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The Senate convened at 1:00 p.m., with President Pro Tempore G. Lee presiding.

The prayer was offered by Pastor Marc Eidahl, New Life Church, Bismarck.

The roll was called and all members were present except Senators Clemens, Davison, and Marcellais.

A quorum was declared by the President Pro Tempore.

MOTION

SEN. KLEIN MOVED that Engrossed SB 2038 be rereferred to the **Appropriations Committee**, which motion prevailed. Pursuant to Sen. Klein's motion, Engrossed SB 2038 was rereferred.

MOTION

SEN. KLEIN MOVED that SB 2289 be returned to the Senate floor from the **Industry**, **Business and Labor Committee** and be rereferred to the **Agriculture Committee**, which motion prevailed.

Pursuant to Sen. Klein's motion, SB 2289 was rereferred.

CONSIDERATION OF AMENDMENTS

SB 2172: SEN. POOLMAN (Government and Veterans Affairs Committee) MOVED that the amendments on SJ page 165 be adopted and then be placed on the Eleventh order with **DO PASS**, which motion prevailed on a voice vote.

CONSIDERATION OF AMENDMENTS

SB 2110: SEN. VEDAA (Government and Veterans Affairs Committee) MOVED that the amendments on SJ page 165 be adopted and then be placed on the Eleventh order with DO PASS, which motion prevailed on a voice vote.

SECOND READING OF SENATE BILL

SB 2179: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 6-09-49 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to eligible uses for infrastructure revolving loan funds.

ROLL CALL

The question being on the final passage of the bill, which has been read, and has committee recommendation of DO NOT PASS, the roll was called and there were 16 YEAS, 28 NAYS, 0 EXCUSED, 3 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING.

- YEAS: Bekkedahl; Bowman; Casper; Dever; Grabinger; Laffen; Larsen, O.; Luick; Mathern; Meyer; Nelson; Oban; Piepkorn; Poolman; Rust; Sorvaag
- NAYS: Anderson; Armstrong; Burckhard; Campbell; Cook; Dotzenrod; Erbele; Heckaman; Hogue; Holmberg; Kannianen; Kilzer; Klein; Krebsbach; Kreun; Larson, D.; Lee, G.; Lee, J.; Myrdal; Oehlke; Osland; Robinson; Roers; Schaible; Unruh; Vedaa; Wanzek; Wardner

ABSENT AND NOT VOTING: Clemens; Davison; Marcellais

SB 2179 failed.

SECOND READING OF SENATE BILL

SB 2155: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact sections 20.1-01-06 and 20.1-01-34,

subsection 11 of section 20.1-02-05, and section 20.1-15-01 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to hunting with an airbow, prohibiting hunting with an airbow while intoxicated, and testing airbow hunters for intoxicating substances.

ROLL CALL

The question being on the final passage of the bill, which has been read, and has committee recommendation of DO NOT PASS, the roll was called and there were 10 YEAS, 34 NAYS, 0 EXCUSED, 3 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING.

- YEAS: Armstrong; Bekkedahl; Casper; Grabinger; Klein; Larsen, O.; Lee, G.; Luick; Oehlke; Vedaa
- NAYS: Anderson; Bowman; Burckhard; Campbell; Cook; Dever; Dotzenrod; Erbele; Heckaman; Hogue; Holmberg; Kannianen; Kilzer; Krebsbach; Kreun; Laffen; Larson, D.; Lee, J.; Mathern; Meyer; Myrdal; Nelson; Oban; Osland; Piepkorn; Poolman; Robinson; Roers; Rust; Schaible; Sorvaag; Unruh; Wanzek; Wardner

ABSENT AND NOT VOTING: Clemens; Davison; Marcellais

SB 2155 failed.

SB 2189: A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new section to chapter 50-25.1 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the confidentiality of children's advocacy center records; and to amend and reenact subsection 3 of section 12.1-34-07 and subsection 1 of section 27-20-51 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to reimbursement of the cost of forensic interviews and confidentiality of juvenile court records and children's advocacy center records.

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 44 YEAS, 0 NAYS, 0 EXCUSED, 3 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING.

YEAS: Anderson; Armstrong; Bekkedahl; Bowman; Burckhard; Campbell; Casper; Cook; Dever; Dotzenrod; Erbele; Grabinger; Heckaman; Hogue; Holmberg; Kannianen; Kilzer; Klein; Krebsbach; Kreun; Laffen; Larsen, O.; Larson, D.; Lee, G.; Lee, J.; Luick; Mathern; Meyer; Myrdal; Nelson; Oban; Oehlke; Osland; Piepkorn; Poolman; Robinson; Roers; Rust; Schaible; Sorvaag; Unruh; Vedaa; Wanzek; Wardner

ABSENT AND NOT VOTING: Clemens; Davison; Marcellais

Engrossed SB 2189 passed.

SECOND READING OF SENATE BILL

SB 2088: A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new section to chapter 43-45 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to licensed clinical addiction counselors; and to amend and reenact sections 43-45-01, 43-45-02, 43-45-03, 43-45-04, 43-45-05, 43-45-05.1, 43-45-05.2, 43-45-05.3, 43-45-05.4, 43-45-06, 43-45-07, 43-45-07.1, 43-45-07.2, and 43-45-07.3 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the scope of practice for addiction counselors and the licensure authority of the board of addiction counseling examiners.

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 44 YEAS, 0 NAYS, 0 EXCUSED, 3 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING.

YEAS: Anderson; Armstrong; Bekkedahl; Bowman; Burckhard; Campbell; Casper; Cook; Dever; Dotzenrod; Erbele; Grabinger; Heckaman; Hogue; Holmberg; Kannianen; Kilzer; Klein; Krebsbach; Kreun; Laffen; Larsen, O.; Larson, D.; Lee, G.; Lee, J.;

Luick; Mathern; Meyer; Myrdal; Nelson; Oban; Oehlke; Osland; Piepkorn; Poolman; Robinson; Roers; Rust; Schaible; Sorvaag; Unruh; Vedaa; Wanzek; Wardner

ABSENT AND NOT VOTING: Clemens; Davison; Marcellais

Engrossed SB 2088 passed.

SECOND READING OF SENATE BILL

SB 2163: A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new section to chapter 50-25.2 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the financial exploitation of vulnerable adults; to amend and reenact subsection 7 of section 50-25.2-01 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the definition of financial exploitation; and to provide a penalty.

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 44 YEAS, 0 NAYS, 0 EXCUSED, 3 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING.

YEAS: Anderson; Armstrong; Bekkedahl; Bowman; Burckhard; Campbell; Casper; Cook; Dever; Dotzenrod; Erbele; Grabinger; Heckaman; Hogue; Holmberg; Kannianen; Kilzer; Klein; Krebsbach; Kreun; Laffen; Larsen, O.; Larson, D.; Lee, G.; Lee, J.; Luick; Mathern; Meyer; Myrdal; Nelson; Oban; Oehlke; Osland; Piepkorn; Poolman; Robinson; Roers; Rust; Schaible; Sorvaag; Unruh; Vedaa; Wanzek; Wardner

ABSENT AND NOT VOTING: Clemens; Davison; Marcellais

Engrossed SB 2163 passed.

SECOND READING OF SENATE BILL

SB 2054: A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new section to chapter 54-12 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to higher education tuition and fees waivers for law enforcement officers.

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

YEAS: Anderson; Armstrong; Bekkedahl; Bowman; Burckhard; Campbell; Casper; Cook; Dever; Dotzenrod; Erbele; Grabinger; Heckaman; Hogue; Holmberg; Kannianen; Kilzer; Klein; Krebsbach; Kreun; Laffen; Larson, D.; Lee, G.; Lee, J.; Luick; Mathern; Meyer; Myrdal; Nelson; Oban; Oehlke; Osland; Piepkorn; Poolman; Robinson; Roers; Rust; Schaible; Sorvaag; Unruh; Vedaa; Wanzek; Wardner

NAYS: Larsen, O.

ABSENT AND NOT VOTING: Clemens; Davison; Marcellais

Engrossed SB 2054 passed.

SECOND READING OF SENATE BILL

SB 2195: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 44-04-18.15 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to exempting donor records from public disclosure under open records laws.

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

- YEAS: Anderson; Armstrong; Bekkedahl; Bowman; Burckhard; Campbell; Casper; Cook; Dever; Dotzenrod; Erbele; Grabinger; Heckaman; Holmberg; Kannianen; Kilzer; Klein; Krebsbach; Kreun; Laffen; Larsen, O.; Larson, D.; Lee, G.; Lee, J.; Luick; Mathern; Meyer; Myrdal; Nelson; Oban; Oehlke; Osland; Piepkorn; Poolman; Robinson; Roers; Rust; Schaible; Sorvaag; Unruh; Vedaa; Wanzek; Wardner
- NAYS: Hogue

ABSENT AND NOT VOTING: Clemens; Davison; Marcellais

SB 2195 passed.

SECOND READING OF SENATE BILL

SB 2181: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 53-06.1-10.1 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to conducting a raffles using a random number generator.

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 44 YEAS, 0 NAYS, 0 EXCUSED, 3 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING.

YEAS: Anderson; Armstrong; Bekkedahl; Bowman; Burckhard; Campbell; Casper; Cook; Dever; Dotzenrod; Erbele; Grabinger; Heckaman; Hogue; Holmberg; Kannianen; Kilzer; Klein; Krebsbach; Kreun; Laffen; Larsen, O.; Larson, D.; Lee, G.; Lee, J.; Luick; Mathern; Meyer; Myrdal; Nelson; Oban; Oehlke; Osland; Piepkorn; Poolman; Robinson; Roers; Rust; Schaible; Sorvaag; Unruh; Vedaa; Wanzek; Wardner

ABSENT AND NOT VOTING: Clemens; Davison; Marcellais

SB 2181 passed.

SECOND READING OF SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

SCR 4004: A concurrent resolution to urge Congress to allow and support the use of thorium reactors in this state for the creation of energy and medical isotopes.

The question being on the final adoption of the resolution, which has been read, and has committee recommendation of DO NOT PASS.

SCR 4004 was declared adopted on a voice vote.

MESSAGE TO THE HOUSE FROM THE SENATE (SHANDA MORGAN, SECRETARY) MR. SPEAKER: Your signature is respectfully requested on: SB 2154, SB 2174.

MESSAGE TO THE SENATE FROM THE HOUSE (BUELL J. REICH, CHIEF CLERK) MR. PRESIDENT: The House has passed, the emergency clause carried, unchanged: SB 2154.

MESSAGE TO THE SENATE FROM THE HOUSE (BUELL J. REICH, CHIEF CLERK) MR. PRESIDENT: The House has passed, the emergency clause carried, unchanged: SB 2174.

MOTION

SEN. KLEIN MOVED that the absent members be excused, which motion prevailed.

MOTION

SEN. KLEIN 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 24, 2017, which motion prevailed.

REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE

SB 2032: Finance and Taxation Committee (Sen. Cook, Chairman) recommends DO PASS (6 YEAS, 0 NAYS, 0 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING). SB 2032 was placed on the Eleventh order on the calendar.

REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE

- SB 2098: Judiciary Committee (Sen. Armstrong, Chairman) recommends AMENDMENTS AS FOLLOWS and when so amended, recommends DO PASS (6 YEAS, 0 NAYS, 0 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING). SB 2098 was placed on the Sixth order on the calendar.
- Page 1, line 1, after "A BILL" replace the remainder of the bill with "for an Act to create and enact a new subsection to section 27-20-51 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the disclosure of juvenile court records.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY OF NORTH DAKOTA:

SECTION 1. A new subsection to section 27-20-51 of the North Dakota Century Code is created and enacted as follows:

To the extent necessary to provide victim services or benefits under chapter 12.1-41, the judge and staff of the juvenile court may disclose information to refer a juvenile, who may be a victim of human trafficking. to a staff member of a state or federally administered program for runaway and homeless youth which is located in the state. Information disclosed under this subsection must remain confidential and may not be copied or further disclosed."

Renumber accordingly

REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE

- SB 2131: Judiciary Committee (Sen. Armstrong, Chairman) recommends AMENDMENTS AS FOLLOWS and when so amended, recommends DO PASS (6 YEAS, 0 NAYS, 0 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING). SB 2131 was placed on the Sixth order on the calendar.
- Page 1, line 17, after the underscored period insert "<u>The criminal history record check is an</u> <u>exempt record.</u>"

Renumber accordingly

REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE

SB 2138: Judiciary Committee (Sen. Armstrong, Chairman) recommends DO NOT PASS (6 YEAS, 0 NAYS, 0 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING). SB 2138 was placed on the Eleventh order on the calendar.

REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE

- SB 2148: Political Subdivisions Committee (Sen. Burckhard, Chairman) recommends AMENDMENTS AS FOLLOWS and when so amended, recommends DO PASS (6 YEAS, 0 NAYS, 0 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING). SB 2148 was placed on the Sixth order on the calendar.
- Page 1, line 6, replace "attend" with "complete"

Renumber accordingly

REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE

- SB 2157: Industry, Business and Labor Committee (Sen. Klein, Chairman) recommends AMENDMENTS AS FOLLOWS and when so amended, recommends DO PASS (7 YEAS, 0 NAYS, 0 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING). SB 2157 was placed on the Sixth order on the calendar.
- Page 1, line 15, after "<u>57-02-01.1</u>" insert "<u>, and which has been determined by the state</u> supervisor of assessments to have enough sales for an adequate sales ratio study."

Renumber accordingly

REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE

SB 2178: Political Subdivisions Committee (Sen. Burckhard, Chairman) recommends DO PASS (6 YEAS, 0 NAYS, 0 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING). SB 2178 was placed on the Eleventh order on the calendar.

REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE

SB 2214: Finance and Taxation Committee (Sen. Cook, Chairman) recommends DO PASS (6 YEAS, 0 NAYS, 0 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING). SB 2214 was placed on the Eleventh order on the calendar.

REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE

SB 2222: Finance and Taxation Committee (Sen. Cook, Chairman) recommends DO PASS (6 YEAS, 0 NAYS, 0 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING). SB 2222 was placed on the Eleventh order on the calendar.

FIRST READING OF SENATE BILLS

 Sens. Roers, Bekkedahl, Kreun and Reps. Beadle, Dockter, Sukut introduced:
SB 2304: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 40-29-11 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to payment of assessments.

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

Sens. Oban, Bekkedahl, Poolman, Dotzenrod and Reps. Beadle, P. Anderson introduced:

SB 2305: A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new section to chapter 57-38 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to a corporate income tax credit for reimbursement of employee child care expenditures; and to provide an effective date.

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

Sens. Clemens, Myrdal, Vedaa and Rep. Olson introduced:

SB 2306: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 23-10-11 and subsection 4 of section 47-32-01 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to ejection from a mobile home park and maintainable evictions.

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

Sens. Rust, Schaible, Vedaa and Reps. D. Johnson, Longmuir, Holman introduced:

SB 2307: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact subdivision a of subsection 1 of section 15.1-29-14 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to student placement for noneducational purposes.

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

Sens. Vedaa, Anderson, Clemens, Kannianen and Reps. D. Anderson, C. Johnson introduced:

SB 2308: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 20.1-06-07 and subsection 3 of section 20.1-07-03.1 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to identification of fishhouses and coyote snares.

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

Sens. Poolman, Kreun, Unruh, Nelson and Reps. Blum, O'Brien introduced:

SB 2309: A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new section to chapter 14-07.1 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the establishment of a domestic violence court pilot project; and to amend and reenact section 12-60-23, subsection 9 of section 12.1-31.2-01, subsections 1 and 3 of section 12.1-31.2-02, section 14-07.1-02, and subsections 4 and 5 of section 14-07.1-03 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the issuance, transmittal, and registry of protection orders and orders prohibiting contact.

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

Sens. Kannianen, Burckhard, Campbell and Reps. Rick C. Becker, Jones, B. Koppelman introduced:

SB 2310: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 43-09-05 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to inspections of electrical wiring installations.

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

Sens. Bekkedahl, Laffen, Sorvaag and Rep. Streyle introduced:

SB 2311: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact subsection 9 of section 52-04-06.1 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to job service North Dakota construction project risk protection bonds; to provide for retroactive application; and to declare an emergency.

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

Sen. Anderson and Reps. Heinert, Porter introduced:

SB 2312: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact subsection 5 of section 23-27-02 and section 23-27-04.4 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to emergency medical services professionals.

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

Sen. Unruh and Rep. Porter introduced:

SB 2313: A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new subdivision to subsection 1 of section 49-22-08 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to application requirements for certificates of site and corridor compatibility for energy conversion facilities; and to amend and reenact sections 17-04-03, 49-02-27, and 49-22-05.1 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the creation and duration of wind energy easements, the decommissioning of commercial wind energy conversion facilities, and exclusion areas for wind energy conversion facilities.

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

Sen. Unruh and Rep. Porter introduced:

SB 2314: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact sections 49-02-03, 49-02-28, and 49-02-34 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to energy rates and resources and renewable energy production.

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

Sens. Clemens, O. Larsen, Vedaa and Rep. Ertelt introduced:

- **SB 2315:** A BILL for an Act to create and enact section 12.1-05-06.1 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to use of deadly force in defense of premises and property; and to amend and reenact section 12.1-05-07 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to limits on the use of force and deadly force.
- Was read the first time and referred to the Judiciary Committee.

Sens. Oehlke, Schaible, Grabinger and Reps. Dockter, Pyle, Guggisberg introduced:

SB 2316: A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new section to chapter 37-17.1 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to disclosure of information concerning toxic or hazardous substances; to amend and reenact sections 18-01-06, 18-01-33, 18-04-01, 18-12-03, 18-12-05, 18-12-25, and 23-13-16 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to powers and duties of the state fire marshal regarding explosives, participation in the fire insurance tax distribution fund, the submission plans and specifications for school buildings, and aboveground petroleum storage tanks; to repeal sections 18-01-34 and 18-10-16 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to establish a rural routing system; and to provide a penalty. Was read the first time and referred to the **Political Subdivisions Committee**.

Sens. Campbell, Kannianen, Kreun and Reps. Beadle, Roers Jones, Trottier introduced: **SB 2317:** A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new section to chapter 26.1-26 of the North

Dakota Century Code, relating to insurance producer charges for fees for services. Was read the first time and referred to the **Industry**, **Business and Labor Committee**.

Sens. Schaible, Armstrong, Rust and Reps. Kempenich, Porter introduced:

SB 2318: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 20.1-04-15 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the opening date of pheasant season.

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

Sens. Piepkorn, Heckaman, Mathern and Reps. P. Anderson, Dobervich, Mitskog introduced:

SB 2319: A BILL for an Act to create and enact chapter 5-05 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to a responsible alcoholic beverage server training program; to amend and reenact sections 5-01-06.1 and 5-02-10.1 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to alcohol server training; and to provide a penalty.

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

Sens. Anderson, J. Lee, Mathern and Reps. J. Nelson, Seibel, Weisz introduced:

SB 2320: A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new subsection to section 19-03.4-02 and a new section to chapter 23-01 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to drug paraphernalia guidelines and a syringe exchange program; and to declare an emergency.

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

Sens. Wanzek, Rust, Oban and Reps. Headland, Pollert, Sanford introduced:

SB 2321: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 15.1-27-35.3 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to payments to school districts.

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

Sens. J. Lee, O. Larsen, Heckaman and Reps. Keiser, K. Koppelman, Delmore introduced:

SB 2322: A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new section to chapter 10-04 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the financial exploitation of vulnerable adults.

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

Sens. Heckaman, Kreun, Oban and Reps. Olson, Toman, Hogan introduced:

SB 2323: A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new section to chapter 54-03 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to prohibiting reimbursement of expenses of legislators for attendance at conferences; to amend and reenact section 54-35-10 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to compensation of members of the legislative assembly; and to provide an expiration date.

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

Sen. Poolman introduced:

SB 2324: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 15.1-15-01 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to school district employee performance reviews.

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

Sens. Poolman, Dever and Reps. Meier, Seibel introduced:

SB 2325: A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new subsection to section 54-07-01 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to governor's maintenance of statewide system of early intervention services; and to provide for a legislative management study.

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

Sen. Laffen introduced:

SB 2326: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact sections 11-09.1-05 and 40-05.1-06 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the authority of home rule counties and cities to levy certain taxes.

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

Sens. Unruh, Armstrong, Wardner and Reps. Carlson, Kempenich, Porter introduced:

SB 2327: A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new subdivision to subsection 2 of section 12-60-24 and title 23.1 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the creation of the department of environmental quality and the transfer of duties and responsibilities of the state department of health relating to environmental quality to the department of environmental quality; to amend and reenact section 4-35.2-01, subdivision b of subsection 5 of section 6-09.4-03, sections 11-33-01, 11-33-02.1, and 11-33-22, subdivision d of subsection 2 of section 12.1-06.1-01, section 15-05-16, subsection 1 of section 19-01-01, sections 20.1-13-05, 20.1-17-01, and 23-01-02, subsection 8 of section 23-01.3-01, sections 23-20.2-02, 23-20.2-03, and 24-03-23, subsection 5 of section 28-32-50, sections 38-08-04.5, 38-11.1-03.1, 38-11.1-04.1, and 38-11.2-02, subsection 12 of section 38-14.1-03, subsection 2 of section 38-14.1-21, sections 38-22-07, 38-22-12, 40-47-01, 43-18-02, 43-18-09, 43-35-03, 43-35-19, 43-35-19.1, 43-35-19.2, 43-35-20, and 43-35-23, subsection 11 of section 43-48-03, subsection 6 of section 43-62-03, subsection 3 of section 44-04-18.4, section 44-04-32, subsection 1 of section 54-07-01.2, subsection 3 of section 54-12-08, section 54-44.3-30, subsection 33 of section 57-43.2-01, sections 58-03-11, 58-03-11.1, and 58-03-17, subsection 13 of section 58-06-01, and sections 61-04.1-04, 61-29-04, 61-33-09, and 61-35-24 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the transfer of duties and responsibilities of the state department of health to the department of environmental quality; to repeal chapters 19-10 and 19-16.1, sections 23-01-01.2, 23-01-04.1, 23-01-23, 23-01-30, and 23-01-36 and chapters 23-20, 23-20.1, 23-20.3, 23-20.5, 23-25, 23-26, 23-29, 23-29.1, 23-31,

23-32, 23-33, 23-37, and 39-26 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the transfer of duties and responsibilities of the state department of health to the department of environmental quality; to provide a penalty; to provide a continuing appropriation; to provide for transition; and to provide an effective date.

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

Sens. Luick, Bekkedahl, D. Larson and Reps. Schreiber-Beck, Mitskog introduced:

SB 2328: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact subsection 1 of section 12.1-31-03, subsection 3 of section 12.1-31-03.2, and sections 57-36-01, 57-36-02, 57-36-04, and 57-36-05 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to sale of tobacco to minors and licensure of persons in the business of selling tobacco products; and to provide a penalty.

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

Sens. D. Larson, Dever and Rep. Dockter introduced:

SB 2329: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 43-30-04 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to private investigative services by armed personnel.

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

Sens. Wanzek, Schaible, Sorvaag, Unruh and Reps. Headland, D. Johnson introduced:

SB 2330: 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 milking equipment and materials purchased for use on a licensed dairy farm; and to provide an effective date.

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

Sens. Wardner, Bekkedahl, Heckaman and Reps. Brandenburg, Kempenich, Mock introduced:

SB 2331: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 38-11.1-06 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the protection of groundwater and other responsibilities of a mineral developer.

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

Sens. Luick, Erbele, Heckaman and Reps. B. Anderson, D. Anderson, Longmuir introduced: **SB 2332:** A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 32-15-22 of the North Dakota

Century Code, relating to the valuation of property for just compensation. Was read the first time and referred to the **Political Subdivisions Committee**.

Sens. Rust, Wanzek and Reps. B. Anderson, D. Anderson, Longmuir, Mock introduced:

SB 2333: A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new section to chapter 38-08 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to reclamation requirements for land disturbed by oil and gas activity.

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

Sen. Wardner introduced:

SB 2334: A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new section to chapter 48-08 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the designation of memorial hall.

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

Sens. Heckaman, D. Larson, J. Lee, Unruh and Rep. Weisz introduced:

SB 2335: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact subsection 7 of section 6-08.1-03,

sections 12.1-31-07, 12.1-31-07.1, and 12.1-31-07.2, and subdivision f of subsection

1 of section 19-03.1-22.2 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to endangerment or exploitation of a vulnerable adult; and to provide a penalty.

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

Sens. Kannianen, Vedaa, Mathern and Reps. Beadle, Rick C. Becker, Mock introduced:

SB 2336: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact sections 16.1-08.1-03.1, 16.1-08.1-03.13, and 16.1-08.1-04 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to contributions to and expenditures of campaigns for initiated or referred measures.

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

Sens. Heckaman, Marcellais, Oban introduced:

SB 2337: A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new section to chapter 54-06 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to cultural competency training; and to amend and

reenact section 54-03.1-03 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to cultural competency training for legislators.

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

Sens. Heckaman, Vedaa introduced:

SB 2338: A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new section to chapter 15-10 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the authority of an institution under the control of the state board of higher education to hire a family member of a dean.

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

Sens. Heckaman, Robinson and Rep. Mock introduced:

SB 2339: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 54-44.4-05 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to state agency procurement of research services.

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

Sens. Meyer, Burckhard, Casper and Reps. Beadle, Louser, Delmore introduced:

SB 2340: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact subsection 1 of section 11-18-05 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to fees charged by a county recorder for filing mortgage disclosures.

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

Sen. Bekkedahl introduced:

SB 2341: A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new section to chapter 39-21 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to requiring mud flaps on certain vehicles; to amend and reenact sections 39-06.1-09 and 39-21-44.1 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to moving violations and preventing sifting or leaking loads; and to provide a penalty.

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

Sen. Grabinger and Rep. Satrom introduced:

SB 2342: A BILL for an Act to provide for the creation of a task force on the prevention of sexual abuse of children; and to provide a report to the legislative management. Was read the first time and referred to the **Human Services Committee**.

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Sens. Casper, Unruh, Wardner and Reps. Carlson, Kasper, Louser introduced:

SB 2343: A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new section to chapter 16.1-08.1 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to a prohibition on using campaign funds for personal use; to amend and reenact subsection 5 of section 16.1-08.1-01, sections 16.1-08.1-02, 16.1-08.1-03, 16.1-08.1-03.1, and 16.1-08.1-03.8, and subsection 5 of section 16.1-12-02.2 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to reports of expenditures related to political activities; and to provide a penalty.

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

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

Shanda Morgan, Secretary