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The Senate convened at 12:30 p.m., with President Wrigley presiding.

The prayer was offered by Reverend Tim Johnson, Good Shepherd Lutheran Church, Bismarck.

The roll was called and all members were present except Senator Sorvaag.

A quorum was declared by the President.

MOTION

SEN. KLEIN MOVED that the absent member be excused, which motion prevailed on a voice vote.

MOTION

SEN. KLEIN MOVED that the Senate be on the Fifth and Ninth orders of business and at the conclusion of those orders, the Senate stand in recess until 1:15 p.m., at which time it will meet in the House chamber for a Joint Session, and that the Senate will then stand adjourned until 12:30 p.m., Friday, January 11, 2013, which motion prevailed on a voice vote.

REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE

SB 2084: Human Services Committee (Sen. J. Lee, Chairman) recommends DO PASS (5 YEAS, 0 NAYS, 0 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING). SB 2084 was placed on the Eleventh order on the calendar.

REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE

SB 2096: Education Committee (Sen. Flakoll, Chairman) recommends DO PASS (6 YEAS, 0 NAYS, 0 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING). SB 2096 was placed on the Eleventh order on the calendar.

FIRST READING OF SENATE BILLS

Sens. Dever, J. Lee, Axness and Reps. Porter, Rohr, Hogan introduced:

SB 2135: A BILL for an Act to create and enact chapter 43-17.3 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to a physician health program.

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

Sens. Krebsbach, Klein and Reps. Keiser, Porter introduced:

SB 2136: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact sections 47-14-05 and 47-14-07 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to interest rates and late fees.

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

Sens. Lyson, Poolman and Reps. Hatlestad, Schatz, Sukut introduced:

SB 2137: A BILL for an Act to create and enact section 40-05.1-06.2 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to city sales tax revenue transfer to a school district for bonded indebtedness; to amend and reenact section 40-05.1-06.1 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to authorization of city sales tax imposition for payment of school district bonds for school building construction; to provide an effective date; and to provide an expiration date.

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

Sen. Holmberg introduced:

SB 2138: A BILL for an Act to provide an appropriation for defraying the expenses of the highway patrol.

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

Sens. Klein, Murphy, Robinson and Reps. Delzer, Monson, Vigesaa introduced:

SB 2139: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 49-22-04 of the North Dakota

Century Code, relating to the submission of ten-year plans by a utility. Was read the first time and referred to the **Natural Resources Committee**.

Sens. Hogue, Lyson, Wardner and Reps. Klemin, Steiner, Vigesaa introduced:

SB 2140: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 32-09.1-08 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the service of the summons and notice of garnishment of earnings.

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

Sens. Hogue, Burckhard, Krebsbach and Reps. Klemin, Louser introduced:

SB 2141: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact subsection 4 of section 12.1-32-07 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the supervision of probationers.

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

Sens. Cook, Oehlke, O'Connell and Reps. Drovdal, Nathe, Thoreson introduced:

SB 2142: A BILL for an Act to create and enact two new subsections to section 57-39.2-01 and a new section to chapter 57-39.2 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the definition of telecommunications company and telecommunications services and a sales and use tax exemption for equipment used in telecommunications infrastructure development; to amend and reenact section 57-40.2-03.3 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to use tax exemption for telecommunications infrastructure purchased or installed by contractors; and to provide for an effective date

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

Sens. Sinner, Campbell and Reps. Ruby, Vigesaa introduced:

SB 2143: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact subsection 1 of section 21-06-07 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the investment of public funds.

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

Sens. Laffen, Grindberg, Klein and Reps. Porter, Zaiser introduced:

SB 2144: A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new section to chapter 10-31 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to ownership of professional organizations; and to amend and reenact sections 10-31-01, 10-31-02, 10-31-02.1, 10-31-04, and 10-31-13 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to nonprofessional ownership of professional organizations.

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

Sens. Erbele, Lyson, O'Connell and Reps. Brabandt, Kretschmar, Maragos introduced:

SB 2145: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 62.1-02-05 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to carrying a firearm at a public gathering.

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

Sens. Krebsbach, Grindberg, Hogue, O'Connell and Reps. Belter, Kempenich introduced:

SB 2146: A BILL for an Act to create and enact chapter 4.1-07.1 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to a grape and wine assessment; to amend and reenact sections 4-24-09 and 4-24-10 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to agricultural commodity assessment funds and reports; to provide a penalty; to provide an appropriation; to provide a continuing appropriation; and to provide a contingent effective date.

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

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

William R. Horton, Secretary