; Mathern, T.; Mutch; Nelson, C.; Nelson, G.; Nething; Nichols; O'Connell; Polovitz; Robinson; Schobinger; Solberg; Stenehjem; Tallackson; Thane; Tollefson; Tomac; Traynor; Trenbeath; Urlacher; Wanzek; Wardner; Watne

NAYS: Cook; Krauter

Engrossed SB 2253 passed and the title was agreed to.

CONSIDERATION OF AMENDMENTS

SB 2280: SEN. WANZEK (Agriculture Committee) MOVED that the amendments on SJ page 301 be adopted and then be placed on the Eleventh order with **DO PASS**, which motion prevailed.

SECOND READING OF SENATE BILL

SB 2280: A BILL for an Act relating to awards for the damage and destruction of crops, livestock, or commodities.

ROLL CALL

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

YEAS: Andrist; Bercier; Bowman; Christenson; Christmann; Cook; Dever; Erbele; Espgaard; Every; Fischer; Flakoll; Freborg; Grindberg; Heitkamp; Holmberg; Kelsh; Kilzer; Klein; Krauter; Krebsbach; Kringstad; Kroeplin; Lee; Lindaas; Lyson; Mathern, D.; Mathern, T.; Mutch; Nelson, C.; Nelson, G.; Nething; Nichols; O'Connell; Polovitz; Robinson; Schobinger; Solberg; Stenehjem; Tallackson; Thane; Tollefson; Tomac; Traynor; Trenbeath; Urlacher; Wanzek; Wardner; Watne

Engrossed SB 2280 passed and the title was agreed to.

CONSIDERATION OF AMENDMENTS

SB 2292: SEN. WANZEK (Education Committee) MOVED that the amendments on SJ pages 301-302 be adopted and then be placed on the Eleventh order with **DO PASS**, which motion prevailed.

SECOND READING OF SENATE BILL

SB 2292: A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new section to chapter 15-10 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to students in veterinary medicine, optometry, and dentistry.

ROLL CALL

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

YEAS: Andrist; Bercier; Bowman; Christenson; Christmann; Cook; Dever; Erbele; Espgaard; Every; Fischer; Flakoll; Freborg; Grindberg; Heitkamp; Holmberg; Kelsh; Kilzer; Klein; Krauter; Krebsbach; Kringstad; Kroeplin; Lee; Lindaas; Lyson; Mathern, D.; Mathern, T.;

Mutch; Nelson, C.; Nelson, G.; Nething; Nichols; O'Connell; Polovitz; Robinson; Schobinger; Solberg; Stenehjem; Tallackson; Thane; Tollefson; Tomac; Traynor; Trenbeath; Urlacher; Wanzek; Wardner; Watne

Engrossed SB 2292 passed and the title was agreed to.

CONSIDERATION OF AMENDMENTS

SB 2355: SEN. EVERY (Industry, Business and Labor Committee) MOVED that the amendments on SJ page 302 be adopted and then be placed on the Eleventh order with **DO NOT PASS**, which motion prevailed.

SECOND READING OF SENATE BILL

SB 2355: 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.

ROLL CALL

The question being on the final passage of the amended bill, which has been read, the roll was called and there were 14 YEAS, 35 NAYS, 0 EXCUSED, 0 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING.

YEAS: Espgaard; Fischer; Flakoll; Freborg; Grindberg; Holmberg; Lee; Lyson; Nething; Nichols; Schobinger; Solberg; Traynor; Watne

NAYS: Andrist; Bercier; Bowman; Christenson; Christmann; Cook; Dever; Erbele; Every; Heitkamp; Kelsh; Kilzer; Klein; Krauter; Krebsbach; Kringstad; Kroeplin; Lindaas; Mathern, D.; Mathern, T.; Mutch; Nelson, C.; Nelson, G.; O'Connell; Polovitz; Robinson; Stenehjem; Tallackson; Thane; Tollefson; Tomac; Trenbeath; Urlacher; Wanzek; Wardner

Engrossed SB 2355 lost.

SECOND READING OF SENATE BILL

SB 2114: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact sections 43-12.1-02, 43-12.1-03, 43-12.1-04, 43-12.1-05, 43-12.1-07, 43-12.1-08, 43-12.1-09, 43-12.1-10, 43-12.1-11, 43-12.1-13, 43-12.1-14, 43-12.1-15, and 43-12.1-16 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to specialty nursing practice, unlicensed assistive personnel, persons exempt from licensure, residency requirements for nursing practice, compensation of board members, disciplinary procedures, and the expiration date of the authority of a licensed nurse to delegate medication administration.

MOTION

SEN. LEE MOVED that Engrossed SB 2114 be amended as follows, which motion prevailed on a voice vote.

Page 11, line 8, remove "probate,"

Renumber accordingly

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; Bercier; Bowman; Christenson; Christmann; Cook; Dever; Erbele; Espgaard; Every; Fischer; Flakoll; Freborg; Grindberg; Heitkamp; Holmberg; Kelsh; Kilzer; Klein; Krauter; Krebsbach; Kringstad; Kroeplin; Lee; Lindaas; Lyson; Mathern, D.; Mathern, T.; Mutch; Nelson, C.; Nelson, G.; Nething; Nichols; O'Connell; Polovitz; Robinson; Schobinger; Solberg; Stenehjem; Tallackson; Thane; Tollefson; Tomac; Traynor; Trenbeath; Urlacher; Wanzek; Wardner; Watne

Reengrossed SB 2114 passed and the title was agreed to.

SECOND READING OF SENATE BILL

SB 2241: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 43-12.1-02 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to educational requirements for nurses.

ROLL CALL

The question being on the final passage of the amended bill, which has been read, and has committee recommendation of DO NOT PASS, the roll was called and there were 17 YEAS, 32 NAYS, 0 EXCUSED, 0 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING.

YEAS: Andrist; Bowman; Cook; Every; Freborg; Grindberg; Heitkamp; Krebsbach; Kringstad; Nelson, G.; Nichols; O'Connell; Solberg; Tallackson; Thane; Traynor; Urlacher

NAYS: Bercier; Christenson; Christmann; Dever; Erbele; Espegard; Fischer; Flakoll; Holmberg; Kelsh; Kilzer; Klein; Krauter; Kroeplin; Lee; Lindaas; Lyson; Mathern, D.; Mathern, T.; Mutch; Nelson, C.; Nething; Polovitz; Robinson; Schobinger; Stenehjerm; Tollefson; Tomac; Trenbeath; Wanzek; Wardner; Watne

Engrossed SB 2241 lost.

SECOND READING OF SENATE BILL

SB 2333: A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new section to chapter 15-62.1 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to student loan reductions for education majors.

ROLL CALL

The question being on the final passage of the amended bill, which has been read, and has committee recommendation of DO NOT PASS, the roll was called and there were 14 YEAS, 34 NAYS, 0 EXCUSED, 1 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING.

YEAS: Bercier; Christenson; Every; Heitkamp; Kelsh; Krauter; Kroeplin; Lindaas; Mathern, D.; Mathern, T.; Nelson, C.; Nichols; O'Connell; Thane

NAYS: Andrist; Bowman; Christmann; Cook; Dever; Erbele; Espegard; Fischer; Flakoll; Freborg; Grindberg; Holmberg; Kilzer; Klein; Krebsbach; Lee; Lyson; Mutch; Nelson, G.; Nething; Polovitz; Robinson; Schobinger; Solberg; Stenehjerm; Tallackson; Tollefson; Tomac; Traynor; Trenbeath; Urlacher; Wanzek; Wardner; Watne

ABSENT AND NOT VOTING: Kringstad

Engrossed SB 2333 lost.

SECOND READING OF SENATE BILL

SB 2224: A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new section to chapter 24-01 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to haying of no-mow areas.

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

YEAS: Andrist; Bercier; Bowman; Christenson; Christmann; Cook; Dever; Erbele; Espegard; Every; Fischer; Flakoll; Freborg; Grindberg; Heitkamp; Holmberg; Kelsh; Kilzer; Klein; Krauter; Krebsbach; Kroeplin; Lee; Lindaas; Lyson; Mathern, D.; Mathern, T.; Mutch; Nelson, C.; Nelson, G.; Nething; Nichols; O'Connell; Polovitz; Robinson; Schobinger; Solberg; Stenehjerm; Tallackson; Thane; Tollefson; Tomac; Traynor; Trenbeath; Urlacher; Wanzek; Wardner

ABSENT AND NOT VOTING: Kringstad; Watne

SB 2224 passed and the title was agreed to.

SECOND READING OF SENATE BILL

SB 2250: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact subsection 1 of section 57-39.2-26.1 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to state aid distribution fund allocation among political subdivisions.

ROLL CALL

The question being on the final passage of the bill, which has been read, and has committee recommendation of DO NOT PASS, the roll was called and there were 1 YEA, 46 NAYS, 0 EXCUSED, 2 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING.

YEAS: Solberg

NAYS: Andrist; Bercier; Bowman; Christenson; Christmann; Cook; Dever; Erbele; Espgaard; Every; Fischer; Flakoll; Freborg; Grindberg; Heitkamp; Holmberg; Kelsh; Kilzer; Klein; Krauter; Krebsbach; Kroeplin; Lee; Lindaas; Lyson; Mathern, D.; Mathern, T.; Mutch; Nelson, C.; Nelson, G.; Nething; Nichols; O'Connell; Polovitz; Robinson; Schobinger; Stenehjem; Tallackson; Thane; Tollefson; Tomac; Traynor; Trenbeath; Urlacher; Wanzek; Wardner

ABSENT AND NOT VOTING: Kringstad; Watne

SB 2250 lost.

SECOND READING OF SENATE BILL

SB 2258: A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new section to chapter 43-01, a new section to chapter 43-02.2, a new section to chapter 43-03, a new section to chapter 43-05, a new section to chapter 43-06, a new section to chapter 43-09, a new section to chapter 43-10, a new section to chapter 43-11, a new section to chapter 43-12.1, a new section to chapter 43-13, a new section to chapter 43-15, a new section to chapter 43-15.1, a new section to chapter 43-17, a new section to chapter 43-18, a new section to chapter 43-18.2, a new section to chapter 43-19.1, a new section to chapter 43-20, a new section to chapter 43-23.3, a new section to chapter 43-25, a new section to chapter 43-26, a new section to chapter 43-28, a new section to chapter 43-29, a new section to chapter 43-30, a new section to chapter 43-32, a new section to chapter 43-33, a new section to chapter 43-34, a new section to chapter 43-35, a new section to chapter 43-36, a new section to chapter 43-37, a new section to chapter 43-38, a new section to chapter 43-39, a new section to chapter 43-40, a new section to chapter 43-41, a new section to chapter 43-42, a new section to chapter 43-43, a new section to chapter 43-44, a new section to chapter 43-45, a new section to chapter 43-47, a new section to chapter 43-48, and a new section to chapter 43-49 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to fees established by certain occupational or professional boards; and to amend and reenact section 43-43-04 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the adoption of environmental health practitioner rules by the state health council.

ROLL CALL

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

YEAS: Andrist; Heitkamp; Polovitz; Schobinger

NAYS: Bercier; Bowman; Christenson; Christmann; Cook; Dever; Erbele; Espgaard; Every; Fischer; Flakoll; Freborg; Grindberg; Holmberg; Kelsh; Kilzer; Klein; Krauter; Krebsbach; Kringstad; Kroeplin; Lee; Lindaas; Lyson; Mathern, D.; Mathern, T.; Mutch; Nelson, C.; Nelson, G.; Nething; Nichols; O'Connell; Robinson; Solberg; Stenehjem; Tallackson; Thane; Tollefson; Tomac; Traynor; Trenbeath; Urlacher; Wanzek; Wardner; Watne

SB 2258 lost.

SECOND READING OF SENATE BILL

SB 2300: A BILL for an Act to create and enact two new sections to chapter 36-21.1 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the custody of abandoned animals; and to amend and reenact sections 36-21.1-01 and 36-21.1-06 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the abandonment and exposure of animals.

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, 3 NAYS, 0 EXCUSED, 1 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING.

YEAS: Andrist; Bercier; Bowman; Christenson; Christmann; Cook; Dever; Erbele; Espegard; Every; Fischer; Flakoll; Freborg; Grindberg; Heitkamp; Holmberg; Kelsh; Kilzer; Klein; Krebsbach; Kringstad; Kroeplin; Lee; Lindaas; Lyson; Mathern, T.; Nelson, C.; Nelson, G.; Nething; Nichols; O'Connell; Polovitz; Robinson; Schobinger; Solberg; Tallackson; Thane; Tollefson; Tomac; Traynor; Trenbeath; Urlacher; Wanzek; Wardner; Watne

NAYS: Mathern, D.; Mutch; Stenehjem

ABSENT AND NOT VOTING: Krauter

SB 2300 passed and the title was agreed to.

REQUEST

SEN. KRAUTER REQUESTED that the record reflect he intended to vote YEA on SB 2300, which request was granted.

SECOND READING OF SENATE BILL

SB 2334: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 57-15-19.6 and subsection 5 of section 57-15-20.2 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to use of funds under the township levy for mowing and snow removal equipment for expenses of mowing and snow removal; 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 49 YEAS, 0 NAYS, 0 EXCUSED, 0 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING.

YEAS: Andrist; Bercier; Bowman; Christenson; Christmann; Cook; Dever; Erbele; Espegard; Every; Fischer; Flakoll; Freborg; Grindberg; Heitkamp; Holmberg; Kelsh; Kilzer; Klein; Krauter; Krebsbach; Kringstad; Kroeplin; Lee; Lindaas; Lyson; Mathern, D.; Mathern, T.; Mutch; Nelson, C.; Nelson, G.; Nething; Nichols; O'Connell; Polovitz; Robinson; Schobinger; Solberg; Stenehjem; Tallackson; Thane; Tollefson; Tomac; Traynor; Trenbeath; Urlacher; Wanzek; Wardner; Watne

SB 2334 passed and the title was agreed to.

SECOND READING OF SENATE BILL

SB 2350: A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new section to chapter 43-15 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to pharmacist administration of drugs; and to amend and reenact subsection 1 of section 43-15-01 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to terms used by the board of pharmacy.

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

YEAS: Andrist; Bercier; Bowman; Christmann; Cook; Dever; Erbele; Espegard; Every; Fischer; Flakoll; Freborg; Grindberg; Heitkamp; Holmberg; Kelsh; Kilzer; Klein; Krauter; Krebsbach; Kringstad; Kroeplin; Lee; Lindaas; Lyson; Mathern, D.; Mathern, T.; Mutch; Nelson, C.; Nelson, G.; Nething; Nichols; O'Connell; Polovitz; Robinson; Schobinger; Solberg; Stenehjem; Tallackson; Thane; Tollefson; Tomac; Traynor; Trenbeath; Urlacher; Wanzek; Wardner; Watne

ABSENT AND NOT VOTING: Christenson

SB 2350 passed and the title was agreed to.

MESSAGE TO THE HOUSE FROM THE SENATE (WILLIAM R. HORTON, SECRETARY)

MR. SPEAKER: The Senate has passed and your favorable consideration is requested on: SB 2054, SB 2143, SB 2144, SB 2177, SB 2204, SB 2210, SB 2274, SB 2281, SB 2283, SB 2284, SB 2291, SB 2298, SB 2347.

MESSAGE TO THE HOUSE FROM THE SENATE (WILLIAM R. HORTON, SECRETARY)
MR. SPEAKER: The Senate has amended and subsequently passed: HB 1180.

MESSAGE TO THE SENATE FROM THE HOUSE (MARK L. JOHNSON, CHIEF CLERK)
MR. PRESIDENT: The House has passed and your favorable consideration is requested on: HB 1001, HB 1002, HB 1005, HB 1010, HB 1086, HB 1303, HB 1385, HB 1437, HB 1449, HCR 3013.

MOTION

SEN. CHRISTMANN MOVED that the Senate be on the Fourth, Fifth, Ninth, and Thirteenth orders of business and at the conclusion of those orders, the Senate stand adjourned until 1:00 p.m., Wednesday, February 7, 2001, which motion prevailed.

REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE

SB 2024: Appropriations Committee (Sen. Nething, Chairman) recommends **DO NOT PASS** (11 YEAS, 1 NAY, 2 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING). SB 2024 was placed on the Eleventh order on the calendar.

REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE

SB 2028: Appropriations Committee (Sen. Nething, Chairman) recommends **DO NOT PASS** (13 YEAS, 0 NAYS, 1 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING). SB 2028 was placed on the Eleventh order on the calendar.

REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE

SB 2029: Appropriations Committee (Sen. Nething, Chairman) recommends **DO NOT PASS** (13 YEAS, 0 NAYS, 1 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING). SB 2029 was placed on the Eleventh order on the calendar.

REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE

SB 2030: Appropriations Committee (Sen. Nething, Chairman) recommends **DO NOT PASS** (13 YEAS, 0 NAYS, 1 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING). SB 2030 was placed on the Eleventh order on the calendar.

REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE

SB 2237: Appropriations Committee (Sen. Nething, Chairman) recommends **DO NOT PASS** (13 YEAS, 0 NAYS, 1 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING). SB 2237 was placed on the Eleventh order on the calendar.

REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE

SB 2247: Industry, Business and Labor Committee (Sen. Mutch, Chairman) recommends **DO NOT PASS** (7 YEAS, 0 NAYS, 0 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING). SB 2247 was placed on the Eleventh order on the calendar.

REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE

SB 2265: Judiciary Committee (Sen. Traynor, Chairman) recommends **AMENDMENTS AS FOLLOWS** and when so amended, recommends **DO PASS** (6 YEAS, 0 NAYS, 1 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING). SB 2265 was placed on the Sixth order on the calendar.

Page 1, line 19, overstrike the second "the", remove "greater", and overstrike "of one hundred"

Page 1, line 20, overstrike "dollars or" and insert immediately thereafter "up to" and remove ", except this penalty may not "

Page 1, line 21, remove "exceed the value of the instrument by more than five hundred dollars"

Page 2, line 8, overstrike the third "the", remove "greater", and overstrike "of one hundred dollars or" and insert immediately thereafter "up to"

Page 2, line 9, remove ", except this penalty may not exceed the value"

Page 2, line 10, remove "of the instrument by more than five hundred dollars"

Renumber accordingly

REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE

SB 2301: Judiciary Committee (Sen. Traynor, Chairman) recommends **DO NOT PASS** (6 YEAS, 0 NAYS, 1 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING). SB 2301 was placed on the Eleventh order on the calendar.

REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE

SB 2383: Judiciary Committee (Sen. Traynor, Chairman) recommends **DO PASS** (6 YEAS, 0 NAYS, 1 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING). SB 2383 was placed on the Eleventh order on the calendar.

REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE

SB 2426: Judiciary Committee (Sen. Traynor, Chairman) recommends **AMENDMENTS AS FOLLOWS** and when so amended, recommends **DO PASS** (6 YEAS, 0 NAYS, 1 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING). SB 2426 was placed on the Sixth order on the calendar.

Page 1, line 8, after "communicates" insert "directly or indirectly", remove "the juror", and overstrike "orally or"

Page 1, line 9, overstrike "by means of a sound broadcasting or transmitting device" and insert immediately thereafter "the juror"

Renumber accordingly

REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE

SB 2437: Industry, Business and Labor Committee (Sen. Mutch, Chairman) recommends **DO NOT PASS** (5 YEAS, 2 NAYS, 0 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING). SB 2437 was placed on the Eleventh order on the calendar.

FIRST READING OF SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTIONS

Sens. Traynor, Holmberg and Rep. Devlin introduced:

SCR 4032: A concurrent resolution directing the Legislative Council to study the feasibility and desirability of exempting funds set aside in a trust for a child's education when determining the child's eligibility for certain human services programs.

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

Sens. Traynor, Dever, Lyson, C. Nelson, Trenbeath, Watne introduced:

SCR 4033: A concurrent resolution directing the Legislative Council to study the commitment procedures for individuals with mental illness.

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

FIRST READING OF HOUSE BILLS

HB 1001: A BILL for an Act to provide an appropriation for defraying the expenses of the office of the governor; and to amend and reenact sections 54-07-04 and 54-08-03 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the salaries of the governor and lieutenant governor.

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

HB 1002: A BILL for an Act to provide an appropriation for defraying the expenses of the secretary of state and public printing; and to amend and reenact section 54-09-05 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the salary of the secretary of state.

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

HB 1005: A BILL for an Act to provide an appropriation for defraying the expenses of the state treasurer; to amend and reenact sections 54-11-13 and 54-27-08 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the salary of the state treasurer and the signing of warrants by electronic means; and to provide legislative intent to prohibit payment of national association of state treasurers-related activities.

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

HB 1010: A BILL for an Act to provide an appropriation for defraying the expenses of the insurance commissioner; to create and enact a new subsection to section 54-44.3-20 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to employees exempt from the state classified service; and to amend and reenact section 26.1-01-09 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the salary of the insurance commissioner.

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

HB 1086: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact subsection 6 of section 52-04-06 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the risk adjustment rate for unemployment compensation contributions.

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

HB 1303: A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new section to chapter 26.1-13 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to county mutual insurance companies; and to amend and reenact sections 26.1-13-01 and 26.1-13-02 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to county mutual insurance companies.

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

HB 1385: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 50-06-06.13 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to treatment services for children with serious emotional disorders.

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

HB 1437: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 15.1-19-03 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to a period of silence, the recitation of prayers, and the pledge of allegiance in schools.

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

HB 1449: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 54-52.3-01 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to participation by members of the legislative assembly in the pretax benefits program; and to provide an effective date.

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

FIRST READING OF HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

HCR 3013: A concurrent resolution directing the Legislative Council to study the designation of highways in the state highway system and the county road system.

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

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

WILLIAM R. HORTON, Secretary

