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Bismarck, April 9, 2009

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

The prayer was offered by Eliot Glassheim, District 18, Grand Forks.

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

A quorum was declared by the Speaker.

CORRECTION AND REVISION OF THE JOURNAL

MR. SPEAKER: Your **Committee on Correction and Revision of the Journal (Rep. Delzer, Chairman)** has carefully examined the Journal of the 58th and 60th Days and recommends that it be corrected as follows and when so corrected, recommends that it be approved:

Page 1161, line 20, replace "motion" with "request"

Page 1161, line 29, replace "verification" with "voice"

Page 1263, line 19, replace "Purintum" with "Purintun"

Page 1316, replace lines 34 and 35 with "In lieu of the amendments adopted by the Senate as printed on pages 739 and 740 and pages 1198 and 1199 of the Senate Journal, Engrossed House Bill No. 1425 is amended as follows:"

Page 1316, remove lines 48 through 52

Page 1317, remove lines 2 through 13

REP. DELZER MOVED that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed.

SIXTH ORDER OF BUSINESS

SPEAKER MONSON DEEMED approval of the amendments to Reengrossed SB 2013.

Reengrossed SB 2013, as amended, was placed on the Fourteenth order of business on the calendar for the succeeding legislative day.

SECOND READING OF SENATE BILL

SB 2007: A BILL for an Act to provide an appropriation for defraying the expenses of the veterans' home and department of veterans' affairs; to provide for contingent funding; to provide an exception to the moratorium on expansion of basic care bed capacity; to provide legislative intent; to provide for a report to the budget section; 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 87 YEAS, 6 NAYS, 0 EXCUSED, 1 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING.

YEAS: Amerman; Belter; Berg; Boe; Boehning; Boucher; Brandenburg; Carlson; Clark; Conklin; Conrad; Dahl; Damschen; DeKrey; Delmore; Drovdal; Ekstrom; Frantsvog; Froseth; Glassheim; Grande; Griffin; Gruchalla; Hanson; Hatlestad; Hawken; Headland; Heller; Hofstad; Holman; Hunskor; Johnson, D.; Johnson, N.; Kaldor; Karls; Kasper; Kelsch, R.; Kelsh, J.; Kelsh, S.; Kempenich; Kerzman; Kilichowski; Kingsbury; Klein; Klemin; Koppelman; Kreidt; Kretschmar; Kroeber; Martinson; Meier, L.; Metcalf; Meyer, S.; Mock; Mueller; Myxter; Nathe; Nelson; Nottestad; Onstad; Pietsch; Pinkerton; Pollert; Porter; Potter; Ruby; Rust; Schatz; Schmidt; Schneider; Skarphol; Sukut; Svedjan; Thoreson; Thorpe; Uglem; Vig; Vigesaa; Wald; Wall; Weisz; Wieland; Williams; Winrich; Wolf; Zaiser; Speaker Monson

NAYS: Bellew; Delzer; Dosch; Keiser; Weiler; Wrangham

ABSENT AND NOT VOTING: Froelich

Engrossed SB 2007, as amended, passed, the title was agreed to, and the emergency clause was declared carried.

SECOND READING OF SENATE BILL

SB 2010: A BILL for an Act to provide an appropriation for defraying the expenses of the council on the arts; 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 85 YEAS, 7 NAYS, 0 EXCUSED, 2 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING.

YEAS: Amerman; Bellew; Belter; Berg; Boe; Boehning; Boucher; Brandenburg; Carlson; Clark; Conklin; Conrad; Dahl; Damschen; Delmore; Drovdal; Ekstrom; Frantsvog; Froseth; Glassheim; Grande; Griffin; Gruchalla; Hanson; Hatlestad; Hawken; Headland; Heller; Hofstad; Holman; Hunskor; Johnson, D.; Johnson, N.; Kaldor; Karls; Kasper; Keiser; Kelsch, R.; Kelsh, J.; Kelsh, S.; Kempenich; Kerzman; Kilichowski; Kingsbury; Klein; Klemin; Koppelman; Kreidt; Kretschmar; Kroeber; Martinson; Meier, L.; Metcalf; Meyer, S.; Mock; Mueller; Myxter; Nathe; Nelson; Nottestad; Pietsch; Pinkerton; Pollert; Porter; Potter; Rust; Schatz; Schmidt; Schneider; Skarphol; Sukut; Svedjan; Thoreson; Thorpe; Uglem; Vig; Vigesaa; Wald; Wall; Wieland; Williams; Winrich; Wolf; Zaiser; Speaker Monson

NAYS: DeKrey; Delzer; Dosch; Ruby; Weiler; Weisz; Wrangham

ABSENT AND NOT VOTING: Froelich; Onstad

Engrossed SB 2010, as amended, passed, the title was agreed to, and the emergency clause was declared carried.

SECOND READING OF SENATE BILL

SB 2063: A BILL for an Act to provide an appropriation for defraying the expenses of the state department of health for the development, implementation, and administration of the comprehensive tobacco prevention and control plan; to provide for a transfer; to provide for reports to the budget section; to amend and reenact sections 23-42-01, 23-42-02, 23-42-05, 23-42-06, 23-42-07, and 54-27-25 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the comprehensive tobacco prevention and control plan and advisory committee and the tobacco settlement trust fund; to repeal sections 23-42-01, 23-42-02, 23-42-03, 23-42-04, 23-42-05, 23-42-06, and 23-42-07 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the tobacco prevention and control executive committee and advisory committee; to provide an effective date; to provide for retroactive application; 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 24 YEAS, 69 NAYS, 0 EXCUSED, 1 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING.

YEAS: Berg; Dahl; Damschen; Ekstrom; Hawken; Hofstad; Johnson, D.; Johnson, N.; Karls; Kelsch, R.; Kempenich; Kingsbury; Klemin; Kreidt; Meier, L.; Nelson; Nottestad; Pietsch; Porter; Ruby; Uglem; Wall; Weisz; Speaker Monson

NAYS: Amerman; Bellew; Belter; Boe; Boehning; Boucher; Brandenburg; Carlson; Clark; Conklin; Conrad; DeKrey; Delmore; Delzer; Dosch; Drovdal; Frantsvog; Froseth; Glassheim; Grande; Griffin; Gruchalla; Hanson; Hatlestad; Headland; Heller; Holman; Hunskor; Kaldor; Kasper; Keiser; Kelsh, J.; Kelsh, S.; Kerzman; Kilichowski; Klein; Koppelman; Kretschmar; Kroeber; Martinson; Metcalf; Meyer, S.; Mock; Mueller; Myxter; Nathe; Onstad; Pinkerton; Pollert; Potter; Rust; Schatz; Schmidt; Schneider; Skarphol; Sukut; Svedjan; Thoreson; Thorpe; Vig; Vigesaa; Wald; Weiler; Wieland; Williams; Winrich; Wolf; Wrangham; Zaiser

ABSENT AND NOT VOTING: Froelich

Engrossed SB 2063, as amended, lost.

SECOND READING OF SENATE BILL

SB 2016: A BILL for an Act to provide an appropriation for defraying the expenses of job service North Dakota; 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 93 YEAS, 0 NAYS, 0 EXCUSED, 1 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING.

YEAS: Amerman; Bellew; Belter; Berg; Boe; Boehning; Boucher; Brandenburg; Carlson; Clark; Conklin; Conrad; Dahl; Damschen; DeKrey; Delmore; Delzer; Dosch; Drovdal; Ekstrom; Frantsvog; Froseth; Glassheim; Grande; Griffin; Gruchalla; Hanson; Hatlestad; Hawken; Headland; Heller; Hofstad; Holman; Hunskor; Johnson, D.; Johnson, N.; Kaldor; Karls; Kasper; Keiser; Kelsch, R.; Kelsh, J.; Kelsh, S.; Kempenich; Kerzman; Kilichowski; Kingsbury; Klein; Klemin; Koppelman; Kreidt; Kretschmar; Kroeber; Martinson; Meier, L.; Metcalf; Meyer, S.; Mock; Mueller; Myxter; Nathe; Nelson; Nottestad; Onstad; Pietsch; Pinkerton; Pollert; Porter; Potter; Ruby; Rust; Schatz; Schmidt; Schneider; Skarphol; Sukut; Svedjan; Thoreson; Thorpe; Uglem; Vig; Vigesaa; Wald; Wall; Weiler; Weisz; Wieland; Williams; Winrich; Wolf; Wrangham; Zaiser; Speaker Monson

ABSENT AND NOT VOTING: Froelich

SB 2016, as amended, passed, the title was agreed to, and the emergency clause was declared carried.

SECOND READING OF SENATE BILL

SB 2019: A BILL for an Act to provide an appropriation for defraying the expenses of the state board for career and technical education; to create and enact a new section to chapter 15.1-06 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to counselor position requirements; to provide an effective date; 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 90 YEAS, 3 NAYS, 0 EXCUSED, 1 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING.

YEAS: Amerman; Belter; Berg; Boe; Boehning; Boucher; Brandenburg; Carlson; Clark; Conklin; Conrad; Dahl; Damschen; DeKrey; Delmore; Dosch; Drovdal; Ekstrom; Frantsvog; Froseth; Glassheim; Grande; Griffin; Gruchalla; Hanson; Hatlestad; Hawken; Headland; Heller; Hofstad; Holman; Hunskor; Johnson, D.; Johnson, N.; Kaldor; Karls; Kasper; Keiser; Kelsch, R.; Kelsh, J.; Kelsh, S.; Kempenich; Kerzman; Kilichowski; Kingsbury; Klein; Klemin; Koppelman; Kreidt; Kretschmar; Kroeber; Martinson; Meier, L.; Metcalf; Meyer, S.; Mock; Mueller; Myxter; Nathe; Nelson; Nottestad; Onstad; Pietsch; Pinkerton; Pollert; Porter; Potter; Ruby; Rust; Schatz; Schmidt; Schneider; Skarphol; Sukut; Svedjan; Thoreson; Thorpe; Uglem; Vig; Vigesaa; Wald; Wall; Weisz; Wieland; Williams; Winrich; Wolf; Wrangham; Zaiser; Speaker Monson

NAYS: Bellew; Delzer; Weiler

ABSENT AND NOT VOTING: Froelich

Engrossed SB 2019, as amended, passed, the title was agreed to, and the emergency clause was declared carried.

SECOND READING OF SENATE BILL

SB 2022: A BILL for an Act to provide an appropriation for defraying the expenses of the state seed department; 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 93 YEAS, 0 NAYS, 0 EXCUSED, 1 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING.

YEAS: Amerman; Bellew; Belter; Berg; Boe; Boehning; Boucher; Brandenburg; Carlson; Clark; Conklin; Conrad; Dahl; Damschen; DeKrey; Delmore; Delzer; Dosch; Drovdal; Ekstrom; Frantsvog; Froseth; Glassheim; Grande; Griffin; Gruchalla; Hanson; Hatlestad; Hawken; Headland; Heller; Hofstad; Holman; Hunskor; Johnson, D.; Johnson, N.; Kaldor; Karls; Kasper; Keiser; Kelsch, R.; Kelsh, J.; Kelsh, S.; Kempenich; Kerzman; Kilichowski; Kingsbury; Klein; Klemin; Koppelman; Kreidt; Kretschmar; Kroeber; Martinson; Meier, L.; Metcalf; Meyer, S.; Mock; Mueller; Myxter; Nathe; Nelson; Nottestad; Onstad; Pietsch; Pinkerton; Pollert; Porter; Potter; Ruby; Rust; Schatz; Schmidt; Schneider; Skarphol; Sukut; Svedjan; Thoreson; Thorpe; Uglem; Vig; Vigesaa; Wald; Wall; Weiler; Weisz; Wieland; Williams; Winrich; Wolf; Wrangham; Zaiser; Speaker Monson

ABSENT AND NOT VOTING: Froelich

Engrossed SB 2022, as amended, passed, the title was agreed to, and the emergency clause was declared carried.

SECOND READING OF SENATE BILL

SB 2087: A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new section to chapter 15-10 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to exempting information regarding individuals applying for certain university system positions from open records requirements.

ROLL CALL

The question being on the final passage of the amended bill, which has been read, and has committee recommendation of DO NOT PASS, the roll was called and there were 37 YEAS, 56 NAYS, 0 EXCUSED, 1 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING.

YEAS: Belter; Berg; Brandenburg; Carlson; Clark; Dahl; DeKrey; Delmore; Glassheim; Grande; Hanson; Hawken; Headland; Johnson, N.; Kaldor; Karls; Kasper; Kelsch, R.; Kelsh, S.; Klein; Kreidt; Meier, L.; Metcalf; Meyer, S.; Mueller; Nottestad; Pietsch; Pollert; Porter; Potter; Svedjan; Thoreson; Wald; Wall; Wieland; Williams; Speaker Monson

NAYS: Amerman; Bellew; Boe; Boehning; Boucher; Conklin; Conrad; Damschen; Delzer; Dosch; Drovdal; Ekstrom; Frantsvog; Froseth; Griffin; Gruchalla; Hatlestad; Heller; Hofstad; Holman; Hunskor; Johnson, D.; Keiser; Kelsh, J.; Kempenich; Kerzman; Kilichowski; Kingsbury; Klemin; Koppelman; Kretschmar; Kroeber; Martinson; Mock; Myxter; Nathe; Nelson; Onstad; Pinkerton; Ruby; Rust; Schatz; Schmidt; Schneider; Skarphol; Sukut; Thorpe; Uglem; Vig; Vigesaa; Weiler; Weisz; Winrich; Wolf; Wrangham; Zaiser

ABSENT AND NOT VOTING: Froelich

Engrossed SB 2087, as amended, lost.

MESSAGE TO THE HOUSE FROM THE SENATE (FRAN A. GRONBERG, SECRETARY)

MR. SPEAKER: The Senate has passed and your favorable consideration is requested on: SB 2442, SB 2443.

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

MR. PRESIDENT: Your signature is respectfully requested on: HB 1231, HB 1346, HB 1350.

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 2007, SB 2010, SB 2016, SB 2019, SB 2022.

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

MR. PRESIDENT: The House has amended and subsequently failed: SB 2087.

MESSAGE TO THE HOUSE FROM THE SENATE (FRAN A. GRONBERG, SECRETARY)

MR. SPEAKER: The President has signed: HB 1029, HB 1113, HB 1209, HB 1288, HB 1371, HB 1416, HB 1435, HB 1445, HB 1463, HCR 3015.

MESSAGE TO THE HOUSE FROM THE SENATE (FRAN A. GRONBERG, SECRETARY)

MR. SPEAKER: The Senate has amended and subsequently failed to pass: HB 1255.

MESSAGE TO THE HOUSE FROM THE SENATE (FRAN A. GRONBERG, SECRETARY)

MR. SPEAKER: The Senate has failed to pass unchanged: HB 1276, HB 1299.

MESSAGE TO THE HOUSE FROM THE SENATE (FRAN A. GRONBERG, SECRETARY)

MR. SPEAKER: The President has appointed as a conference committee to act with a like committee from the House on:

HB 1059: Sens. Andrist; J. Lee; Anderson
HB 1129: Sens. Andrist; Olafson; Dotzenrod
HB 1145: Sens. Dever; Erbele; Heckaman
HB 1202: Sens. Wanzek; Andrist; Horne
HB 1329: Sens. Erbele; Dever; Pomeroy

MESSAGE TO THE HOUSE FROM THE SENATE (FRAN A. GRONBERG, SECRETARY)

MR. SPEAKER: The Senate does not concur in the House amendments to SB 2044, SB 2097, SB 2098, SB 2158, SB 2195, SB 2198, SB 2201, and SB 2229 and the President has appointed as a conference committee to act with a like committee from the House on:

SB 2044: Sens. Erbele; J. Lee; Pomeroy
SB 2097: Sens. J. Lee; Dever; Marcellais
SB 2098: Sens. Dever; Erbele; Heckaman
SB 2158: Sens. J. Lee; Dever; Heckaman
SB 2195: Sens. Erbele; J. Lee; Marcellais
SB 2198: Sens. J. Lee; Erbele; Heckaman
SB 2201: Sens. Cook; Miller; Dotzenrod
SB 2229: Sens. Oehlke; Hogue; Triplett

MESSAGE TO THE HOUSE FROM THE SENATE (FRAN A. GRONBERG, SECRETARY)

MR. SPEAKER: The Senate has amended and subsequently passed: HB 1040, HB 1478.

SENATE AMENDMENTS TO REENGROSSED HOUSE BILL NO. 1040

Page 3, remove lines 24 through 28

Renumber accordingly

SENATE AMENDMENTS TO REENGROSSED HOUSE BILL NO. 1478

Page 1, line 2, after "program" insert "; and to provide legislative intent"

Page 1, line 13, overstrike "one" and insert immediately thereafter "two" and remove "sixty"

Page 2, after line 3, insert:

"SECTION 2. LEGISLATIVE INTENT. It is the intent of the sixty-first legislative assembly that public school districts and private schools help ensure that families of enrolled school-age children are aware of available health care coverage. Health care coverage may be available from individual student policies or from state or federally funded programs, such as medicaid or the children's health insurance program. It is expected that schools will provide information and applications to families as part of annual enrollment efforts. The department of human services and the superintendent of public instruction may offer assistance to schools with this effort."

Renumber accordingly

MESSAGE TO THE HOUSE FROM THE SENATE (FRAN A. GRONBERG, SECRETARY)

MR. SPEAKER: Your signature is respectfully requested on: SB 2046, SB 2319, SB 2425, SCR 4027.

MESSAGE TO THE HOUSE FROM THE SENATE (FRAN A. GRONBERG, SECRETARY)

MR. SPEAKER: The Senate has passed unchanged: HB 1043, HB 1045, HB 1071, HB 1217, HB 1240, HB 1256, HB 1289, HB 1306, HB 1339, HB 1452, HB 1530, HB 1556, HB 1562.

MOTION

REP. VIGESAA MOVED that the absent member be excused, which motion prevailed.

MOTION

REP. VIGESAA MOVED that the House be on the Fourth, Fifth, Seventh, and Thirteenth orders of business and at the conclusion of those orders, the House stand adjourned until 8:30 p.m., Friday, April 10, 2009, which motion prevailed.

REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE

SB 2225, as engrossed: Appropriations Committee (Rep. Svedjan, Chairman) recommends **AMENDMENTS AS FOLLOWS** and when so amended, recommends **DO PASS** (14 YEAS, 10 NAYS, 1 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING). Engrossed SB 2225 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 10-30.5-02 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the North Dakota development fund; to amend and reenact subsection 1 of section 6-09.14-01 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to eligibility under the partnership in assisting community expansion program; to establish a grant program for early childhood facilities; to provide a report to the budget section; to provide an appropriation; and to provide an expiration date.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY OF NORTH DAKOTA:

SECTION 1. AMENDMENT. Subsection 1 of section 6-09.14-01 of the North Dakota Century Code is amended and reenacted as follows:

1. "Business" means a corporation, limited liability company, partnership, individual, or association providing child care or involved in manufacturing, processing, value-added processing, and targeted industries as defined by the Bank of North Dakota.

SECTION 2. A new subsection to section 10-30.5-02 of the North Dakota Century Code is created and enacted as follows:

Moneys in the development fund may be used to provide financing to early childhood facilities licensed under chapter 50-11.1. Moneys also may be used to make grants or loans to match grants or loans made by county-authorized or city-authorized development corporations, job development authorities created under chapter 11-11.1 or 40-57.4, and regional planning councils for acquiring, leasing, or remodeling of real estate facilities or for acquiring equipment for establishing or expanding a licensed early childhood facility. The corporation may not award more than half of the amount of the funds appropriated to provide financing under this subsection to nonprofit early childhood facilities and public early childhood facilities. An award under this subsection may not exceed one hundred thousand dollars per award.

SECTION 3. DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE - GRANTS FOR CHILD CARE PROVIDERS. During the biennium beginning July 1, 2009, and ending June 30, 2011, the department of commerce shall establish and implement a grant program to provide matching grants to North Dakota child care providers. A recipient of a grant under this section shall use the grant funds for technical assistance, which may include the development of a business plan. To receive a grant under this section, an applicant shall establish the applicant has available \$1 of matching funds for every \$3 of grant funds. The matching funds must be in cash and may come from private or public sources, or from a combination of private and public sources. A grant awarded under this section may not exceed \$10,000 per recipient. The department may not award more than half of the amount of the funds appropriated for grants under this program to nonprofit early childhood facilities and public early childhood facilities.

SECTION 4. REPORT TO THE BUDGET SECTION. The department of commerce shall report to the budget section during the second quarter of calendar year 2010 on the status of the financing provided to child care providers under section 2 of this Act and the grants to child care providers under section 3 of this Act.

SECTION 5. APPROPRIATION. There is appropriated out of any moneys in the general fund in the state treasury, not otherwise appropriated, the sum of \$1,250,000, or so much of the sum as may be necessary, to the department of commerce for deposit in the North Dakota development fund for the purpose of providing financing to child care providers, for the biennium beginning July 1, 2009, and ending June 30, 2011.

SECTION 6. APPROPRIATION. There is appropriated out of any moneys in the general fund in the state treasury, not otherwise appropriated, the sum of \$500,000, or so much of the sum as may be necessary, to the department of commerce for the

purpose of providing child care provider grants under section 3 of this Act, for the biennium beginning July 1, 2009, and ending June 30, 2011.

SECTION 7. EXPIRATION DATE. Sections 1 and 2 of this Act are effective through July 31, 2011, and after that date are ineffective."

Renumber accordingly

REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE

SB 2228, as reengrossed: Appropriations Committee (Rep. Svedjan, Chairman) recommends **AMENDMENTS AS FOLLOWS** and when so amended, recommends **DO PASS** (19 YEAS, 2 NAYS, 4 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING). Reengrossed SB 2228 was placed on the Sixth order on the calendar.

In lieu of the amendments adopted by the House as printed on page 922 of the House Journal, Reengrossed Senate Bill No. 2228 is amended as follows:

Page 1, line 4, replace "and to provide a continuing appropriation" with "to provide an effective date; to provide an expiration date; and to declare an emergency"

Page 1, remove lines 23 and 24

Page 2, remove lines 1 through 3

Page 2, line 6, after "grants" insert "of up to five thousand dollars per pump"

Page 3, remove lines 13 through 16

Page 4, after line 26, insert:

"SECTION 5. BIOFUEL BLENDER PUMP INCENTIVE FUND - TRANSFER.

The state treasurer shall transfer any moneys in the biofuel blender pump incentive fund on November 30, 2010, to the general fund.

SECTION 6. EFFECTIVE DATE. This Act becomes effective on July 1, 2009.

SECTION 7. EXPIRATION DATE. This Act is effective through November 30, 2010, and after that date is ineffective.

SECTION 8. EMERGENCY. This Act is declared to be an emergency measure."

Renumber accordingly

FIRST READING OF SENATE BILLS

SB 2441: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 40-23-07 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to treatment of nonprofit cemetery property for special assessment purposes; to provide a statement of legislative intent; to provide an effective date; and to declare an emergency.

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

SB 2442: A BILL for an Act to provide for a legislative council study of blue cross blue shield of North Dakota to determine whether legislative changes are appropriate to the laws relating to nonprofit mutual insurance companies.

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

SB 2443: A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new section to chapter 24-01 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to facility relocation cost recovery due to implementation of the American Recovery and Reinvestment Act of 2009; and to provide an expiration date.

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

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

Buell J. Reich, Chief Clerk

