

## JOURNAL OF THE SENATE

## Fifty-ninth Legislative Assembly

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Bismarck, January 17, 2005

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

The prayer was offered by Bishop Deborah Kiesey, United Methodist Dakotas Conference, Fargo.

The roll was called and all members were present.

A quorum was declared by the President.

## CONSIDERATION OF AMENDMENTS

**SB 2078: SEN. FLAKOLL (Education Committee) MOVED** that the amendments on SJ pages 87-88 be adopted and then be placed on the Eleventh order with **DO PASS**, which motion prevailed.

## CONSIDERATION OF AMENDMENTS

**SB 2138: SEN. KLEIN (Agriculture Committee) MOVED** that the amendments on SJ page 88 be adopted and then be placed on the Eleventh order with **DO PASS**, which motion prevailed.

## MOTION

**SEN. CHRISTMANN MOVED** that SB 2110, which is on the Eleventh order, be placed immediately after SB 2125 on that order, which motion prevailed.

## SECOND READING OF SENATE BILL

**SB 2029:** A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new section to chapter 30.1-28 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the appointment of a successor guardian.

## 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 47 YEAS, 0 NAYS, 0 EXCUSED, 0 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING.

**YEAS:** Andrist; Bercier; Bowman; Brown; Christmann; Cook; Dever; Erbele; Espgaard; Every; Fairfield; Fischer; Flakoll; Freborg; Grindberg; Hacker; Heitkamp; Holmberg; Kilzer; Klein; Krauter; Krebsbach; Kringstad; Lee, G.; Lee, J.; Lindaas; Lyson; Mathern; Mutch; Nelson; Nething; O'Connell; Robinson; Schobinger; Seymour; Stenehjerm; Syverson; Tallackson; Taylor; Thane; Tollefson; Traynor; Trenbeath; Triplett; Urlacher; Wardner; Warner

Engrossed SB 2029 passed and the title was agreed to.

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## SECOND READING OF SENATE BILL

**SB 2066:** A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 15.1-06-05 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to reconfiguration of instructional days by school districts; and to declare an emergency.

## 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 47 YEAS, 0 NAYS, 0 EXCUSED, 0 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING.

**YEAS:** Andrist; Bercier; Bowman; Brown; Christmann; Cook; Dever; Erbele; Espgaard; Every; Fairfield; Fischer; Flakoll; Freborg; Grindberg; Hacker; Heitkamp; Holmberg; Kilzer; Klein; Krauter; Krebsbach; Kringstad; Lee, G.; Lee, J.; Lindaas; Lyson; Mathern; Mutch; Nelson; Nething; O'Connell; Robinson; Schobinger; Seymour; Stenehjerm; Syverson; Tallackson; Taylor; Thane; Tollefson; Traynor; Trenbeath; Triplett; Urlacher; Wardner; Warner

Engrossed SB 2066 passed, the title was agreed to, and the emergency clause was declared carried.

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### SECOND READING OF SENATE BILL

**SB 2114:** A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact subsection 9 of section 4-30-01 and sections 4-30-02, 4-30-18, 4-30-20, 4-30-36, 4-30-36.2, 4-30-36.3, and 4-30-36.4 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to dairy regulations, reinspection fees, and references to current food and drug administration regulations.

### 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 46 YEAS, 1 NAY, 0 EXCUSED, 0 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING.

**YEAS:** Andrist; Bercier; Bowman; Brown; Christmann; Cook; Dever; Erbele; Espegard; Every; Fairfield; Fischer; Flakoll; Freborg; Grindberg; Hacker; Heitkamp; Holmberg; Kilzer; Klein; Krauter; Krebsbach; Kringstad; Lee, G.; Lee, J.; Lindaas; Lyson; Mathern; Mutch; Nelson; Nething; Robinson; Schobinger; Seymour; Stenehjerm; Syverson; Tallackson; Taylor; Thane; Tollefson; Traynor; Trenbeath; Triplett; Urlacher; Wardner; Warner

**NAYS:** O'Connell

Engrossed SB 2114 passed and the title was agreed to.

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### SECOND READING OF SENATE BILL

**SB 2125:** A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new section to chapter 12-59 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to establishment and modification of parole expiration dates.

### 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 47 YEAS, 0 NAYS, 0 EXCUSED, 0 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING.

**YEAS:** Andrist; Bercier; Bowman; Brown; Christmann; Cook; Dever; Erbele; Espegard; Every; Fairfield; Fischer; Flakoll; Freborg; Grindberg; Hacker; Heitkamp; Holmberg; Kilzer; Klein; Krauter; Krebsbach; Kringstad; Lee, G.; Lee, J.; Lindaas; Lyson; Mathern; Mutch; Nelson; Nething; O'Connell; Robinson; Schobinger; Seymour; Stenehjerm; Syverson; Tallackson; Taylor; Thane; Tollefson; Traynor; Trenbeath; Triplett; Urlacher; Wardner; Warner

Engrossed SB 2125 passed and the title was agreed to.

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### SECOND READING OF SENATE BILL

**SB 2110:** A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 15.1-28-02 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to removal of the duty of county treasurers to collect payments for the leasing of school lands.

### 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, 0 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING.

**YEAS:** Andrist; Bercier; Bowman; Brown; Christmann; Cook; Dever; Erbele; Espegard; Every; Fairfield; Fischer; Flakoll; Freborg; Grindberg; Hacker; Heitkamp; Holmberg; Kilzer; Klein; Krauter; Krebsbach; Kringstad; Lee, G.; Lee, J.; Lindaas; Lyson; Mathern; Mutch; Nelson; Nething; O'Connell; Robinson; Schobinger; Seymour; Stenehjerm; Syverson; Tallackson; Taylor; Thane; Tollefson; Traynor; Trenbeath; Triplett; Urlacher; Wardner; Warner

SB 2110 passed and the title was agreed to.

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**SECOND READING OF SENATE BILL**

**SB 2043:** A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact sections 4-18.1-04, 4-23-07, 15-19-06, 20.1-02-02, 25-01.1-20, 26.1-21-01, 26.1-21-02, 26.1-21-03, 26.1-21-04, 26.1-21-06, 26.1-21-07, 26.1-21-08, 26.1-21-09, 26.1-21-10, 26.1-21-11, 26.1-21-12, 26.1-21-14, 26.1-21-15, 26.1-21-16, 26.1-21-17, 26.1-21-18, 26.1-21-19, and 26.1-21-23, subsection 3 of section 27-05.2-02, and section 54-09-02 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the state bonding fund; and to repeal section 4-27-10 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to bonding of the dairy promotion commission.

**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, 0 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING.

**YEAS:** Andrist; Bercier; Bowman; Brown; Christmann; Cook; Dever; Erbele; Espgaard; Every; Fairfield; Fischer; Flakoll; Freborg; Grindberg; Hacker; Heitkamp; Holmberg; Kilzer; Klein; Krauter; Krebsbach; Kringstad; Lee, G.; Lee, J.; Lindaas; Lyson; Mathern; Mutch; Nelson; Nething; O'Connell; Robinson; Schobinger; Seymour; Stenehjem; Syverson; Tallackson; Taylor; Thane; Tollefson; Traynor; Trenbeath; Triplett; Urlacher; Wardner; Warner

SB 2043 passed and the title was agreed to.

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**SECOND READING OF SENATE BILL**

**SB 2049:** A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new section to chapter 39-21 and a new section to chapter 51-07 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to a traffic control signal preemption device; to amend and reenact section 39-06.1-05 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to offenses excepted from the administrative traffic procedures; and to provide a penalty.

**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, 0 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING.

**YEAS:** Andrist; Bercier; Bowman; Brown; Christmann; Cook; Dever; Erbele; Espgaard; Every; Fairfield; Fischer; Flakoll; Freborg; Grindberg; Hacker; Heitkamp; Holmberg; Kilzer; Klein; Krauter; Krebsbach; Kringstad; Lee, G.; Lee, J.; Lindaas; Lyson; Mathern; Mutch; Nelson; Nething; O'Connell; Robinson; Schobinger; Seymour; Stenehjem; Syverson; Tallackson; Taylor; Thane; Tollefson; Traynor; Trenbeath; Triplett; Urlacher; Wardner; Warner

SB 2049 passed and the title was agreed to.

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**SECOND READING OF SENATE BILL**

**SB 2072:** A BILL for an Act to repeal section 54-10-17 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the maintenance of a county accounting manual by the state auditor.

**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, 0 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING.

**YEAS:** Andrist; Bercier; Bowman; Brown; Christmann; Cook; Dever; Erbele; Espgaard; Every; Fairfield; Fischer; Flakoll; Freborg; Grindberg; Hacker; Heitkamp; Holmberg; Kilzer; Klein; Krauter; Krebsbach; Kringstad; Lee, G.; Lee, J.; Lindaas; Lyson; Mathern; Mutch; Nelson; Nething; O'Connell; Robinson; Schobinger; Seymour; Stenehjem; Syverson; Tallackson; Taylor; Thane; Tollefson; Traynor; Trenbeath; Triplett; Urlacher; Wardner; Warner

SB 2072 passed and the title was agreed to.

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**SECOND READING OF SENATE BILL**

**SB 2089:** A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 51-05.1-01.1 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to revocation of auctioneer and clerk licenses.

**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, 0 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING.

**YEAS:** Andrist; Bercier; Bowman; Brown; Christmann; Cook; Dever; Erbele; Espegard; Every; Fairfield; Fischer; Flakoll; Freborg; Grindberg; Hacker; Heitkamp; Holmberg; Kilzer; Klein; Krauter; Krebsbach; Kringstad; Lee, G.; Lee, J.; Lindaas; Lyson; Mathern; Mutch; Nelson; Nething; O'Connell; Robinson; Schobinger; Seymour; Stenehjem; Syverson; Tallackson; Taylor; Thane; Tollefson; Traynor; Trenbeath; Triplett; Urlacher; Wardner; Warner

SB 2089 passed and the title was agreed to.

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**SECOND READING OF SENATE BILL**

**SB 2092:** A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 49-07-01.1 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to violations of statutes, orders, or rules governing auctioneers and auction clerks; and to provide a penalty.

**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, 0 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING.

**YEAS:** Andrist; Bercier; Bowman; Brown; Christmann; Cook; Dever; Erbele; Espegard; Every; Fairfield; Fischer; Flakoll; Freborg; Grindberg; Hacker; Heitkamp; Holmberg; Kilzer; Klein; Krauter; Krebsbach; Kringstad; Lee, G.; Lee, J.; Lindaas; Lyson; Mathern; Mutch; Nelson; Nething; O'Connell; Robinson; Schobinger; Seymour; Stenehjem; Syverson; Tallackson; Taylor; Thane; Tollefson; Traynor; Trenbeath; Triplett; Urlacher; Wardner; Warner

SB 2092 passed and the title was agreed to.

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**SECOND READING OF SENATE BILL**

**SB 2095:** A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 15-08-18.1 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to notice to county auditors when trust fund property is sold by contract.

**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, 0 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING.

**YEAS:** Andrist; Bercier; Bowman; Brown; Christmann; Cook; Dever; Erbele; Espegard; Every; Fairfield; Fischer; Flakoll; Freborg; Grindberg; Hacker; Heitkamp; Holmberg; Kilzer; Klein; Krauter; Krebsbach; Kringstad; Lee, G.; Lee, J.; Lindaas; Lyson; Mathern; Mutch; Nelson; Nething; O'Connell; Robinson; Schobinger; Seymour; Stenehjem; Syverson; Tallackson; Taylor; Thane; Tollefson; Traynor; Trenbeath; Triplett; Urlacher; Wardner; Warner

SB 2095 passed and the title was agreed to.

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**SECOND READING OF SENATE BILL**

**SB 2098:** A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact sections 54-16-03.1 and 54-16-11.1 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to filing of petitions with the emergency commission.

**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, 0 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING.

**YEAS:** Andrist; Bercier; Bowman; Brown; Christmann; Cook; Dever; Erbele; Espesgaard; Every; Fairfield; Fischer; Flakoll; Freborg; Grindberg; Hacker; Heitkamp; Holmberg; Kilzer; Klein; Krauter; Krebsbach; Kringstad; Lee, G.; Lee, J.; Lindaas; Lyson; Mathern; Mutch; Nelson; Nething; O'Connell; Robinson; Schobinger; Seymour; Stenehjerm; Syverson; Tallackson; Taylor; Thane; Tollefson; Traynor; Trenbeath; Triplett; Urlacher; Wardner; Warner

SB 2098 passed and the title was agreed to.

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**SECOND READING OF SENATE BILL**

**SB 2156:** A BILL for an Act to repeal section 4-24-07 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the collocation of agricultural promotion groups.

**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, 0 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING.

**YEAS:** Andrist; Bercier; Bowman; Brown; Christmann; Cook; Dever; Erbele; Espesgaard; Every; Fairfield; Fischer; Flakoll; Freborg; Grindberg; Hacker; Heitkamp; Holmberg; Kilzer; Klein; Krauter; Krebsbach; Kringstad; Lee, G.; Lee, J.; Lindaas; Lyson; Mathern; Mutch; Nelson; Nething; O'Connell; Robinson; Schobinger; Seymour; Stenehjerm; Syverson; Tallackson; Taylor; Thane; Tollefson; Traynor; Trenbeath; Triplett; Urlacher; Wardner; Warner

SB 2156 passed and the title was agreed to.

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**FIRST READING OF HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION**

**HCR 3006:** A concurrent resolution recognizing Roger Maris on his major league baseball career and urging the Committee on Baseball Veterans of the Baseball Hall of Fame to elect Roger Maris to the Baseball Hall of Fame.

Was read the first time.

**MOTION**

**SEN. CHRISTMANN MOVED** that the rules be suspended, that HCR 3006 not be printed, not be referred to committee, but be read in title only, be printed in the Journal, and be placed on the calendar for immediate second reading and final passage, which motion prevailed.

Reps. Maragos, Kretschmar and Sens. Flakoll, Syverson introduced:

**HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 3006**

A concurrent resolution recognizing Roger Maris on his major league baseball career and urging the Committee on Baseball Veterans of the Baseball Hall of Fame to elect Roger Maris to the Baseball Hall of Fame.

**WHEREAS**, Roger Maris was an outstanding athlete in several competitive sports at Fargo Shanley High School, played professional baseball in Fargo, and went on to play for four major league baseball teams in both major leagues in a distinguished 12-year major league career; and

**WHEREAS**, Roger Maris hit 275 career home runs and drove in 851 runs in major league regular season play and played a key role in the success of seven World Series teams and three World Champion teams and is among a handful of players to hit a World Series home run for a team from each league; and

**WHEREAS**, Roger Maris captured the attention and imagination of America as few in the sports world have, when his outstanding season challenged and surpassed baseball's most cherished record held by the immortal Babe Ruth, and Roger Maris accomplished the unparalleled feat of hitting 61 home runs against 46 different pitchers while striking out only 67 times during the 1961 season, a feat made more remarkable by the unceasing pressure exerted upon him by the press and public attention; and

**WHEREAS**, Roger Maris was a fleet outfielder, renowned equally for his skill with a glove as for his prowess as an outstanding hitter, and displayed remarkable abilities on defense for which he received a Gold Glove Award; and

**WHEREAS**, Roger Maris was selected as the most valuable player in the American League in consecutive seasons, 1960 and 1961, and probably achieved more in baseball with less appreciation from sportswriters and fans than any other player, which is an injustice that could be rectified by the Committee on Baseball Veterans; and

**WHEREAS**, members of the Committee on Baseball Veterans, being among the greatest to ever play the game, can appreciate better than sportswriters ever could that Roger Maris was among the elite players of his era and what he endured in his career; and

**WHEREAS**, until his death in 1985, Roger Maris gave unsparingly of himself to causes for the assistance of deprived, handicapped, and underprivileged children and adults and served with Shirley Temple Black as cochairman of the national campaign for the Multiple Sclerosis Society in 1962; and

**WHEREAS**, Roger Maris was the recipient of the Theodore Roosevelt Rough Rider Award in 1963, which is the highest recognition the state of North Dakota can bestow upon present or former North Dakotans;

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF NORTH DAKOTA, THE SENATE CONCURRING THEREIN:**

That the Fifty-ninth Legislative Assembly takes great pleasure in recognizing Roger Maris for his outstanding accomplishments both in and out of major league baseball and respectfully urges the Committee on Baseball Veterans of the Baseball Hall of Fame to elect Roger Maris to the Baseball Hall of Fame as a well-deserved tribute to his outstanding major league career and his inspiration to youth through his exemplary conduct on and off the baseball diamond; and

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED**, that the Secretary of State send an enrolled copy of this resolution to each member of the Committee on Baseball Veterans of the Baseball Hall of Fame.

**SECOND READING OF HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION**

**HCR 3006:** A concurrent resolution recognizing Roger Maris on his major league baseball career and urging the Committee on Baseball Veterans of the Baseball Hall of Fame to elect Roger Maris to the Baseball Hall of Fame.

The question being on the final adoption of the resolution, which has been read.

HCR 3006 was declared adopted on a voice vote.

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**MOTION**

**SEN. CHRISTMANN MOVED** that the rules be suspended and that HCR 3006 be messaged to the House immediately, which motion prevailed.

**MOTION**

**SEN. CHRISTMANN MOVED** that SB 2042 be returned to the Senate floor from the **Transportation Committee**, which motion prevailed.

**MOTION**

**SEN. CHRISTMANN MOVED** that SB 2042 be rereferred to the **Education Committee**, which motion prevailed. Pursuant to Sen. Christmann's motion, SB 2042 was rereferred.

**MOTION**

**SEN. CHRISTMANN MOVED** that SB 2206 be returned to the Senate floor from the **Appropriations Committee**, which motion prevailed.

**MOTION**

**SEN. CHRISTMANN MOVED** that SB 2206 be rereferred to the **Education Committee**, which motion prevailed. Pursuant to Sen. Christmann's motion, SB 2206 was rereferred.

**MESSAGE TO THE HOUSE FROM THE SENATE (WILLIAM R. HORTON, SECRETARY)**  
**MR. SPEAKER:** The President has signed and your signature is respectfully requested on: SCR 4006, SCR 4007, SCR 4008.

**MESSAGE TO THE HOUSE FROM THE SENATE (WILLIAM R. HORTON, SECRETARY)**  
**MR. SPEAKER:** The Senate has passed unchanged: HCR 3006.

**MESSAGE TO THE SENATE FROM THE HOUSE (BRADLEY C. FAY, CHIEF CLERK)**  
**MR. PRESIDENT:** The House respectfully requests the return of: HB 1040.

**MESSAGE TO THE SENATE FROM THE HOUSE (BRADLEY C. FAY, CHIEF CLERK)**  
**MR. PRESIDENT:** The House has passed and your favorable consideration is requested on: HB 1117, HB 1145, HB 1188.

**MESSAGE TO THE SENATE FROM THE HOUSE (BRADLEY C. FAY, CHIEF CLERK)**  
**MR. PRESIDENT:** The House has passed, the emergency clause carried, and your favorable consideration is requested on: HB 1144.

#### MOTION

**SEN. CHRISTMANN MOVED** that the Senate be on the Fifth, Ninth, and Thirteenth orders of business and at the conclusion of those orders, the Senate stand adjourned until 1:00 p.m., Tuesday, January 18, 2005, which motion prevailed.

#### REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE

**SB 2034: Education Committee (Sen. Freborg, Chairman)** recommends **DO PASS** (6 YEAS, 0 NAYS, 0 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING). SB 2034 was placed on the Eleventh order on the calendar.

#### REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE

**SB 2035: Education Committee (Sen. Freborg, Chairman)** recommends **DO PASS** (6 YEAS, 0 NAYS, 0 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING). SB 2035 was placed on the Eleventh order on the calendar.

#### REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE

**SB 2103: Finance and Taxation Committee (Sen. Urlacher, Chairman)** recommends **DO PASS** (6 YEAS, 0 NAYS, 0 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING). SB 2103 was placed on the Eleventh order on the calendar.

#### REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE

**SB 2116: Government and Veterans Affairs Committee (Sen. Krebsbach, Chairman)** recommends **AMENDMENTS AS FOLLOWS** and when so amended, recommends **DO PASS** (5 YEAS, 0 NAYS, 0 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING). SB 2116 was placed on the Sixth order on the calendar.

Page 3, after line 8, insert:

"5. The provisions of this chapter relating to electronic records or electronic transactions do not limit or supersede any provision of chapter 9-16."

Renumber accordingly

#### REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE

**SB 2146: Government and Veterans Affairs Committee (Sen. Krebsbach, Chairman)** recommends **DO PASS** and **BE REREFERRED** to the **Appropriations Committee** (5 YEAS, 0 NAYS, 0 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING). SB 2146 was rereferred to the **Appropriations Committee**.

#### REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE

**SB 2158: Finance and Taxation Committee (Sen. Urlacher, Chairman)** recommends **DO PASS** (6 YEAS, 0 NAYS, 0 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING). SB 2158 was placed on the Eleventh order on the calendar.

#### REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE

**SB 2167: Industry, Business and Labor Committee (Sen. Mutch, Chairman)** recommends **DO PASS** (7 YEAS, 0 NAYS, 0 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING). SB 2167 was placed on the Eleventh order on the calendar.

**REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE**

**SB 2175: Industry, Business and Labor Committee (Sen. Mutch, Chairman)** recommends **DO PASS** (7 YEAS, 0 NAYS, 0 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING). SB 2175 was placed on the Eleventh order on the calendar.

**REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE**

**SB 2189: Human Services Committee (Sen. J. Lee, Chairman)** recommends **DO PASS** (5 YEAS, 0 NAYS, 0 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING). SB 2189 was placed on the Eleventh order on the calendar.

**FIRST READING OF SENATE BILLS**

Sens. Fischer, Kilzer, Mathern and Rep. D. Johnson introduced:

**SB 2221:** A BILL for an Act to provide an appropriation for petitioning costs for indigent individuals who have been referred to corporate guardianships.

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

Sens. Thane, Bowman, Triplett and Reps. Galvin, Kaldor, Sitte introduced:

**SB 2222:** A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 15.1-06-04 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the commencement of the elementary and secondary school year; and to provide an effective date.

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

Sen. Klein introduced:

**SB 2223:** A BILL for an Act to create the nico-ed fund and to provide for the distribution of interest income and other moneys from the nico-ed fund; to amend and reenact sections 54-27-25 and 57-36-31 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the distribution of tobacco settlement moneys and tobacco tax revenue; and to provide a continuing appropriation.

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

Sens. Andrist, Klein and Rep. Froseth introduced:

**SB 2224:** A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact subdivisions c and d of subsection 1 of section 40-63-03 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the size of renaissance zones.

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

Sen. Andrist introduced:

**SB 2225:** A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 23-30-05 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to regular meetings of electors of hospital districts.

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

Sens. Espeland, Freborg and Rep. Delmore introduced:

**SB 2226:** A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 15.1-09-33 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the power of school boards to lease property and dismiss certain personnel.

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

Sens. Erbele, Heitkamp, Wardner and Reps. Brandenburg, Guleson, Kretschmar introduced:

**SB 2227:** A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact sections 23-11-01, 23-11-03, 23-11-11, 23-11-14, 23-11-20, 23-11-21, 23-11-23, and 23-11-24 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to housing authority jurisdiction.

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

Sens. Krebsbach, Bowman, O'Connell and Reps. Boucher, Price, Timm introduced:

**SB 2228:** A BILL for an Act to provide an appropriation to the parks and recreation department to assist with the construction costs of the international arts center at the international music camp.

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

Sens. Heitkamp, Thane and Reps. Guleson, Nelson introduced:

**SB 2229:** A BILL for an Act to establish a renewable energy development commission; to create and enact a new section to chapter 19-10, three new sections to chapter 54-44.4, three new subsections to section 57-38-30.3, and six new sections to chapter 57-38 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the ethanol content of gasoline, state purchasing of energy, and corporate and individual income tax credits for renewable energy use; to amend and reenact section 19-10-03.1 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the ethanol content of gasoline; to provide a transfer; to provide a continuing appropriation; and to provide an effective date.

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

Sens. Mathern, Christmann, Heitkamp and Reps. Drovdal, Kaldor, S. Kelsh introduced:

**SB 2230:** A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 65-02-03.1 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to appointment of legislative assembly members on the workforce safety and insurance board of directors.

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

Sens. Erbele, Hacker and Reps. Brandenburg, Kretschmar, Sandvig introduced:

**SB 2231:** A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new section to chapter 51-12 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to product rebates; and to provide a penalty.

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

Sens. Holmberg, Traynor, Triplett and Rep. Kretschmar introduced:

**SB 2232:** A BILL for an Act to create and enact section 32-19-06.2 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to deficiency judgments on agricultural land; to amend and reenact sections 32-19-01, 32-19-03, 32-19-04, 32-19-06, 32-19-06.1, 32-19-07, 32-19-08, 32-19-09, 32-19-10, 32-19-11, 32-19-18, 32-19-20, 32-19-21, 32-19-22, 32-19-23, 32-19-24, 32-19-25, 32-19-26, 32-19-28, 32-19-29, 32-19-37, 32-19-38, 32-19-39, 32-19-40, and 32-19-41 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to foreclosure of a mortgage; and to repeal sections 32-19-05, 32-19-12, 32-19-13, 32-19-14, 32-19-15, 32-19-16, 32-19-17, 32-19-30, 32-19-31, 32-19-32, 32-19-33, and 32-19-34 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to foreclosure of a mortgage.

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

Sens. Bercier, Espegard, Fairfield, Mathern, Triplett and Rep. Boe introduced:

**SB 2233:** A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new section to chapter 26.1-36 and a new section to chapter 54-52.1 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to health insurance coverage and public employee health insurance coverage for diabetes.

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

Sens. Kringstad, Hacker and Reps. S. Meyer, Weiler introduced:

**SB 2234:** A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 5-02-05 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the dispensing of alcoholic beverages on certain days.

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

Sens. Triplett, Fairfield, Lyson, Warner and Reps. Glassheim, Sitte introduced:

**SB 2235:** A BILL for an Act to establish liability related to the planting of genetically engineered wheat.

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

Sens. Christmann, Bowman, Taylor and Reps. Haas, Pollert, Schmidt introduced:

**SB 2236:** A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact subsection 4 of section 4-10.6-01 and section 4-10.6-09 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to collection of assessments on corn.

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

Sen. Christmann and Rep. Galvin introduced:

**SB 2237:** A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact sections 11-28.2-01 and 11-28.2-04 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to requirements for establishment of a recreation service district and the powers of a recreation service district.

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

Sens. Erbele, Wardner, Warner and Reps. Brandenburg, S. Kelsh, Kretschmar introduced:

**SB 2238:** A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new section to chapter 57-33 and a new section to chapter 57-38 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to a credit against rural electric cooperative gross receipts taxes and a credit against corporate income taxes for electricity purchased from school districts that generate electricity using wind turbines; and to provide an effective date.

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

Sens. Erbele, Klein, Seymour and Reps. Brandenburg, S. Kelsh, Kretschmar introduced:

**SB 2239:** A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new section to chapter 9-01, three new sections to chapter 47-05, and a new section to chapter 47-16 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to wind option agreements, easements, and leases.

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

Sens. Cook, O'Connell, Urlacher and Reps. Drovdal, R. Kelsch, Williams introduced:

**SB 2240:** A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact subsection 15 of section 57-02-08 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to verification of claims for farm residence property tax exemptions; and to provide an effective date.

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

Sens. Fairfield, Every, Heitkamp, Seymour and Reps. Amerman, Kroeber introduced:

**SB 2241:** A BILL for an Act to provide for rights of organization and representation of state employees, collective bargaining negotiations between the state of North Dakota and its employees, a state employment relations board, and public employment relations.

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

Sens. Cook, O'Connell, Wardner and Reps. R. Kelsch, Porter, Williams introduced:

**SB 2242:** A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact subsection 15 of section 57-02-08 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to ownership of a residence by a corporation, limited liability company, limited liability partnership, or limited partnership as a disqualifying factor for the farm building and residence property tax exemption; and to provide an effective date.

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

Sens. Cook, Urlacher, Wardner and Reps. Drovdal, Porter, Williams introduced:

**SB 2243:** A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 57-01-05 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to an annual audit of property tax assessments and property tax exemption decisions.

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

Sen. Brown and Rep. Price introduced:

**SB 2244:** A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact subsection 9 of section 26.1-08-01, subsections 4 and 10 of section 26.1-08-12, and section 26.1-08-13 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to eligibility for coverage under the comprehensive health association of North Dakota.

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

Sens. Mathern, Krauter and Rep. Thoreson introduced:

**SB 2245:** A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact subsection 3 of section 14-02.4-02, subsection 5 of section 14-02.5-01, subsection 4 of section 34-01-20, sections 34-05-01.1 and 34-05-01.2, subsection 8 of section 34-05-01.3, and sections 34-07-05, 34-14-11, 34-14-12, and 34-14-13 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to a name change from the department of labor to the department of labor and human rights.

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

Sen. Traynor and Reps. Delmore, D. Johnson, Nicholas introduced:

**SB 2246:** A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 39-18-03.2 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to park model trailers.

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

Sens. Nething, Kringstad, Stenehjelm and Reps. Headland, R. Kelsch, Martinson introduced:

**SB 2247:** A BILL for an Act to provide an appropriation for 2003-05 biennium state employee compensation adjustments; and to declare an emergency.

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

Sens. Christmann, Andrist, Lindaas and Reps. Haas, L. Meier, Skarphol introduced:

**SB 2248:** A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact subsection 1 of section 4-41-02, sections 12-60-16.6, 12-60-16.9, 12-60-24, and 15.1-13-14, subsection 1 of section 15.1-13-20, section 15.1-13-23, subsection 4 of section 43-17-07.1, and sections 43-30-06, 50-11.1-06.2, and 54-59-20 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to criminal history record checks.

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

Sens. Holmberg, Dever, Wardner and Reps. Delmore, Hawken, Kasper introduced:

**SB 2249:** A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact sections 51-07-27, 51-18-01, 51-18-04.2, 51-18-04.3, 51-18-09, and 51-28-06 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to restrictions on electronically printed credit card receipts, regulation of home solicitation sales, and prohibited telephone solicitations; and to provide a penalty.

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

Sens. Trenbeath, Traynor, Triplett and Reps. Berg, Carlson, Kretschmar introduced:

**SB 2250:** A BILL for an Act to authorize agencies to limit the liability to the state of certain contracting parties and to permit ratification of certain existing agreements limiting liability to the state.

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

Sens. Trenbeath, Espeland, J. Lee and Reps. Aarsvold, Headland, Horter introduced:

**SB 2251:** A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact sections 12.1-23-11 and 12.1-23-12 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the unauthorized use of personal identifying information, penalties, and prosecution of offenses in multiple counties; jurisdiction in offenses involving conduct outside this state; and to provide a penalty.

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

Sens. Schobinger, Bowman, Taylor and Reps. Iverson, Onstad, Owens introduced:

**SB 2252:** A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact subsection 3 of section 23-07.3-01 and subsections 1 and 9 of section 23-07.5-01 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to notification of exposure to infectious diseases and to human immunodeficiency virus testing.

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

Sen. Holmberg introduced:

**SB 2253:** A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new subsection to section 14-02.5-09 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to exempting certain housing rentals from housing discrimination prohibitions.

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

Sens. Trenbeath, Krauter, Lyson and Reps. DeKrey, Drovdal, Herbel introduced:

**SB 2254:** A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new section to chapter 39-20 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to drivers' records for driving while under the influence.

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

Sens. Trenbeath, Espesgaard, Tallackson and Reps. Delmore, Hawken, Weisz introduced:

**SB 2255:** A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new section to chapter 57-40.3 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to a separate and additional motor vehicle excise tax; to amend and reenact section 57-40.3-10 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to revenue from the motor vehicle excise tax; and to provide an effective date.

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

Sens. Klein, Erbele, O'Connell and Reps. DeKrey, Devlin, Weisz introduced:

**SB 2256:** A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new subsection to section 20.1-03-12 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to nonresident waterfowl hunting license fees; and to amend and reenact section 20.1-03-07.1 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to nonresident waterfowl hunting licenses.

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

Sens. Trenbeath, Lyson, Traynor and Reps. Delmore, Hawken, Klemin introduced:

**SB 2257:** A BILL for an Act to provide for a bad check diversion program established by the supreme court.

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

Sens. Wardner, Espesgaard, Mutch and Reps. Hawken, Maragos, Weisz introduced:

**SB 2258:** A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 24-02-25 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to payments to contractors.

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

Sen. Kilzer and Rep. Price introduced:

**SB 2259:** A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 23-07.5-02 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to informed consent for HIV testing.

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

Sens. Seymour, Erbele, Flakoll, Holmberg and Reps. Herbel, Horter introduced:

**SB 2260:** A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new chapter to title 15.1 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to early childhood education.

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

Sens. Nething, Espesgaard, Krebsbach and Reps. Galvin, N. Johnson, Weiler introduced:

**SB 2261:** A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new section to chapter 23-12 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to breastfeeding; and to amend and reenact subsection 4 of section 12.1-20-02 and sections 12.1-20-12.1, 12.1-27.1-11, and 42-01-01 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to exempting the act of breastfeeding from certain offenses.

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

Sens. Bowman, Wardner and Reps. N. Johnson, Rennerfeldt introduced:

**SB 2262:** A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact subsection 4 of section 15.1-27-25 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to expenditure of federal mineral royalties by counties.

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

Sens. Espegard, Holmberg, Schobinger, Tollefson and Reps. Dietrich, Nottestad introduced:

**SB 2263:** A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 6-06-07 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the field of membership of state-chartered credit unions.

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

Sens. Espegard, Holmberg, Lindaas and Reps. Delmore, Herbel, Nottestad introduced:

**SB 2264:** A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact subsection 22 of section 54-52-01 and subsection 8 of section 54-52.6-01 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the definition of wages and salaries for purposes of the public employees retirement system; and to provide an appropriation.

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

Sens. Trenbeath, Espegard, Grindberg and Reps. Delmore, Klemin, Kretschmar introduced:

**SB 2265:** A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact sections 32-12.1-02, 32-12.1-03, and 32-12.2-02 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to civil liability of political subdivisions and the state; and to declare an emergency.

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

Sens. Traynor, Andrist, Lindaas and Reps. Metcalf, Nicholas introduced:

**SB 2266:** A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 43-17.2-01, subsection 5 of section 43-17.2-02, subsection 3 of section 43-17.2-03, and section 43-17.2-08 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the state-community matching physician loan repayment program and powers of the state health council; and to provide an appropriation.

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

Sens. Erbele, Andrist, Thane and Reps. Brandenburg, Maragos, Pietsch introduced:

**SB 2267:** A BILL for an Act to provide an appropriation for services and programs for senior citizens.

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

Sens. Krebsbach, O'Connell, Seymour and Reps. Ekstrom, Froseth, Kerzman introduced:

**SB 2268:** A BILL for an Act to provide for waste rubber recycling, abatement and remediation of waste rubber tire stockpiles, and to recover the components of petroleum-based products.

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

Sens. Grindberg, Erbele, Flakoll and Reps. Hawken, N. Johnson, Potter introduced:

**SB 2269:** A BILL for an Act to create and enact chapter 43-53 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to creation of the North Dakota marriage and family therapy licensure board; and to provide a penalty.

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

Sens. Trenbeath, Espegard, Nething and Reps. Kingsbury, Nelson introduced:

**SB 2270:** A BILL for an Act to create and enact sections 4-14.1-07.1 and 4-14.1-07.2 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to ethanol plant production incentives; to amend and reenact section 4-14.1-10 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the ethanol production incentive fund; and to provide a continuing appropriation.

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

Sens. Krauter, Heitkamp, Lyson and Reps. Kerzman, Nelson, Porter introduced:

**SB 2271:** A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact sections 20.1-04-15 and 20.1-08-04.9 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the opening date of pheasant season for youth.

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

Sens. Erbele, Klein, Taylor and Reps. Brandenburg, Froelich, Kempenich introduced:

**SB 2272:** A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact subsection 1 of section 57-02-01 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the definition of agricultural property for property tax assessment and classification purposes; and to provide an effective date.

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

Sens. Nething, Espegard, Traynor and Reps. DeKrey, Delmore, Kretschmar introduced:

**SB 2273:** A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new section to chapter 28-21 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to limitations on bond requirements in litigation; to provide an effective date; to provide for application; and to declare an emergency.

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

Sens. Nething, Espegard, Heitkamp and Reps. Carlson, Hawken, Weiler introduced:

**SB 2274:** A BILL for an Act to create and enact two new sections to chapter 39-21 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to axles on a vehicle; and to amend and reenact subsection 2 of section 39-06.1-06, sections 39-06.1-09, 39-12-02, 39-12-05, 39-12-05.3, and 39-12-08 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to weight and size limitations and permits for vehicles.

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

Sens. Cook, Krebsbach, Warner and Reps. R. Kelsch, Porter, Price introduced:

**SB 2275:** A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact subsection 3 of section 23-35-05 and subsection 1 of section 23-35-07 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to property tax levy limitations of merged health districts; and to provide an effective date.

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

Sens. Espegard, Grindberg and Rep. Dosch introduced:

**SB 2276:** A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 6-09.4-02, subsection 5 of section 6-09.4-03, sections 6-09.4-06, 6-09.4-07, 6-09.4-09, and 6-09.4-13, and subsection 1 of section 40-57-02 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the purchase of qualified small issue bonds by the municipal bond bank and issuance of municipal industrial development revenue bonds by the municipal bond bank; and to provide program limits for the purchase or issuance of qualified small issue bonds or municipal industrial revenue bonds by the municipal bond bank.

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

Sens. Flakoll, Christmann, Klein and Reps. Berg, Brandenburg, Nicholas introduced:

**SB 2277:** A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new section to chapter 4-09 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to limitations on regulation of seed by political subdivisions.

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

Sen. Klein and Rep. Nottestad introduced:

**SB 2278:** A BILL for an Act to create and enact five new sections to chapter 49-05 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to public utility rate stability plans.

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

Sens. Klein, Erbele, Krauter and Rep. Boe introduced:

**SB 2280:** A BILL for an Act to create and enact seventeen new sections to chapter 63-01.1 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the control of eradication of noxious weeds and pests; to amend and reenact subsection 1 of section 4-33-11, and sections 63-01.1-01, 63-01.1-02, 63-01.1-03, 63-01.1-03.1, 63-01.1-04, 61-01.1-04.1, 61-03.1-05, 63-01.1-05.1, 63-01.1-06, 63-01.1-08, 63-01.1-09, 63-01.1-10.1, 63-01.1-12, 63-01.1-12.1, 63-01.1-12.2, 63-01.1-13, 63-01.1-14, and 63-01.1-15 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the control and eradication of noxious weeds and pests; and to repeal section 63-01.1-04.2 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to pest control by county weed boards.

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

Sens. Klein, Grindberg, Taylor and Reps. Belter, Mueller, Pollert introduced:

**SB 2281:** A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact sections 57-38.6-01 and 57-38.6-03 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to agricultural business investment income tax credits; and to provide an effective date.

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

Sens. Brown, Heitkamp, Lyson and Reps. Nelson, Price introduced:

**SB 2282:** A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new section to chapter 26.1-26.4 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to independent review procedures for health care utilization review agents; to amend and reenact sections 26.1-26.4-02, 26.1-26.4-04, and 65-02-20 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to minimum standards of utilization review agents and workforce safety and insurance procedures for dispute resolution; and to provide an effective date.

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

Sen. J. Lee introduced:

**SB 2283:** A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 43-15-35 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to hospital ownership of a pharmacy.

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

Sens. Krebsbach, Heitkamp and Rep. Weisz introduced:

**SB 2284:** A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new section to chapter 50-24.6 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to a medical assistance preferred drug list; to amend and reenact section 50-24.6-01, subsection 2 of section 50-24.6-02, and sections

50-24.6-03, 50-24.6-05, and 50-24.6-07 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to medical assistance drug use review; and to repeal section 50-24.6-04 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the medical assistance prior authorization program.

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

Sens. Lyson, Cook and Reps. Onstad, Rennerfeldt introduced:

**SB 2285:** A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 23-11-29 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to payments in lieu of taxes on certain housing authority property; to provide an appropriation; and to provide an effective date.

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

Sens. Fairfield, Heitkamp, Krebsbach and Reps. Charging, Kroeber, S. Meyer introduced:

**SB 2286:** A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new section to chapter 51-07 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to unfair trade practices and gift certificates; and to provide a penalty.

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

Sens. Fischer, Heitkamp, J. Lee and Reps. Boehning, Devlin, Weisz introduced:

**SB 2287:** A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 14-03-22 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the fee for a marriage license.

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

Sens. Fischer, Heitkamp, J. Lee and Reps. Devlin, Koppelman, Weisz introduced:

**SB 2288:** A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new section to chapter 14-09 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to transfers of funds for payment of child support; to amend and reenact section 14-09-09.24 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to income withholding for child support purposes; and to declare an emergency.

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

Sens. Fischer, Heitkamp, J. Lee and Reps. Devlin, Kasper, Koppelman introduced:

**SB 2289:** A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new subdivision to subsection 1 of section 14-09-09.7 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to child support guidelines; to amend and reenact sections 14-08.1-06 and 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, subsections 1 and 2 of section 14-09-08.16, and subsections 8 and 9 of section 14-09-09.10 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to child support reviews; and to provide an effective date.

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

Sens. Heitkamp, Erbele, Tollefson and Reps. Amerman, Carlson, Gulleeson introduced:

**SB 2290:** A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact sections 20.1-12-04 and 20.1-12-06 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the operation and regulation of private shooting preserves.

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

Sen. Heitkamp and Rep. Amerman introduced:

**SB 2291:** A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new section to chapter 65-10 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to a claimant's ability to appeal a workplace safety and insurance decision directly to the district court.

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

Sens. Heitkamp, Fairfield, Nelson and Reps. Amerman, Glassheim, Gulleeson introduced:

**SB 2292:** A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new section to chapter 65-02 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to creation of an advisory board for workforce safety and insurance; to amend and reenact subsection 1 of section 21-10-01, subsections 7 and 13 of section 65-01-02, sections 65-02-01, 65-02-30, and 65-04-19.3, and subdivision b of subsection 3 of section 65-05-29 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to reference to the workforce safety and insurance board of directors; and to repeal sections 65-02-03.1, 65-02-03.2, and 65-02-03.3 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the workforce safety and insurance board of directors.

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

Sens. Heitkamp, Every, Traynor and Reps. Devlin, D. Johnson, Vigasaa introduced:

**SB 2293:** A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new section to chapter 61-35 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to conversion of water resource district water supply systems to water districts.

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

Sens. Heitkamp, Erbele, Thane and Reps. Gulleeson, Wall, Williams introduced:

**SB 2294:** A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new subsection to section 20.1-03-12 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to license fees for nonresident wholesale bait vendor licenses; and to amend and reenact subsections 25 and 45 of section 20.1-03-12 and section 20.1-06-14 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the regulation and licensing of wholesale bait vendors.

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

Sens. Heitkamp, Fischer, G. Lee, Traynor and Reps. Gullekson, Nelson introduced:

**SB 2296:** A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 61-04-06.2 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to water permit terms.

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

Sen. J. Lee and Rep. Price introduced:

**SB 2297:** A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact sections 54-56-03, 54-56-04, and 54-56-06 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the functions and duties of the children's services coordinating committee; and to repeal section 54-56-07 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the operating fund balance of the children's services coordinating committee.

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

Sens. Christmann, Dever, Kilzer and Reps. Pollert, Sitte, Thoreson introduced:

**SB 2298:** A BILL for an Act to provide for bone marrow donor education and leave of absence for state employees donating an organ or bone marrow.

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

Sens. Dever, Flakoll, Lyson, Tollefson and Reps. Carlisle, Thoreson introduced:

**SB 2299:** A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new subsection to section 57-39.2-04 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to a sales and use tax exemption for United States and North Dakota flags; and to provide an effective date.

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

Sens. Kilzer, G. Lee and Reps. Kaldor, Kingsbury introduced:

**SB 2300:** A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact sections 23-12-09, 23-12-10, 23-12-10.2, and 23-12-11 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to smoke-free environments; to repeal section 23-12-10.1 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to smoking area signage; and to provide a penalty.

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

Sens. Trenbeath, Grindberg and Reps. Iverson, Kretschmar, Thoreson introduced:

**SB 2302:** A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 28-20-34 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to postjudgment interest.

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

Sens. Fairfield, Bercier, Seymour, Warner and Reps. Gullekson, Kaldor introduced:

**SB 2303:** A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new section to chapter 54-05.1 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to restricting the acceptance of gifts by members of the legislative assembly; to amend and reenact section 54-05.1-03 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to lobbyist reporting requirements; and to provide a penalty.

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

Sens. Dever, Brown, Cook, Tollefson and Rep. L. Meier introduced:

**SB 2304:** A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact subsection 5 of section 50-11.1-02 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the services included within the definition of early childhood services.

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

Sens. Dever, Mutch, Tollefson and Reps. Kempenich, Rennerfeldt introduced:

**SB 2305:** A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new section to chapter 32-03 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to immunity for altered liquified petroleum gas equipment or appliances.

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

Sens. Warner, Fairfield, Tollefson and Reps. DeKrey, Delzer, S. Meyer introduced:

**SB 2306:** A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new section to chapter 6-09 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to capitalization requirements of the Bank of North Dakota.

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

Sens. Flakoll, Espgaard, Grindberg, Klein and Reps. Dosch, Keiser introduced:

**SB 2307:** A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new section to chapter 65-04 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to a workforce safety and insurance premium discount for smoke-free workplaces.

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

Sens. Krebsbach, Dever and Reps. Grande, Hawken, Price introduced:

**SB 2308:** A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new section to chapter 14-10 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to consent for certain health care services provided to minors.

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

Sens. Tollefson, Dever, Mutch, Schobinger, Urlacher and Rep. Bellew introduced:

**SB 2309:** A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 10-13-06 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the distribution of electric cooperative capital credits.

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

Sens. Fischer, Krauter, J. Lee and Reps. Kasper, Koppelman, Weisz introduced:

**SB 2310:** A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact subsection 6 of section 14-09-25 and section 28-20-34 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the interest on unpaid child support obligations.

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

Sens. J. Lee, Brown and Reps. Hawken, Thoreson introduced:

**SB 2311:** A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact subsection 2 of section 54-02-01 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to unlawful use of the great seal.

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

Sens. J. Lee, Brown and Reps. Thoreson, Weisz introduced:

**SB 2312:** A BILL for an Act to provide for the establishment of a centralized electronic prescription monitoring system for medical assistance recipients.

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

Sens. Fairfield, Seymour, Triplett and Rep. Maragos introduced:

**SB 2313:** A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 12.1-23-03 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to theft of services for unpaid wages.

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

Sens. Syverson, Fischer, Krebsbach and Reps. Brusegaard, Iverson, Koppelman introduced:

**SB 2314:** A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 57-40.3-02 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the motor vehicle excise tax for antique and collector's motor vehicles; and to provide an effective date.

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

Sens. Syverson, Dever, Nelson, Schobinger and Reps. Iverson, Thoreson introduced:

**SB 2315:** A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new section to chapter 57-02 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to a freeze on the taxable valuation of the homestead of a person sixty-five years of age or older or who is permanently and totally disabled; and to provide an effective date.

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

Sens. Warner, Brown, Fairfield and Reps. Charging, Nelson introduced:

**SB 2316:** A BILL for an Act to provide for hospital and institution of higher education reporting of results of clinical trials of experimental treatments for serious or life-threatening diseases or conditions.

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

Sen. Warner and Rep. Glassheim introduced:

**SB 2317:** A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new section to chapter 54-21 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the establishment of a service center in the state capitol; to amend and reenact section 54-05.1-03 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the payment of registration fees by lobbyists; and to provide a continuing appropriation.

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

Sens. Bercier, Fairfield, Mathern and Reps. Froelich, S. Meyer, Onstad introduced:

**SB 2319:** A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new section to chapter 38-08.1 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to regulation of geophysical exploration seismic shot hole operations; and to amend and reenact sections 38-08.1-01 and 38-08.1-04.1 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to definitions and exploration permit requirements to conduct geophysical exploration.

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

Sens. Bercier, Every, Warner and Reps. Froelich, Maragos, Nelson introduced:

**SB 2320:** A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new section to chapter 54-35 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to a legislative council state-tribal relations committee; and to provide an expiration date.

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

Sens. Bercier, Trenbeath, Warner and Reps. Kaldor, S. Kelsh, Maragos introduced:

**SB 2321:** A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 23-01-02 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to health council membership inclusion of an enrolled member of a federally recognized tribe.

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

Sen. Wardner and Reps. Kreidt, Onstad introduced:

**SB 2322:** A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 47-10.1-02 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to restrictions on the acquisition of agricultural land.

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

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

**William R. Horton, Secretary**

