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The House convened at 1:00 p.m., with Speaker Delzer presiding.

The prayer was offered by Pastor Stephanie Tollefson, First Lutheran Church, Hunter.

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

A quorum was declared by the Speaker.

COMMUNICATION FROM GOVERNOR JOHN HOEVEN

This is to inform you that on March 2, 2007, I have signed the following: HB 1045, HB 1048, HB 1057, HB 1068, HB 1131, HB 1184, HB 1206, HB 1224, HB 1257, and HB 1333.

SIXTH ORDER OF BUSINESS

SPEAKER DELZER DEEMED approval of the amendments to SB 2045, Engrossed SB 2081, Engrossed SB 2137, SB 2148, as amended, SB 2165, Engrossed SB 2248, Engrossed SB 2262, Engrossed SB 2299, and Engrossed SB 2406.

SB 2045, Engrossed SB 2081, Engrossed SB 2137, SB 2165, Engrossed SB 2248, Engrossed SB 2262, Engrossed SB 2299, and Engrossed SB 2406, as amended, and SB 2148 as further amended, were placed on the Fourteenth order of business on the calendar for the succeeding legislative day.

MOTION

REP. R. KELSCH MOVED that the House reconsider its action whereby SB 2354 failed to pass for want of a Constitutional majority, which motion prevailed on a verification vote.

SECOND READING OF SENATE BILL

SB 2354: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 15.1-21-02 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to instruction in physical education.

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 52 YEAS, 40 NAYS, 0 EXCUSED, 2 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING.

YEAS: Bellew; Berg; Boucher; Carlisle; Carlson; Charging; Clark; Conrad; Delmore; Dietrich; Dosch; Ekstrom; Glassheim; Grande; Griffin; Gruchalla; Haas; Hanson; Hatlestad; Hawken; Headland; Johnson, N.; Kasper; Keiser; Kelsch, R.; Kelsch, S.; Kerzman; Klemin; Koppelman; Kroeber; Meier, L.; Metcalf; Meyer, S.; Mueller; Myxter; Nottestad; Onstad; Pietsch; Pinkerton; Porter; Potter; Price; Schneider; Sukut; Svedjan; Thoreson; Thorpe; Vig; Weiler; Wieland; Wolf; Zaiser

NAYS: Aarsvold; Amerman; Belter; Boe; Boehning; Brandenburg; Dahl; Damschen; DeKrey; Drovdal; Froelich; Froseth; Gulleson; Heller; Herbel; Hofstad; Hunsakor; Johnson, D.; Kaldor; Karls; Kempenich; Kingsbury; Klein; Kreidt; Kretschmar; Martinson; Monson; Nelson; Owens; Pollert; Ruby; Schmidt; Uglem; Vigesaa; Wald; Wall; Weisz; Williams; Wrangham; Speaker Delzer

ABSENT AND NOT VOTING: Skarphol; Solberg

SB 2354 passed and the title was agreed to.

MOTION

REP. MONSON MOVED that a committee of two be appointed to escort Miss. Rodeo America, Ashley Andrews, to the podium, which motion prevailed. Speaker Delzer appointed Reps. Kempenich and Drov Dahl to the Escort Committee.

REMARKS OF ASHLEY ANDREWS, MISS. RODEO AMERICA

It is an honor and privilege to be with you today. As I look out I see that we all have something very important in common, we all have a great love and passion for the people and places in our great state of North Dakota. We all want to see our state grow and people to have the best life here possible, and we all want to be the best representatives for the people in this state.

Growing up in Southwest North Dakota I was probably a typical high school kid. I figured that I would go to college at the University of Mary and I would probably end up leaving the state because "the grass is greener on the other side". In all my travels as Miss. Rodeo North Dakota I can tell you I have been all across the country and not yet have I been a place that even comes close to comparing to our state of North Dakota.

When I finish my reign I plan to come back to the University and come back to Southwest North Dakota and start a family and raise my kids with the same values that I was raised with, because North Dakotans have the epitome of the values of hard work, dedication, honesty, integrity, and being great genuine people. There are no people like the people here in North Dakota, that are willing to give you the shirt off their back in your time of need, which I experienced last year.

I want to leave you today with an important quote that is near and dear to my heart and I hope will be to yours also. I am also going to leave you with a speech that I gave in Las Vegas at the Miss. Rodeo America pageant that helped me win the speech category and also the title of "Miss. Rodeo America".

The quote is "The value of a person is not measured on an applause meter, nor in the eyes of others, but it's measured in the heart and mind of God."

When you think of California, what do you think of? Clear sandy beaches with hot bay watch babes, running around, saving lives in the endless deep blue ocean? Or how about Wisconsin...providing you with enough cheese to leave you in the bathroom for hours. But how about North Dakota?? Did you draw a blank, or did you shiver with cold. Which leaves me with one word...snow.

North Dakota isn't for the faint of heart, its sometimes 50 below winters make its citizens as tough as nails. Some even grow to enjoy shoveling snow, scraping car windows, and occasionally getting snowed in.

But you must admit, without snow, we'd be without so many things; like snowmobiles, snow shoes, snow shovels, snow skis, snow men, snow angels and snow bunnies. We would even be without a North Dakotans favorite piece of advice, "Never eat yellow snow."

Maybe it's because of the snow and cold weather that North Dakota is sparsely populated, and made up of many small towns which make it normal to see your best friend driving a tractor down main street, or make your idea of going out to lunch, driving to the auction barn on sale day.

And there is no doubt that North Dakota's harsh weather played a part in creating some of the toughest rodeo cowboys of our time, like world champion bareback rider Wayne Herman, or world champion saddle bronc riders Brad Gjermundson and Alvin Nelson. They say that North Dakota can grow tough bareback and saddle bronc riders because no one wants to get bucked off here and have to walk home in this weather!

Now don't let the cold scare you, there is much more to North Dakota than cold and snow, because North Dakotans are some of the most kind, outgoing, hard working and honest people you will ever meet. I guess I'll let you in on a little secret. We actually use the cold weather as a scare tactic, because if everyone knew just how great North Dakota really was, they would all want to pack up and move here tomorrow.

So to you, North Dakota might just mean snow, but to me, North Dakota is the place where the grass grows lush, green and stirrup high, and the water runs cool, clear and deep. And I know when I make my last inevitable ride, and my final judge tells me my entry fees have been paid, I'll be in my new home, just like my home, here in North Dakota.

MOTION

REP. BERG MOVED that the remarks of Ashley Andrews be printed in the Journal, which motion prevailed.

MESSAGE TO THE SENATE FROM THE HOUSE (BUELL J. REICH, CHIEF CLERK)

MR. PRESIDENT: Your signature is respectfully requested on: HB 1008, HB 1070, HB 1075, HB 1076, HB 1077, HB 1083, HB 1095, HB 1108, HB 1117, HB 1123, HB 1142, HB 1177, HB 1186, HB 1211, HB 1253, HB 1265, HB 1266, HB 1289, HB 1301, HB 1302.

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

MR. SPEAKER: Your signature is respectfully requested on: SB 2042, SB 2064, SB 2065, SB 2075, SB 2078, SB 2079, SB 2084, SB 2092, SB 2114, SB 2131, SB 2138, SB 2185, SB 2213, SB 2233.

MESSAGE TO THE SENATE FROM THE HOUSE (BUELL J. REICH, CHIEF CLERK)

MR. PRESIDENT: The Speaker has signed: HB 1052, HB 1064, HB 1085, HB 1114, HB 1185, HB 1236, HB 1318, HB 1374, HB 1376, HB 1377.

DELIVERY OF ENROLLED BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

The following bills were delivered to the Governor for approval on March 5, 2007: HB 1052, HB 1064, HB 1085, HB 1114, HB 1185, HB 1236, HB 1318, HB 1374, HB 1376, HB 1377.

MESSAGE TO THE SENATE FROM THE HOUSE (BUELL J. REICH, CHIEF CLERK)

MR. PRESIDENT: The Speaker has signed: SB 2028, SB 2042, SB 2064, SB 2065, SB 2075, SB 2078, SB 2079, SB 2084, SB 2092, SB 2114, SB 2131, SB 2138, SB 2185, SB 2213, SB 2233.

MESSAGE TO THE SENATE FROM THE HOUSE (BUELL J. REICH, CHIEF CLERK)

MR. PRESIDENT: The Speaker has signed: HCR 3001.

DELIVERY OF ENROLLED BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

The following resolution was delivered to the Secretary of State for filing on March 5, 2007: HCR 3001.

MESSAGE TO THE SENATE FROM THE HOUSE (BUELL J. REICH, CHIEF CLERK)

MR. PRESIDENT: The House has amended, subsequently passed, and the emergency clause carried: SB 2025.

MESSAGE TO THE SENATE FROM THE HOUSE (BUELL J. REICH, CHIEF CLERK)

MR. PRESIDENT: The House has amended and subsequently passed: SB 2074, SB 2076, SB 2136, SB 2146.

MESSAGE TO THE SENATE FROM THE HOUSE (BUELL J. REICH, CHIEF CLERK)

MR. PRESIDENT: The House has passed unchanged: SB 2031, SB 2216, SB 2359, SB 2380, SB 2381.

MESSAGE TO THE SENATE FROM THE HOUSE (BUELL J. REICH, CHIEF CLERK)

MR. PRESIDENT: The House has passed and your favorable consideration is requested on: HCR 3016, HCR 3045.

MESSAGE TO THE SENATE FROM THE HOUSE (BUELL J. REICH, CHIEF CLERK)

MR. PRESIDENT: The House has failed to pass: SB 2041, SB 2257, SB 2335.

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

MR. SPEAKER: The Senate has passed unchanged: HCR 3030.

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

MR. SPEAKER: The Senate has passed and your favorable consideration is requested on: SCR 4008, SCR 4029, SCR 4030.

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

MR. SPEAKER: The Senate has failed to pass: HB 1226, HB 1277.

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

MR. SPEAKER: The Senate has passed, the emergency clause failed, unchanged: HB 1305.

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

MR. SPEAKER: The Senate has amended, subsequently passed, and the emergency clause carried: HB 1029.

SENATE AMENDMENTS TO ENGROSSED HOUSE BILL NO. 1029

Page 1, line 9, after "the" insert "primary"

Page 1, line 17, after "the" insert "primary"

Renumber accordingly

MESSAGE TO THE HOUSE FROM THE SENATE (WILLIAM R. HORTON, SECRETARY)
MR. SPEAKER: The Senate has amended and subsequently passed: HB 1088, HB 1198, HCR 3021.

SENATE AMENDMENTS TO ENGROSSED HOUSE BILL NO. 1088

Page 1, line 1, after the first "to" insert "amend and reenact subdivision c of subsection 4 of section 6-09-15 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to defining eligible investments with the North Dakota alternative and venture capital investments; and to"

Page 1, after line 3, insert:

"SECTION 1. AMENDMENT. Subdivision c of subsection 4 of section 6-09-15 of the North Dakota Century Code is amended and reenacted as follows:

- c. In North Dakota alternative and venture capital investments and early-stage capital funds, including the North Dakota development fund, incorporated, not to exceed ten million dollars, for the purpose of providing funds for investment in North Dakota alternative and venture capital investments and early-stage capital funds. The Bank may invest a maximum of two hundred thousand dollars per biennium in North Dakota-based venture capital entities that make investments in companies located outside North Dakota. The Bank may allow for third-party management of the funds invested under this subdivision if the management is provided by the North Dakota development fund, incorporated, or a third party that is located in the state and that has demonstrated fund management experience."

Renumber accordingly

SENATE AMENDMENTS TO HOUSE BILL NO. 1198

Page 1, line 11, after the second "district" insert "with a combined enrollment of under three hundred sixty students"

Renumber accordingly

SENATE AMENDMENTS TO HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 3021

Page 1, line 1, remove ", 2007,"

Page 1, after line 1, insert:

"WHEREAS, Ronald Reagan was born in Tampico, Illinois, on February 6, 1911; and"

Page 1, line 22, remove "and"

Page 1, remove lines 23 and 24

Page 2, line 3, remove ", 2007,"

Renumber accordingly

MESSAGE TO THE HOUSE FROM THE SENATE (WILLIAM R. HORTON, SECRETARY)
MR. SPEAKER: The Senate has passed, the emergency clause carried, unchanged: HB 1470.

MESSAGE TO THE HOUSE FROM THE SENATE (WILLIAM R. HORTON, SECRETARY)
MR. SPEAKER: The Senate has passed unchanged: HB 1069, HB 1109, HB 1172, HB 1213, HB 1232, HB 1235, HB 1238, HB 1268, HB 1281, HB 1313, HB 1338, HB 1342, HB 1408, HB 1413, HB 1500, HB 1514, HCR 3044.

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 Thirteenth orders of business and at the conclusion of those orders, the House stand adjourned until 1:00 p.m., Tuesday, March 6, 2007, which motion prevailed.

REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE

SB 2057, as engrossed: Education Committee (Rep. R. Kelsch, Chairman) recommends **AMENDMENTS AS FOLLOWS** and when so amended, recommends **DO PASS** and **BE REREFERRED** to the **Appropriations Committee** (13 YEAS, 0 NAYS, 0 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING). Engrossed SB 2057 was placed on the Sixth order on the calendar.

Page 2, line 29, after "certification" insert "after November 1, 2002, and"

Renumber accordingly

REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE

SB 2168: Industry, Business and Labor Committee (Rep. Keiser, Chairman) recommends **AMENDMENTS AS FOLLOWS** and when so amended, recommends **DO PASS** (14 YEAS, 0 NAYS, 0 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING). SB 2168 was placed on the Sixth order on the calendar.

Page 1, line 8, overstrike "to insure all licensees who choose to participate in the group program"

Renumber accordingly

REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE

SB 2289: Natural Resources Committee (Rep. Porter, Chairman) recommends **DO NOT PASS** (7 YEAS, 5 NAYS, 2 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING). SB 2289 was placed on the Fourteenth order on the calendar.

REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE

SB 2293: Natural Resources Committee (Rep. Porter, Chairman) recommends **AMENDMENTS AS FOLLOWS** and when so amended, recommends **DO PASS** and **BE REREFERRED** to the **Appropriations Committee** (10 YEAS, 0 NAYS, 4 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING). SB 2293 was placed on the Sixth order on the calendar.

Page 1, line 1, after "new" insert "section to chapter 20.1-03 and a new"

Page 1, line 2, after "to" insert "hunter education requirements and to"

Page 1, after line 10, insert:

"SECTION 2. A new section to chapter 20.1-03 of the North Dakota Century Code is created and enacted as follows:

One-time hunter education exemption. An individual eighteen years of age or older may receive a one-time exemption from the hunter education requirements of section 20.1-03-01.2 for up to one license year if that individual applies for the hunting license directly from the department. A license issued to an individual under this section is valid only when the individual is accompanied afield, and under the direct supervision of, a licensed adult who is in compliance with section 20.1-03-01.2."

Renumber accordingly

REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE

SB 2294, as engrossed: Industry, Business and Labor Committee (Rep. Keiser, Chairman) recommends **DO PASS** (14 YEAS, 0 NAYS, 0 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING). Engrossed SB 2294 was placed on the Fourteenth order on the calendar.

REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE

SB 2389, as engrossed: Industry, Business and Labor Committee (Rep. Keiser, Chairman) recommends **AMENDMENTS AS FOLLOWS** and when so amended, recommends **DO PASS** (14 YEAS, 0 NAYS, 0 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING). Engrossed SB 2389 was placed on the Sixth order on the calendar.

Page 1, line 23, remove the overstrike over "~~The~~" and remove "Except as otherwise provided under this subsection, before July first of each"

Page 1, line 24, remove "year, the", remove "and adjust", remove "dollar", remove the overstrike over "~~the~~", and remove "each"

Page 2, line 1, remove "in subsections 10 and 11 and implement the adjusted amounts on July first"

Page 2, remove line 2

Page 2, line 3, remove "organization shall calculate the adjusted amount of each award" and remove the overstrike over "multiplying"

Page 2, line 4, remove the overstrike over "thirty-three and one third percent of" and remove "increasing the current award amount by the"

Page 2, line 5, remove "same percentage as the increase in" and remove "current"

Page 2, line 6, remove the overstrike over "on the date of the impairment evaluation" and remove "from the preceding year"

Page 2, line 7, remove the overstrike over ", by the", after "weeks" insert "permanent impairment multiplier", remove the overstrike over "specified in subsection 10", and remove "If the"

Page 2, remove lines 8 through 14

Page 4, line 6, replace "\$0" with "permanent impairment multiplier of 0"

Page 4, line 7, replace "\$1,890" with "permanent impairment multiplier of 10"

Page 4, line 8, replace "\$1,890" with "permanent impairment multiplier of 10"

Page 4, line 9, replace "\$2,835" with "permanent impairment multiplier of 15"

Page 4, line 10, replace "\$2,835" with "permanent impairment multiplier of 15"

Page 4, line 11, replace "\$3,780" with "permanent impairment multiplier of 20"

Page 4, line 12, replace "\$3,780" with "permanent impairment multiplier of 20"

Page 4, line 13, replace "\$4,725" with "permanent impairment multiplier of 25"

Page 4, line 14, replace "\$4,725" with "permanent impairment multiplier of 25"

Page 4, line 15, replace "\$5,670" with "permanent impairment multiplier of 30"

Page 4, line 16, replace "\$5,670" with "permanent impairment multiplier of 30"

Page 4, line 17, replace "\$6,615" with "permanent impairment multiplier of 35"

Page 4, line 18, replace "\$6,615" with "permanent impairment multiplier of 35"

Page 4, line 19, replace "\$7,560" with "permanent impairment multiplier of 40"

Page 4, line 20, replace "\$8,505" with "permanent impairment multiplier of 45"

Page 4, line 21, replace "\$9,450" with "permanent impairment multiplier of 50"

Page 4, line 22, replace "\$11,340" with "permanent impairment multiplier of 60"

Page 4, line 23, replace "\$13,230" with "permanent impairment multiplier of 70"

Page 4, line 24, replace "\$15,120" with "permanent impairment multiplier of 80"

Page 4, line 25, replace "\$17,010" with "permanent impairment multiplier of 90"

Page 4, line 26, replace "\$18,900" with "permanent impairment multiplier of 100"

Page 4, line 27, replace "\$20,790" with "permanent impairment multiplier of 110"

Page 4, line 28, replace "\$22,680" with "permanent impairment multiplier of 120"

Page 4, line 29, replace "\$24,570" with "permanent impairment multiplier of 130"

Page 4, line 30, replace "\$26,460" with "permanent impairment multiplier of 140"

Page 4, line 31, replace "\$28,350" with "permanent impairment multiplier of 150"

Page 5, line 1, replace "\$30,240" with "permanent impairment multiplier of 160"

Page 5, line 2, replace "\$32,130" with "permanent impairment multiplier of 170"

Page 5, line 3, replace "\$34,020" with "permanent impairment multiplier of 180"

Page 5, line 4, replace "\$35,910" with "permanent impairment multiplier of 190"

Page 5, line 5, replace "\$37,800" with "permanent impairment multiplier of 200"

Page 5, line 6, replace "\$39,690" with "permanent impairment multiplier of 210"

Page 5, line 7, replace "\$41,580" with "permanent impairment multiplier of 220"

Page 5, line 8, replace "\$43,470" with "permanent impairment multiplier of 230"

Page 5, line 9, replace "\$45,360" with "permanent impairment multiplier of 240"

Page 5, line 10, replace "\$49,140" with "permanent impairment multiplier of 260"

Page 5, line 11, replace "\$52,920" with "permanent impairment multiplier of 280"

Page 5, line 12, replace "\$56,700" with "permanent impairment multiplier of 300"

Page 5, line 13, replace "\$60,480" with "permanent impairment multiplier of 320"

Page 5, line 14, replace "\$64,260" with "permanent impairment multiplier of 340"

Page 5, line 15, replace "\$68,040" with "permanent impairment multiplier of 360"

Page 5, line 16, replace "\$71,820" with "permanent impairment multiplier of 380"

Page 5, line 17, replace "\$75,600" with "permanent impairment multiplier of 400"

Page 5, line 18, replace "\$79,380" with "permanent impairment multiplier of 420"

Page 5, line 19, replace "\$83,160" with "permanent impairment multiplier of 440"

Page 5, line 20, replace "\$87,885" with "permanent impairment multiplier of 465"

Page 5, line 21, replace "\$92,610" with "permanent impairment multiplier of 490"

Page 5, line 22, replace "\$97,335" with "permanent impairment multiplier of 515"

Page 5, line 23, replace "\$102,060" with "permanent impairment multiplier of 540"

Page 5, line 24, replace "\$106,785" with "permanent impairment multiplier of 565"

Page 5, line 25, replace "\$111,510" with "permanent impairment multiplier of 590"

Page 5, line 26, replace "\$116,235" with "permanent impairment multiplier of 615"

Page 5, line 27, replace "\$120,960" with "permanent impairment multiplier of 640"

Page 5, line 28, replace "\$125,685" with "permanent impairment multiplier of 665"

Page 5, line 29, replace "\$130,410" with "permanent impairment multiplier of 690"

Page 5, line 30, replace "\$135,135" with "permanent impairment multiplier of 715"

Page 5, line 31, replace "\$139,860" with "permanent impairment multiplier of 740"

Page 6, line 1, replace "\$144,585" with "permanent impairment multiplier of 765"

Page 6, line 2, replace "\$149,310" with "permanent impairment multiplier of 790"

Page 6, line 3, replace "\$154,035" with "permanent impairment multiplier of 815"

Page 6, line 4, replace "\$158,760" with "permanent impairment multiplier of 840"

Page 6, line 5, replace "\$163,485" with "permanent impairment multiplier of 865"

Page 6, line 6, replace "\$168,210" with "permanent impairment multiplier of 890"

Page 6, line 7, replace "\$172,935" with "permanent impairment multiplier of 915"

Page 6, line 8, replace "\$177,660" with "permanent impairment multiplier of 940"

Page 6, line 9, replace "\$182,385" with "permanent impairment multiplier of 965"

Page 6, line 10, replace "\$187,110" with "permanent impairment multiplier of 990"

Page 6, line 11, replace "\$191,835" with "permanent impairment multiplier of 1015"

Page 6, line 12, replace "\$196,560" with "permanent impairment multiplier of 1040"

Page 6, line 13, replace "\$201,285" with "permanent impairment multiplier of 1065"

Page 6, line 14, replace "\$206,010" with "permanent impairment multiplier of 1090"

Page 6, line 15, replace "\$210,735" with "permanent impairment multiplier of 1115"

Page 6, line 16, replace "\$215,460" with "permanent impairment multiplier of 1140"

Page 6, line 17, replace "\$220,185" with "permanent impairment multiplier of 1165"

Page 6, line 18, replace "\$224,910" with "permanent impairment multiplier of 1190"

Page 6, line 19, replace "\$229,635" with "permanent impairment multiplier of 1215"

Page 6, line 20, replace "\$234,360" with "permanent impairment multiplier of 1240"

Page 6, line 21, replace "\$239,085" with "permanent impairment multiplier of 1265"

Page 6, line 22, replace "\$243,810" with "permanent impairment multiplier of 1290"

Page 6, line 23, replace "\$249,480" with "permanent impairment multiplier of 1320"

Page 6, line 24, replace "\$255,150" with "permanent impairment multiplier of 1350"

Page 6, line 25, replace "\$260,820" with "permanent impairment multiplier of 1380"

Page 6, line 26, replace "\$266,490" with "permanent impairment multiplier of 1410"

Page 6, line 27, replace "\$272,160" with "permanent impairment multiplier of 1440"

Page 6, line 28, replace "\$277,830" with "permanent impairment multiplier of 1470"

Page 6, line 29, replace "\$283,500" with "permanent impairment multiplier of 1500"

Page 7, line 5, replace "amount" with "permanent impairment multiplier"

Page 7, line 6, replace "amount" with "permanent impairment multiplier"

Page 7, line 7, replace "\$12,285" with "permanent impairment multiplier of 65"

Page 7, line 8, replace "\$5,292" with "permanent impairment multiplier of 28"

Page 7, line 9, replace "\$7,560" with "permanent impairment multiplier of 40"

Page 7, line 10, replace "\$5,292" with "permanent impairment multiplier of 28"

Page 7, line 11, replace "\$4,159" with "permanent impairment multiplier of 22"

Page 7, line 12, replace "\$5,670" with "permanent impairment multiplier of 30"

Page 7, line 13, replace "\$4,159" with "permanent impairment multiplier of 22"

Page 7, line 15, replace "\$2,646" with "permanent impairment multiplier of 14"

Page 7, line 16, replace "\$3,780" with "permanent impairment multiplier of 20"

Page 7, line 17, replace "\$3,024" with "permanent impairment multiplier of 16"

Page 7, line 18, replace "\$3,024" with "permanent impairment multiplier of 16"

Page 7, line 19, replace "\$2,268" with "permanent impairment multiplier of 12"

Page 7, line 21, replace "\$44,226" with "permanent impairment multiplier of 234"

Page 7, line 22, replace "\$36,855" with "permanent impairment multiplier of 195"

Page 7, line 23, replace "\$28,350" with "permanent impairment multiplier of 150"

Page 7, line 24, replace "\$5,670" with "permanent impairment multiplier of 30"

Page 7, line 25, replace "\$3,402" with "permanent impairment multiplier of 18"

Page 7, line 26, replace "\$2,268" with "permanent impairment multiplier of 12"

Page 7, line 27, replace "\$28,350" with "permanent impairment multiplier of 150"

Page 8, line 2, replace "amount" with "permanent impairment multiplier"

Page 8, line 5, replace "amount" with "permanent impairment multiplier"

Page 9, after line 3, insert:

"15. If an injured employee qualifies for an additional award and the prior award was based upon the number of weeks, the impairment multiplier must be used to compare against the prior award of weeks in determining any additional award."

Renumber accordingly

REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE

SB 2411: Industry, Business and Labor Committee (Rep. Keiser, Chairman) recommends **AMENDMENTS AS FOLLOWS** and when so amended, recommends **DO PASS** (14 YEAS, 0 NAYS, 0 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING). SB 2411 was placed on the Sixth order on the calendar.

Page 2, line 2, after the underscored period insert "A hobby boiler operating license issued under this section is valid for four years."

Renumber accordingly

FIRST READING OF SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTIONS

SCR 4013: A concurrent resolution directing the Legislative Council to study the property tax exemption for public housing authorities.

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

SCR 4022: A concurrent resolution urging Congress and the President to continue to pursue peace in Iraq and Afghanistan.

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

SCR 4023: A concurrent resolution for the amendment of section 8 of article VII of the Constitution of North Dakota, relating to the beginning of a term of office for a sheriff.

Was read the first time and referred to the **Constitutional Revision Committee**.

SCR 4028: A concurrent resolution directing the Legislative Council to study the feasibility and desirability of establishing a paternity registry.

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

SCR 4031: A concurrent resolution directing the Legislative Council to study political subdivisions that receive property tax revenue and any changes that may increase efficiencies and reduce property taxes.

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

SCR 4032: A concurrent resolution directing the Legislative Council to study ways in which schools and school districts can better identify high-risk students and provide programs designed to reduce the incidences of high-risk behaviors that can lead to suicide attempts.

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

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

Buell J. Reich, Chief Clerk