

JOURNAL OF THE HOUSE

Fifty-first Legislative Assembly

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Bismarck, March 17, 1989

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

The prayer was offered by Rev. James Hanson, Our Saviour's Lutheran Church, and Blanchard Lutheran Church, Hillsboro.

The roll was called and all Representatives were present, except Representative Nelson.

A quorum was declared by the Speaker.

CORRECTION and REVISION of the JOURNAL (Rep. V. Olson, Chairman)

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Correction and Revision of the Journal has carefully examined the Journal of the Fiftieth Day and finds it to be correct.

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

DOCTOR OF THE DAY SCHEDULE

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| March 20: | Ray F. Miller, M.D. | - Orthopedics - Bismarck |
| March 21: | Craig M. Doser, M.D. | - FP Resident - Bismarck |
| March 22: | Michael J. Schlosser, M.D. | - FP Resident - Bismarck |
| March 23: | Louise A. Murphy, M.D. | - FP Resident - Bismarck |
| March 24: | Raymond S. Gruby, M.D. | - Orthopedics - Bismarck |

HOUSE ENROSSING AND ENROLLING REPORT

The following bills and resolution were engrossed and enrolled: HB 1094, HB 1131, HB 1240, HB 1347, HB 1371, HCR 3031.

HOUSE ENROLLING REPORT

The following memorial resolution was enrolled: HMR A.

MOTIONS

REP. KLOUBEC MOVED that the House request the return of SB 2424 from the Senate, which motion prevailed.

REP. WENTZ MOVED that the House reconsider its action whereby SB 2313 was placed on the Fourteenth order of business on the calendar, whereby the amendments were adopted, and whereby the committee report was accepted and SB 2313 was placed on the Sixth order of business on the calendar, which motion prevailed.

REP. WENTZ MOVED that SB 2313 be rereferred to the Committee on Judiciary, which motion prevailed. Pursuant to Rep. Wentz's motion, SB 2313 was rereferred to the Committee on Judiciary.

REP. WHALEN MOVED that the House reconsider its action whereby SB 2129 was placed on the Fourteenth order of business on the calendar, whereby the amendments were adopted, and whereby the committee report was accepted and SB 2129 was placed on the Sixth order of business on the calendar, which motion prevailed.

REP. WHALEN MOVED that SB 2129 be rereferred to the Committee on Industry, Business and Labor, which motion prevailed. Pursuant to Rep. Whalen's motion, SB 2129 was rereferred to the Committee on Industry, Business and Labor.

REP. WHALEN MOVED that the House reconsider its action whereby SB 2320 was placed on the Fourteenth order of business on the calendar, whereby the amendments were adopted, and whereby the committee report was accepted and SB 2320 was placed on the Sixth order of business on the calendar, which motion prevailed.

REP. WHALEN MOVED that SB 2320 be rereferred to the Committee on Industry, Business and Labor, which motion prevailed. Pursuant to Rep. Whalen's motion, SB 2320 was rereferred to the Committee on Industry, Business and Labor.

REP. LINDGREN MOVED that SB 2455 be returned to the House floor from the Committee on Political Subdivisions and be rereferred to the Committee on Finance and Taxation, which motion prevailed. Pursuant to Rep. Lindgren's motion, SB 2455 was rereferred.

REP. R. ANDERSON MOVED that the rules be suspended and that the committee reports on SB 2048, SB 2173, SB 2256, SB 2306, SB 2308, SB 2410, SB 2421, and SB 2459 recommending amendments on the Sixth order of business on the legislative calendar of the Fifty-first Day be adopted, which motion prevailed.

SIXTH ORDER OF BUSINESS

REP. WENTZ MOVED that the amendments to Engrossed SB 2048 as recommended by the Committee on Judiciary as printed on page 1488 of the House Journal be adopted, and when so adopted, recommends the same DO PASS.

Engrossed SB 2048, as amended, was placed on the Fourteenth order of business on the calendar for the succeeding legislative day.

REP. WHALEN MOVED that the amendments to Engrossed SB 2173 as recommended by the Committee on Industry, Business and Labor as printed on page 1489 of the House Journal be adopted, and when so adopted, recommends the same DO PASS.

Engrossed SB 2173, as amended, was placed on the Fourteenth order of business on the calendar for the succeeding legislative day.

REP. WHALEN MOVED that the amendments to Engrossed SB 2256 as recommended by the Committee on Industry, Business and Labor as printed on page 1490 of the House Journal be adopted, and when so adopted, recommends the same DO PASS.

Engrossed SB 2256, as amended, was placed on the Fourteenth order of business on the calendar for the succeeding legislative day.

REP. WENTZ MOVED that the amendments to SB 2306 as recommended by the Committee on Judiciary as printed on pages 1490-1491 of the House Journal be adopted, and when so adopted, recommends the same DO PASS.

SB 2306, as amended, was placed on the Fourteenth order of business on the calendar for the succeeding legislative day.

REP. WENTZ MOVED that the amendments to SB 2308 as recommended by the Committee on Judiciary as printed on page 1491 of the House Journal be adopted, and when so adopted, recommends the same DO PASS.

SB 2308, as amended, was placed on the Fourteenth order of business on the calendar for the succeeding legislative day.

REP. MARTINSON MOVED that the amendments to Engrossed SB 2410 as recommended by the Committee on State and Federal Government as printed on pages 1491-1492 of the House Journal be adopted, and when so adopted, recommends the same DO PASS.

Engrossed SB 2410, as amended, was placed on the Fourteenth order of business on the calendar for the succeeding legislative day.

REP. MARTINSON MOVED that the amendments to SB 2421 as recommended by the Committee on State and Federal Government as printed on page 1492 of the House Journal be adopted, and when so adopted, recommends the same DO NOT PASS.

SB 2421, as amended, was placed on the Fourteenth order of business on the calendar for the succeeding legislative day.

REP. WENTZ MOVED that the amendments to SB 2459 as recommended by the Committee on Judiciary as printed on pages 1492-1493 of the House Journal be adopted, and when so adopted, recommends the same DO PASS.

SB 2459, as amended, was placed on the Fourteenth order of business on the calendar for the succeeding legislative day.

REP. WENTZ MOVED that the amendments to Reengrossed SB 2192 as recommended by the Committee on Judiciary as printed on page 1489 of the House Journal be adopted, and when so adopted, recommends the same DO PASS.

REQUEST

REP. GRABA REQUESTED a recorded roll call vote on the motion to adopt the proposed amendments to SB 2192, which request was granted.

ROLL CALL

The question being on the motion to adopt the amendments to SB 2192, the roll was called and there were 82 YEAS, 21 NAYS, 3 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING.

YEAS: Aarsvold; Aas; Anderson, R.; Belter; Berg, R.; Bernstein; Carlson; Christman; Clayburgh; Dalrymple; DeMers, J.; Dorso; Gates; Gerhardt; Gerntholz; Goetz; Gorman; Gunsch; Halmrast; Hanson, O.; Haugen; Hausauer, A.; Hausauer, R.; Howard; Huether; Jensen; Kaldor; Kelly; Kingsbury; Kloubec; Knell; Kouba; Lang; Larson, D.; Larson, R.; Lindgren; Marks; Martin; Martinson; Melby; Murphy; Myrdal; Ness; Nicholas; Nowatzki; Olsen, D.; Olson, A.; Olson, V.; O'Shea; Payne; Ring; Rydell; Schatz; Scherber; Schindler; Schmidt; Schneider; Shaft; Shide; Smette; Solberg; Sorensen; Soukup; Starke; Stenehjem; Stofferahn; Thompson, K.; Thompson, V.; Timm; Tokach; Tollefson; Tomac; Trautman; Ulmer; Urlacher; Vander Vorst; Wald; Wentz; Whalen; Williams, A.; Williams, W.; Speaker Kretschmar

NAYS: Anderson, B.; Berg, G.; Brokaw; DeMers, P.; Enget; Flaagan; Frey; Gerl; Gilmore; Graba; Hanson, L.; Haugland; Hoffner; Hokana; Kolbo; Laughlin; Oban; Shockman; Skjerven; Watne; Wilkie

ABSENT AND NOT VOTING: Mertens; Nelson; Peterson

The motion to adopt the amendments to SB 2192 passed.

MOTION

REP. KLOUBEC MOVED that the rules be suspended and that SB 2192 be placed on the Fourteenth order, as amended, for second reading and final passage, which motion prevailed.

SECOND READING OF SENATE BILL

SB 2192: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 28-32-05 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to a change of an administrative hearing officer.

ROLL CALL

The question being on the final passage of the amended bill, which has been read, the roll was called and there were 96 YEAS, 8 NAYS, 2 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING.

YEAS: Aarsvold; Aas; Anderson, B.; Anderson, R.; Belter; Berg, G.; Berg, R.; Bernstein; Carlson; Christman; Clayburgh; Dalrymple; DeMers, J.; DeMers, P.; Dorso; Enget; Flaagan; Frey; Gates; Gerhardt; Gerntholz; Gilmore; Goetz; Gorman; Gunsch; Halmrast; Hanson, L.; Hanson, O.; Haugen; Haugland; Hausauer, A.; Hausauer, R.; Hokana; Howard; Huether; Jensen; Kaldor; Kelly; Kingsbury; Kloubec; Knell; Kolbo; Kouba; Lang; Larson, D.; Larson, R.; Laughlin; Lindgren; Martin; Martinson; Meiby; Mertens; Murphy; Myrdal; Ness; Nicholas; Nowatzki; Olsen, D.; Olson, A.; Olson, V.; O'Shea; Payne; Ring; Rydell; Schatz; Scherber; Schindler; Schmidt; Schneider; Shaft; Shide; Shockman; Skjerven; Smette; Solberg; Sorensen; Soukup; Starke; Stenehjem; Stofferahn; Thompson, K.; Thompson, V.; Timm; Tokach; Tollefson; Tomac; Trautman; Ulmer; Urlacher; Vander Vorst; Wald; Wentz; Whalen; Wilkie; Williams, A.; Speaker Kretschmar

NAYS: Brokaw; Gerl; Graba; Hoffner; Marks; Oban; Watne; Williams, W.

ABSENT AND NOT VOTING: Nelson; Peterson

SB 2192 passed and the title was agreed to.

SIXTH ORDER OF BUSINESS

REP. WENTZ MOVED that the amendments to Reengrossed SB 2193 as recommended by the Committee on Judiciary as printed on pages 1489-1490 of the House Journal be adopted, and when so adopted, recommends the same DO PASS, which motion prevailed.

MOTION

REP. KLOUBEC MOVED that the rules be suspended and that SB 2193 be placed on the Fourteenth order, as amended, for second reading and final passage, which motion prevailed.

SECOND READING OF SENATE BILL

SB 2193: A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new section to chapter 28-32 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the appointment of independent administrative hearing officers.

ROLL CALL

The question being on the final passage of the amended bill, which has been read, the roll was called and there were 97 YEAS, 7 NAYS, 2 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING.

YEAS: Aarsvold; Aas; Anderson, B.; Anderson, R.; Belter; Berg, G.; Berg, R.; Bernstein; Brokaw; Carlson; Christman; Clayburgh; Dalrymple; DeMers, J.; DeMers, P.; Dorso; Enget; Flaagan; Frey; Gates; Gerhardt; Gerl; Gerntholz; Gilmore; Goetz; Gorman; Gunsch; Halmrast; Hanson, L.; Hanson, O.; Haugen; Haugland; Hausauer, A.; Hausauer, R.; Hokana; Howard; Huether; Jensen; Kaldor; Kelly; Kingsbury; Kloubec; Knell; Kolbo; Kouba; Lang; Larson, D.; Larson, R.; Laughlin; Lindgren; Martin; Martinson; Melby; Mertens; Murphy; Myrdal; Ness; Nicholas; Nowatzki; Olsen, D.; Olson, A.; Olson, V.; O'Shea; Payne; Ring; Rydell; Schatz; Scherber; Schindler; Schmidt; Schneider; Shaft; Shide; Skjerven; Smette; Solberg; Sorensen; Soukup; Starke; Stenehjem; Stofferahn; Thompson, K.; Thompson, V.; Timm; Tokach; Tollefson; Tomac; Trautman; Ulmer; Urlacher; Vander Vorst; Wald; Wentz; Whalen; Wilkie; Williams, A.; Speaker Kretschmar

NAYS: Graba; Hoffner; Marks; Oban; Shockman; Watne; Williams, W.

ABSENT AND NOT VOTING: Nelson; Peterson

SB 2193 passed and the title was agreed to.

MESSAGE to the SENATE from the HOUSE (Roy Gilbreath, Chief Clerk)

MR. PRESIDENT: The House respectfully requests the return of: SB 2424.

MESSAGE to the HOUSE from the SENATE (Patricia Conrad, Secretary)

MR. SPEAKER: The Senate has amended and subsequently passed: HB 1023, HB 1321, HB 1353, HB 1372, HB 1375, HB 1389.

SENATE AMENDMENTS TO HB 1023

Page 1, line 12, replace "3,261,158" with "3,429,158"

Page 1, line 14, replace "1,698,257" with "2,005,957"

Page 1, line 15, replace "286,682" with "310,982"

Page 1, line 18, replace "9,071,713" with "9,571,713"

Page 1, line 20, replace "4,188,466" with "4,688,466"

Renumber accordingly

STATEMENT OF PURPOSE OF AMENDMENT:

DEPARTMENT 750 - PARKS AND RECREATION DEPARTMENT

Because Senate Bill No. 2027 was defeated, this amendment adds the following amounts from the general fund which were included in Senate Bill No. 2027 for the Parks and Recreation Department:

GENERAL FUND

Salaries and wages

Provides funding from the general fund for the following two positions at the Devils Lake State Park:

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| One FTE park manager II | \$ 63,000 |
| One FTE park ranger | 44,000 |
| Provides funding from the general fund for temporary salaries | <u>61,000</u> |
| Subtotal | \$ 168,000 |

Operating expenses

Provides funding from the general fund for the following:

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| Nature preserves and heritage program | \$ 50,000 |
| Turtle River State Park summer camps | 12,000 |
| Prairie Rose State Games | 90,000 |
| State parks' maintenance costs | 47,900 |
| State parks' operating costs | 84,700 |
| Inflationary costs | <u>23,100</u> |
| Subtotal | \$ 307,700 |

Equipment

Provides funding for equipment at the Cross Ranch State Park

\$ 24,300

Total \$ 500,000

SENATE AMENDMENTS TO HB 1321

Page 1, line 1, replace the second "and" with a comma and after "54-52-02.1" insert ", subsection 3 of section 54-52.1-01, and section 54-52.1-03.1"

Page 1, line 4, after "district" insert "and participation by district health units in the uniform group insurance program"

Page 3, after line 19, insert:

"SECTION 3. AMENDMENT. Subsection 3 of section 54-52.1-01 of the 1987 Supplement to the North Dakota Century Code is hereby amended and reenacted to read as follows:

3. "Department, board, or agency" means the departments, boards, agencies, or associations of this state, and includes the state's charitable, penal, and higher educational institutions; the Bank of North Dakota; the state mill and elevator association; and counties, cities, district health units, and school districts participating under chapter 54-52.

SECTION 4. AMENDMENT. Section 54-52.1-03.1 of the North Dakota Century Code is hereby amended and reenacted to read as follows:

54-52.1-03.1. County; city; noncertified school district employees and employees of any combination thereof Certain political subdivisions authorized to join uniform group insurance program - Employer contribution. The board of county commissioners of any county, the governing body of any city or school district, a district health unit, or any combination thereof, which has elected to

participate in the ~~North Dakota~~ public employees retirement system, ~~is hereby authorized~~ may on behalf of its permanent employees, and permanent noncertified employees only in the case of school districts, to extend the benefits of the uniform group insurance program, as provided in this chapter, to ~~such~~ those employees. The boards of county commissioners of participating counties and the governing bodies of participating cities, or school districts, ~~district health units, or any combinations thereof may determine the amount of the governing bodies' employer's~~ monthly contribution ~~towards~~ toward the total monthly premium amount required of each eligible participating employee."

Re-number accordingly

SENATE AMENDMENTS TO HB 1353

Page 1, line 18, replace "county" with "state"

Re-number accordingly

SENATE AMENDMENTS TO ENGROSSED HB 1372

Page 1, line 14, after the period insert "This section does not apply to advertising purchased or contracted for prior to July 1, 1989."

Re-number accordingly

SENATE AMENDMENTS TO ENGROSSED HB 1375

Page 1, line 14, after the period insert "This section does not apply to advertising purchased or contracted for prior to July 1, 1989."

Re-number accordingly

SENATE AMENDMENTS TO HB 1389

Page 2, line 8, after the first "recount" insert "and not disqualified under subdivision c of subsection 2 of section 16.1-05-02"

Page 2, line 9, remove "and"

Page 2, line 10, after the second "board" insert ", and all expenses of the recount must be paid as provided in section 15-28-10"

Re-number accordingly

MESSAGE to the HOUSE from the SENATE (Patricia Conrad, Secretary)

MR. SPEAKER: The Senate has amended and subsequently failed to pass: HB 1469.

MESSAGE to the HOUSE from the SENATE (Patricia Conrad, Secretary)

MR. SPEAKER: The President has signed and your signature is respectfully requested: SB 2156, SB 2282, SB 2287, SB 2330, SB 2442, SCR 4001, SCR 4002, SCR 4014, SCR 4025, SCR 4028, SCR 4034, SCR 4037, SCR 4039, SCR 4042.

MESSAGE to the HOUSE from the SENATE (Patricia Conrad, Secretary)

MR. SPEAKER: The Senate has passed unchanged: HB 1061.

MOTIONS

REP. R. ANDERSON MOVED that the House waive the reading of the titles to HB 1668 and HB 1670, which motion prevailed.

REP. KLOUBEC MOVED that HB 1666 be laid over one legislative day, which motion prevailed.

SECOND READING OF HOUSE BILLS

HB 1658: A BILL for an Act to provide for deposit of certain revenue in a rainy day fund and other special funds if general fund revenue is in excess of estimates; and to provide a continuing appropriation.

ROLL CALL

The question being on the final passage of the amended bill, which has been read, the roll was called and there were 57 YEAS, 47 NAYS, 2 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING.

YEAS: Anderson, R.; Belter; Berg, R.; Bernstein; Christman; Clayburgh; Dalrymple; Dorso; Gates; Gerntholz; Goetz; Gorman; Gunsch; Haugen; Haugland; Hausauer, A.; Hausauer, R.; Howard; Jensen; Kingsbury; Kloubec; Knell; Kolbo; Kouba; Lang; Larson, D.; Larson, R.; Lindgren; Martin; Martinson; Melby; Myrdal; Nicholas; Olsen, D.; Olson, A.; Olson, V.; Payne; Rydell; Schatz; Schindler; Schmidt; Shaft; Shide; Smette; Sorensen; Soukup; Stenehjem; Timm; Tokach; Tollefson; Trautman; Urlacher; Vander Vorst; Wald; Wentz; Whalen; Speaker Kretschmar

NAYS: Aarsvold; Aas; Anderson, B.; Berg, G.; Brokaw; Carlson; DeMers, J.; DeMers, P.; Enget; Flaagan; Frey; Gerhardt; Gerl; Gilmore; Graba; Halmrast; Hanson, L.; Hanson, O.; Hoffner; Hokana; Huether; Kaldor; Kelly; Laughlin; Marks; Mertens; Murphy; Ness; Nowatzki; Oban; O'Shea; Ring; Scherber; Schneider; Shockman; Skjerven; Solberg; Starke; Stofferahn; Thompson, K.; Thompson, V.; Tomac; Ulmer; Watne; Wilkie; Williams, A.; Williams, W.

ABSENT AND NOT VOTING: Nelson; Peterson

HB 1658 passed and the title was agreed to.

HB 1668: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 57-02-26 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the assessment of pipeline property; and to provide an effective date.

ROLL CALL

The question being on the final passage of the bill, which has been read, the roll was called and there were 100 YEAS, 1 NAY, 5 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING.

YEAS: Aarsvold; Aas; Anderson, B.; Anderson, R.; Belter; Berg, G.; Berg, R.; Bernstein; Brokaw; Carlson; Christman; Clayburgh; Dalrymple; DeMers, J.; DeMers, P.; Enget; Flaagan; Frey; Gates; Gerhardt; Gerl; Gerntholz; Gilmore; Goetz; Gorman; Graba; Gunsch; Halmrast; Hanson, L.; Hanson, O.; Haugland; Hausauer, A.; Hausauer, R.; Hoffner; Hokana; Howard; Huether; Jensen; Kaldor; Kelly; Kloubec; Knell; Kolbo; Lang; Larson, D.; Larson, R.; Laughlin; Lindgren; Marks; Martin; Martinson; Melby; Mertens; Murphy; Myrdal; Ness; Nicholas; Nowatzki; Oban; Olsen, D.; Olson, A.; Olson, V.; O'Shea; Payne; Ring; Rydell; Schatz; Scherber; Schindler; Schmidt; Schneider; Shaft; Shide; Shockman;

Skjerven; Smette; Solberg; Sorensen; Soukup; Starke; Stenehjem; Stofferahn; Thompson, K.; Thompson, V.; Timm; Tokach; Tollefson; Tomac; Trautman; Ulmer; Urlacher; Vander Vorst; Wald; Watne; Wentz; Whalen; Wilkie; Williams, A.; Williams, W.; Speaker Kretschmar

NAYS: Kingsbury

ABSENT AND NOT VOTING: Dorso; Haugen; Kouba; Nelson; Peterson

HB 1668 passed and the title was agreed to.

MOTION

REP. SCHMIDT MOVED that the House reconsider its action whereby SB 2479 passed, which motion lost on a verification vote.

SECOND READING OF HOUSE BILL

HB 1670: A BILL for an Act to create and enact two new sections to chapter 15-40.1 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to distribution of excess foundation aid and to supplemental payments to school districts with high local effort; to amend and reenact sections 15-40.1-07 and 15-40.1-08 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to distribution of foundation aid payments based on number of students in a school district; to repeal section 14 of chapter 38 of the 1987 Session Laws of North Dakota, relating to distribution of unspent foundation program funds; and to declare an emergency.

ROLL CALL

The question being on the final passage of the bill, which has been read, the roll was called and there were 41 YEAS, 63 NAYS, 2 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING.

YEAS: Berg, G.; Carlson; DeMers, J.; DeMers, P.; Enget; Flaagan; Frey; Gates; Gerhardt; Geri; Gilmore; Graba; Halmrast; Hanson, L.; Hausauer, A.; Hoffner; Kelly; Lang; Larson, D.; Laughlin; Martinson; Mertens; Ness; Nowatzki; Oban; O'Shea; Ring; Rydell; Schatz; Scherber; Schindler; Schneider; Solberg; Starke; Thompson, V.; Tokach; Tomac; Ulmer; Watne; Williams, A.; Williams, W.

NAYS: Aarsvold; Aas; Anderson, B.; Anderson, R.; Belter; Berg, R.; Bernstein; Brokaw; Christman; Clayburgh; Dalrymple; Dorso; Gerntholz; Goetz; Gorman; Gunsch; Hanson, O.; Haugen; Haugland; Hausauer, R.; Hokana; Howard; Huether; Jensen; Kaldor; Kingsbury; Kloubec; Kneil; Kolbo; Kouba; Larson, R.; Lindgren; Marks; Martin; Melby; Murphy; Myrdal; Nicholas; Olsen, D.; Olson, A.; Olson, V.; Payne; Schmidt; Shaft; Shide; Shockman; Skjerven; Smette; Sorensen; Soukup; Stenehjem; Stofferahn; Thompson, K.; Timm; Tollefson; Trautman; Urlacher; Vander Vorst; Wald; Wentz; Whalen; Wilkie; Speaker Kretschmar

ABSENT AND NOT VOTING: Nelson; Peterson

HB 1670 lost.

MOTION

REP. R. ANDERSON MOVED that SB 2268 be placed at the head of the calendar, which motion prevailed.

SECOND READING OF SENATE BILLS

SB 2268: A BILL for an Act to authorize the director of institutions to sell and convey certain land owned by the state of North Dakota to Burleigh County for use as fairgrounds; and to declare an emergency.

ROLL CALL

The question being on the final passage of the bill, which has been read, the roll was called and there were 62 YEAS, 39 NAYS, 5 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING.

YEAS: Aas; Belter; Berg, G.; Berg, R.; Bernstein; Clayburgh; Dalrymple; DeMers, J.; Dorso; Flaagan; Frey; Gates; Gerntholz; Gilmore; Goetz; Gorman; Gunsch; Halmrast; Hanson, L.; Hanson, O.; Hausauer, A.; Hausauer, R.; Hoffner; Howard; Huether; Jensen; Kelly; Kingsbury; Knell; Kouba; Lang; Larson, D.; Larson, R.; Lindgren; Martin; Martinson; Melby; Mertens; Myrdal; Nicholas; Nowatzki; Oban; Olsen, D.; Olson, A.; Olson, V.; Payne; Rydell; Schatz; Schindler; Shaft; Shide; Shockman; Smette; Sorensen; Soukup; Stenehjem; Thompson, K.; Timm; Vander Vorst; Wald; Williams, A.; Speaker Kretschmar

NAYS: Aarsvold; Anderson, B.; Anderson, R.; Brokaw; Carlson; Christman; DeMers, P.; Enget; Gerhardt; Gerl; Graba; Haugen; Haugland; Hokana; Kaldor; Kolbo; Laughlin; Marks; Murphy; Ness; O'Shea; Ring; Scherber; Schmidt; Schneider; Skjerven; Solberg; Starke; Stofferahn; Thompson, V.; Tokach; Tollefson; Tomac; Trautman; Ulmer; Watne; Wentz; Wilkie; Williams, W.

ABSENT AND NOT VOTING: Kloubec; Nelson; Peterson; Urlacher; Whalen

SB 2268 passed, the title was agreed to, and the emergency clause lost.

SB 2043: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact subsection 9 of section 10-04-06 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the authority of the securities commissioner to adopt transactional exemptions from securities registration requirements.

ROLL CALL

The question being on the final passage of the amended bill, which has been read, the roll was called and there were 100 YEAS, 0 NAYS, 6 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING.

YEAS: Aarsvold; Aas; Anderson, B.; Anderson, R.; Belter; Berg, G.; Berg, R.; Bernstein; Carlson; Christman; Clayburgh; Dalrymple; DeMers, J.; DeMers, P.; Dorso; Enget; Flaagan; Frey; Gates; Gerhardt; Gerl; Gerntholz; Gilmore; Goetz; Gorman; Graba; Gunsch; Halmrast; Hanson, L.; Hanson, O.; Haugen; Haugland; Hausauer, A.; Hausauer, R.; Hoffner; Hokana; Howard; Huether; Jensen; Kaldor; Kingsbury; Kloubec; Knell; Kolbo; Kouba; Lang; Larson, D.; Larson, R.; Laughlin; Lindgren; Marks; Martin; Martinson; Melby; Mertens; Murphy; Myrdal; Ness; Nicholas; Nowatzki; Oban; Olsen, D.; Olson, A.; Olson, V.; O'Shea; Payne; Ring; Rydell; Schatz; Scherber; Schindler; Schmidt; Schneider; Shaft; Shide; Shockman; Skjerven; Smette; Solberg; Sorensen; Soukup; Stenehjem; Stofferahn; Thompson, K.; Thompson, V.; Timm; Tokach; Tollefson; Tomac; Trautman; Ulmer; Urlacher; Vander Vorst; Wald; Watne; Wentz; Wilkie; Williams, A.; Williams, W.; Speaker Kretschmar

NAYS: None

ABSENT AND NOT VOTING: Brokaw; Kelly; Nelson; Peterson; Starke; Whalen
SB 2043 passed and the title was agreed to.

THE HOUSE RECOGNIZED THE PRESENCE OF:

Former Representative David Kent

MESSAGE to the HOUSE from the SENATE (Patricia Conrad, Secretary)
MR. SPEAKER: The Senate respectfully returns SB 2424.

SIGNING of BILLS and RESOLUTIONS (Roy Gilbreath, Chief Clerk)
THE CHIEF CLERK ANNOUNCED that the Speaker signed the following enrolled bills and resolutions: HB 1009, HB 1084, HB 1140, HB 1182, HB 1212, HB 1256, HB 1275, HB 1287, HB 1290, HB 1331, HB 1344, HB 1425, HB 1440, HB 1607, HB 1651, HCR 3001, HCR 3002, HCR 3006, HCR 3010, HCR 3024, HCR 3027, HCR 3033, HCR 3041, HCR 3042, HCR 3043, HCR 3044, HCR 3050, HCR 3052, HCR 3053, HCR 3057, HCR 3062, HCR 3063, HCR 3068, HCR 3070.

MESSAGE to the SENATE from the HOUSE (Roy Gilbreath, Chief Clerk)
MR. PRESIDENT: The Speaker has signed and your signature is respectfully requested: HB 1009, HB 1084, HB 1140, HB 1182, HB 1212, HB 1256, HB 1275, HB 1287, HB 1290, HB 1331, HB 1344, HB 1425, HB 1440, HB 1607, HB 1651, HCR 3001, HCR 3002, HCR 3006, HCR 3010, HCR 3024, HCR 3027, HCR 3033, HCR 3041, HCR 3042, HCR 3043, HCR 3044, HCR 3050, HCR 3052, HCR 3053, HCR 3057, HCR 3062, HCR 3063, HCR 3068, HCR 3070.

SIGNING of BILLS and RESOLUTIONS (Roy Gilbreath, Chief Clerk)
THE CHIEF CLERK ANNOUNCED that the Speaker signed the following enrolled bills: SB 2035, SB 2083, SB 2095, SB 2124, SB 2137, SB 2166, SB 2224, SB 2236, SB 2266, SB 2267, SB 2275, SB 2311, SB 2331, SB 2348, SB 2349, SB 2353, SB 2381, SB 2436, SB 2437, SB 2441, SB 2469, SB 2474, SB 2477, SB 2496, SB 2515, SB 2519.

MESSAGE to the SENATE from the HOUSE (Roy Gilbreath, Chief Clerk)
MR. PRESIDENT: The Speaker has signed: SB 2035, SB 2083, SB 2095, SB 2124, SB 2137, SB 2166, SB 2224, SB 2236, SB 2266, SB 2267, SB 2275, SB 2311, SB 2331, SB 2348, SB 2349, SB 2353, SB 2381, SB 2436, SB 2437, SB 2441, SB 2469, SB 2474, SB 2477, SB 2496, SB 2515, SB 2519.

SIGNING of BILLS and RESOLUTIONS (Roy Gilbreath, Chief Clerk)
THE CHIEF CLERK ANNOUNCED that the Speaker signed the following enrolled resolution: HMR A.

MESSAGE to the SENATE from the HOUSE (Roy Gilbreath, Chief Clerk)
MR. PRESIDENT: The House has concurred in the Senate amendments to HB 1094, HB 1131, HB 1240, HB 1347, HB 1371, and HCR 3031 and subsequently passed the same.

SECOND READING OF SENATE BILL

SB 2098: A BILL for an Act to require motor vehicle liability insurance policies for private passenger automobiles to include property damage coverage for rented automobiles.

MOTION

REP. SCHMIDT MOVED the previous question, which motion prevailed.

ROLL CALL

The question being on the final passage of the amended bill, which has been read, the roll was called and there were 84 YEAS, 20 NAYS, 2 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING.

YEAS: Aarsvoid; Anderson, B.; Anderson, R.; Belter; Berg, G.; Berg, R.; Bernstein; Brokaw; Carlson; Christman; Clayburgh; Dalrymple; DeMers, J.; DeMers, P.; Dorso; Flaagan; Frey; Gates; Gerhardt; Gerl; Gerntholz; Gilmore; Goetz; Gorman; Graba; Gunsch; Halmrast; Hanson, L.; Hanson, O.; Haugen; Hausauer, A.; Hausauer, R.; Hoffner; Hokana; Howard; Huether; Kaldor; Kelly; Kloubec; Knell; Kolbo; Larson, D.; Larson, R.; Laughlin; Lindgren; Marks; Martin; Martinson; Melby; Mertens; Murphy; Myrdal; Ness; Nicholas; Nowatzki; Oban; Olsen, D.; Olson, A.; O'Shea; Payne; Ring; Rydell; Schatz; Scherber; Schmidt; Schneider; Shide; Shockman; Smette; Sorensen; Soukup; Starke; Stenehjem; Stofferahn; Thompson, V.; Tollefson; Tomac; Trautman; Ulmer; Urlacher; Wald; Watne; Williams, A.; Williams, W.

NAYS: Aas; Enget; Haugland; Jensen; Kingsbury; Kouba; Lang; Olson, V.; Schindler; Shaft; Skjerven; Solberg; Thompson, K.; Timm; Tokach; Vander Vorst; Wentz; Whalen; Wilkie; Speaker Kretschmar

ABSENT AND NOT VOTING: Nelson; Peterson

SB 2098 passed and the title was agreed to.

MOTIONS

REP. LINDGREN MOVED that the House reconsider its action whereby SB 2424 passed, which motion prevailed on a verification vote.

REP. LINDGREN MOVED that SB 2424 be rereferred to the Committee on Political Subdivisions, which motion prevailed. Pursuant to Rep. Lindgren's motion, SB 2424 was rereferred.

ANNOUNCEMENT

REP. KLOUBEC ANNOUNCED that the House would not work on Good Friday.

MOTION

REP. KLOUBEC MOVED that House Rule 341, paragraphs 1 and 2, be suspended for one more day, which motion prevailed.

COMMUNICATION

State of North Dakota
OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR
Bismarck

March 17, 1989

The Honorable William Kretschmar
Speaker of the House
House Chamber
State Capitol
Bismarck, North Dakota 58505

Dear Mr. Speaker:

This is to inform you that on March 17, 1989, I signed the following: HB 1282, HB 1366.

Sincerely,

GEORGE A. SINNER
Governor

DELIVERY OF ENROLLED BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

THE SPEAKER ANNOUNCED that the following resolution was delivered to the Secretary of State for his filing at the hour of 3:30 p.m., March 17, 1989: HMR A.

MOTIONS

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

REP. KLOUBEC MOVED that the House be on the Fifth order of business, and at the conclusion of the Fifth order, the House be on the Thirteenth order of business, and at the conclusion of the Thirteenth order, the House stand adjourned until 1:00 p.m., Monday, March 20, 1989, which motion prevailed.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Political Subdivisions (Rep. Lindgren, Chairman) to which was referred HB 1667 has had the same under consideration and recommends by a vote of 12 YEAS, 0 NAYS, 3 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING that the same BE AMENDED AS FOLLOWS and when so amended, recommends the same DO PASS:

Page 1, line 1, replace "section" with "sections 40-23-09," and after "40-23-10" insert ", and 40-23.1-07"

Page 1, line 2, after "to" insert "preparation of assessment lists and"

Page 1, after line 4, insert:

"SECTION 1. AMENDMENT. Section 40-23-09 of the North Dakota Century Code is hereby amended and reenacted to read as follows:

40-23-09. Assessment list to be prepared - Contents - Certificate attached to assessment list. The commission shall make or cause to be made a complete list of the benefits and assessments setting forth, by legal description or street address or both, each lot or tract of land assessed, the amount each lot or tract is benefited by the improvement, and the amount assessed against each. There shall be attached to the list of assessments a certificate signed by a majority of the members of the commission certifying that the same is a true and correct assessment of the property therein described to the best of their judgment, and stating the several items of expense included in the assessment."

Page 2, line 2, replace "may" with "must"

Page 2, after line 19, insert:

"SECTION 3. AMENDMENT. Section 40-23.1-07 of the North Dakota Century Code is hereby amended and reenacted to read as follows:

40-23.1-07. Assessment list to be prepared - Contents - Certificate attached to assessment list. The city auditor shall make or cause to be made a complete list of the benefits and assessments setting forth, by legal description or street address or both, each lot, tract, or parcel benefited by the improvement, and the amount assessed against each. There shall be attached to the list of assessments a certificate signed by the city auditor certifying that the same is a true and correct assessment of the property therein described to the best of just judgment, and stating the several items of expense included in the assessment."

ReNUMBER accordingly

HB 1667 was placed on the Sixth order of business on the calendar for the succeeding legislative day.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Joint Constitutional Revision (Rep. Martin, Chairman) to which was referred HCR 3005 has had the same under consideration and recommends by a vote of 9 YEAS, 0 NAYS, 1 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING that the same DO PASS.

HCR 3005 was placed on the Eleventh order of business on the calendar for the succeeding legislative day.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Joint Constitutional Revision (Rep. Martin, Chairman) to which was referred HCR 3011 has had the same under consideration and recommends by a vote of 6 YEAS, 4 NAYS, 0 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING that the same DO NOT PASS.

HCR 3011 was placed on the Eleventh order of business on the calendar for the succeeding legislative day.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Joint Constitutional Revision (Rep. Martin, Chairman) to which was referred HCR 3012 has had the same under consideration and recommends by a vote of 9 YEAS, 1 NAY, 0 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING that the same DO NOT PASS.

HCR 3012 was placed on the Eleventh order of business on the calendar for the succeeding legislative day.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Joint Constitutional Revision (Rep. Martin, Chairman) to which was referred HCR 3019 has had the same under consideration and recommends by a vote of 6 YEAS, 4 NAYS, 0 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING that the same BE AMENDED AS FOLLOWS and when so amended, recommends the same DO NOT PASS:

Page 1, line 19, after "biennially" insert "and the representatives from a legislative district are elected in the same year as the senator from that district"

Page 2, line 1, replace "odd-numbered" with "even-numbered"

Page 2, line 2, replace "even-numbered" with "odd-numbered"

ReNUMBER accordingly

HCR 3019 was placed on the Sixth order of business on the calendar for the succeeding legislative day.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Joint Constitutional Revision (Rep. Martin, Chairman) to which was referred HCR 3026 has had the same under consideration and recommends by a vote of 10 YEAS, 0 NAYS, 0 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING that the same DO NOT PASS.

HCR 3026 was placed on the Eleventh order of business on the calendar for the succeeding legislative day.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Joint Constitutional Revision (Rep. Martin, Chairman) to which was referred HCR 3038 has had the same under consideration and recommends by a vote of 6 YEAS, 4 NAYS, 0 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING that the same BE PLACED ON THE CALENDAR WITHOUT RECOMMENDATION.

HCR 3038 was placed on the Eleventh order of business on the calendar for the succeeding legislative day.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Agriculture (Rep. Nicholas, Chairman) to which was referred HCR 3084 has had the same under consideration and recommends by a vote of 14 YEAS, 0 NAYS, 2 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING that the same DO PASS and BE PLACED ON THE CONSENT CALENDAR.

HCR 3084 was placed on the Tenth order of business on the calendar for the succeeding legislative day.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Agriculture (Rep. Nicholas, Chairman) to which was referred HCR 3085 has had the same under consideration and recommends by a vote of 13 YEAS, 0 NAYS, 3 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING that the same DO PASS and BE PLACED ON THE CONSENT CALENDAR.

HCR 3085 was placed on the Tenth order of business on the calendar for the succeeding legislative day.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Appropriations (Rep. Peterson, Chairman) to which was referred Engrossed SB 2018 has had the same under consideration and recommends by a vote of 19 YEAS, 0 NAYS, 4 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING that the same DO PASS.

SB 2018 was placed on the Fourteenth order of business on the calendar for the succeeding legislative day.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Political Subdivisions (Rep. Lindgren, Chairman) to which was referred SB 2079 has had the same under consideration and recommends by a vote of 11 YEAS, 1 NAY, 3 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING that the same BE AMENDED AS FOLLOWS and when so amended, recommends the same DO PASS:

Page 2, line 10, after "instrument" insert "containing a different legal description"

Renumber accordingly

SB 2079 was placed on the Sixth order of business on the calendar for the succeeding legislative day.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Agriculture (Rep. Nicholas, Chairman) to which was referred Engrossed SB 2085 has had the same under consideration and recommends by a vote of 9 YEAS, 4 NAYS, 3 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING that the same BE AMENDED AS FOLLOWS and when so amended, recommends the same DO PASS:

Page 3, line 5, after the period, insert "If the contract between the representative and the satellite video livestock auction market is terminated, rescinded, breached, or otherwise materially altered, the representative and the satellite video livestock auction market shall immediately notify the commissioner. Failure to notify the commissioner of termination, rescission, breach, or material alteration of the contract between the representative and the satellite video livestock auction market is deemed to be a failure to keep and maintain suitable records with the department and is deemed to be a false entry or statement of fact in an application filed with the department."

Renumber accordingly

Engrossed SB 2085 was placed on the Sixth order of business on the calendar for the succeeding legislative day.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Political Subdivisions (Rep. Lindgren, Chairman) to which was referred SB 2152 has had the same under consideration and recommends by a vote of 12 YEAS, 0 NAYS, 3 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING that the same BE AMENDED AS FOLLOWS and when so amended, recommends the same DO PASS:

Page 1, line 15, overstrike "Municipalities" and insert immediately thereafter "Cities"

Page 4, line 3, remove "for the office of governor" and after "election" insert "or, in the case of school districts, upon petition of at least thirty-five percent of the current enrollment of the school district"

Renumber accordingly

SB 2152 was placed on the Sixth order of business on the calendar for the succeeding legislative day.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Agriculture (Rep. Nicholas, Chairman) to which was rereferred Engrossed SB 2206 has had the same under consideration and recommends by a vote of 12 YEAS, 2 NAYS, 2 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING that the same BE AMENDED AS FOLLOWS and when so amended, recommends the same DO PASS:

Page 2, line 2, replace "from" with "for the auctioneer at"

Renumber accordingly

Engrossed SB 2206 was placed on the Sixth order of business on the calendar for the succeeding legislative day.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Political Subdivisions (Rep. Lindgren, Chairman) to which was referred SB 2220 has had the same under consideration and recommends by a vote of 9 YEAS, 1 NAY, 5 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING that the same BE AMENDED AS FOLLOWS and when so amended, recommends the same DO PASS:

Page 10, line 23, after "order" insert ". When books or records are seized, the attorney general shall provide copies of those records or books within twenty-four hours of a specific request by the organization for a copy of the books or records seized"

Renumber accordingly

SB 2220 was placed on the Sixth order of business on the calendar for the succeeding legislative day.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Political Subdivisions (Rep. Lindgren, Chairman) to which was referred Engrossed SB 2294 has had the same under consideration and recommends by a vote of 9 YEAS, 0 NAYS, 6 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING that the same DO PASS.

Engrossed SB 2294 was placed on the Fourteenth order of business on the calendar for the succeeding legislative day.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Natural Resources (Rep. A. Olson, Chairman) to which was referred SB 2328 has had the same under consideration and recommends by a vote of 14 YEAS, 0 NAYS, 3 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING that the same DO PASS.

SB 2328 was placed on the Fourteenth order of business on the calendar for the succeeding legislative day.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Transportation (Rep. Timm, Chairman) to which was referred SB 2347 has had the same under consideration and recommends by a vote of 13 YEAS, 0 NAYS, 3 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING that the same DO PASS.

SB 2347 was placed on the Fourteenth order of business on the calendar for the succeeding legislative day.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Agriculture (Rep. Nicholas, Chairman) to which was referred Engrossed SB 2360 has had the same under consideration and recommends by a vote of 14 YEAS, 0 NAYS, 2 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING that the same BE AMENDED AS FOLLOWS and when so amended, recommends the same DO PASS:

Page 2, line 20, after "known" insert "of the damage"

Page 3, line 13, replace "license" with "certification"

Renumber accordingly

Engrossed SB 2360 was placed on the Sixth order of business on the calendar for the succeeding legislative day.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Political Subdivisions (Rep. Lindgren, Chairman) to which was referred Engrossed SB 2376 has had the same under consideration and recommends by a vote of 9 YEAS, 5 NAYS, 1 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING that the same BE AMENDED AS FOLLOWS and when so amended, recommends the same DO PASS:

Page 1, line 18, after the period insert "However, a customer who is twenty-one years of age or older must be provided access from the nonlicensed portion of the business to the licensed portion of the business."

Renumber accordingly

Engrossed SB 2376 was placed on the Sixth order of business on the calendar for the succeeding legislative day.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on State and Federal Government (Rep. Martinson, Chairman) to which was referred Engrossed SB 2395 has had the same under

consideration and recommends by a vote of 9 YEAS, 4 NAYS, 1 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING that the same DO PASS.

SB 2395 was placed on the Fourteenth order of business on the calendar for the succeeding legislative day.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Political Subdivisions (Rep. Lindgren, Chairman) to which was referred Engrossed SB 2396 has had the same under consideration and recommends by a vote of 8 YEAS, 6 NAYS, 1 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING that the same DO NOT PASS.

Engrossed SB 2396 was placed on the Fourteenth order of business on the calendar for the succeeding legislative day.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Agriculture (Rep. Nicholas, Chairman) to which was referred Engrossed SB 2413 has had the same under consideration and recommends by a vote of 8 YEAS, 6 NAYS, 2 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING that the same BE AMENDED AS FOLLOWS and when so amended, recommends the same DO PASS:

Page 1, line 18, replace "fifty" with "twenty-five"

Page 1, line 22, replace "400,000" with "200,000"

Re-number accordingly

Engrossed SB 2413 was placed on the Sixth order of business on the calendar for the succeeding legislative day.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Political Subdivisions (Rep. Lindgren, Chairman) to which was referred Engrossed SB 2440 has had the same under consideration and recommends by a vote of 12 YEAS, 0 NAYS, 3 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING that the same BE AMENDED AS FOLLOWS and when so amended, recommends the same DO PASS:

Page 1, line 13, remove "subsection 1 of"

Page 1, line 14, remove "subsection 1 of"

Re-number accordingly

Engrossed SB 2440 was placed on the Sixth order of business on the calendar for the succeeding legislative day.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Political Subdivisions (Rep. Lindgren, Chairman) to which was referred SB 2482 has had the same under consideration and recommends by a vote of 11 YEAS, 0 NAYS, 4 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING that the same DO PASS.

SB 2482 was placed on the Fourteenth order of business on the calendar for the succeeding legislative day.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Transportation (Rep. Timm, Chairman) to which was referred SCR 4008 has had the same under consideration and recommends by a vote of 7 YEAS, 6 NAYS, 3 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING that the same DO PASS.

SCR 4008 was placed on the Fourteenth order of business on the calendar for the succeeding legislative day.

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Agriculture (Rep. Nicholas, Chairman) to which was referred SCR 4054 has had the same under consideration and recommends by a vote of 13 YEAS, 0 NAYS, 3 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING that the same DO PASS and BE PLACED ON THE CONSENT CALENDAR.

SCR 4054 was placed on the Tenth order of business on the calendar for the succeeding legislative day.

FIRST READING OF SENATE BILL

SB 2527: 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 maternity benefit health insurance coverage for complications of pregnancy.

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

FIRST READING OF SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTIONS

SCR 4033: A concurrent resolution directing the Legislative Council to study equalization problems in valuing property for property tax assessment, property tax exemptions and credits, and the method used to calculate county average agricultural land values for ad valorem taxation.

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

SCR 4059: A concurrent resolution directing the Legislative Council to study the feasibility of moving Missouri River water to the James, Sheyenne, Souris, and Red Rivers.

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

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

ROY GILBREATH, Chief Clerk