

JOURNAL OF THE SENATE

Fifty-second Legislative Assembly

* * * * *

Bismarck, January 21, 1991

The Senate convened at 1:00 p.m., with President Omdahl presiding.

The prayer was offered by Father Julian Nix, St. Alexius Medical Center, Bismarck.

The roll was called and all members were present except Senators Ingstad and Satrom.

A quorum was declared by the President.

MESSAGE to the HOUSE from the SENATE (Marion Houn, Secretary)

MR. SPEAKER: The Senate has passed and your favorable consideration is requested on: SB 2035, SB 2160, SB 2161, SB 2196, SB 2173, SB 2172, SB 2153, SB 2197, SB 2186, SB 2163, SB 2164, SB 2157, SB 2128, SB 2124, SB 2216.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES

SB 2057: Committee on Natural Resources (Sen. Meyer, Chairman) recommends AMENDMENTS AS FOLLOWS and when so amended, recommends DO PASS (7 YEAS, 0 NAYS, 0 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING). The proposed amendment was placed on the Sixth order on the calendar.

Page 1, line 1, replace "section" with "sections" and after "55-08-06" insert "and 55-08-06.2"

Page 1, line 3, remove "; and to repeal section 55-08-06.2 of the North Dakota"

Page 1, line 4, replace "Century Code, relating to" with "and"

Page 1, line 21, remove the overstrike over "~~fifteen~~" and remove "twenty"

Page 2, line 6, replace "REPEAL" with "AMENDMENT"

Page 2, line 7, replace "repealed." with "amended and reenacted as follows:

55-08-06.2. North Dakota senior citizens passport. The director shall establish procedures providing for the issuance of an annual entrance permit to be known as the "North Dakota senior citizens passport". ~~Such The~~ permit ~~shall~~ must be issued to any resident of North Dakota who is ~~sixty~~ sixty-five years of age or older and who ~~shall apply~~ applies for ~~such a~~ permit. ~~Such The~~ permit ~~shall be~~ is nontransferable, ~~shall be issued without charge, and shall entitle~~ entitles the bearer and any person accompanying the bearer in a single, private, noncommercial vehicle to entry into any state park, state recreation area, or reserve ~~without charge. No other free permits~~ shall be issued to any person, and must be issued for fifty percent of the regular permit fee. The provisions of this section ~~which~~ that provide a ~~waiver~~ reduction of fees ~~shall be~~ are effective notwithstanding any provisions to the contrary contained in this chapter."

Re-number accordingly

SB 2082: Committee on Natural Resources (Sen. Meyer, Chairman) recommends AMENDMENTS AS FOLLOWS and when so amended, recommends DO PASS (6 YEAS, 1 NAY, 0 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING). The proposed amendment was placed on the Sixth order on the calendar.

Page 1, line 10, after "person" insert "more than ten years of age"

Renumber accordingly

SB 2209: Committee on Natural Resources (Sen. Meyer, Chairman) recommends AMENDMENTS AS FOLLOWS and when so amended, recommends DO PASS (7 YEAS, 0 NAYS, 0 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING). The proposed amendment was placed on the Sixth order on the calendar.

Page 2, line 6, after "remove" insert "or modify"

Renumber accordingly

SB 2232: Committee on Natural Resources (Sen. Meyer, Chairman) recommends AMENDMENTS AS FOLLOWS and when so amended, recommends DO PASS (7 YEAS, 0 NAYS, 0 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING). The proposed amendment was placed on the Sixth order on the calendar.

Page 2, line 1, remove the overstrike over "~~fifteen~~" and remove "twenty"

Renumber accordingly

CONSIDERATION OF AMENDMENTS

SB 2043: SEN. MEYER (Committee on Natural Resources) MOVED that the amendments on SJ page 138 be adopted and then be placed on the Eleventh order with DO PASS, which motion prevailed.

SB 2171: SEN. MATHERN (Committee on Human Services and Veterans Affairs) MOVED that the amendments on SJ page 137 be adopted and then be placed on the Eleventh order with DO PASS, which motion prevailed.

SB 2195: SEN. HEINRICH (Committee on Education) MOVED that the amendments on SJ pages 125-126 be adopted and then be placed on the Eleventh order with DO PASS, which motion prevailed.

SB 2203: SEN. MATHERN (Committee on Human Services and Veterans Affairs) MOVED that the amendments on SJ pages 137-138 be adopted and then be placed on the Eleventh order with DO PASS, which motion prevailed.

MOTION

SEN. VOSPER MOVED that SB 2263 be returned to the Senate floor from the Committee on Human Services and Veterans Affairs for the purpose of withdrawal, which motion prevailed.

REQUEST

SEN. VOSPER REQUESTED the unanimous consent of the Senate to withdraw SB 2263. There being no objection, it was so ordered by the President.

SECOND READING OF SENATE BILLS

SB 2107: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 15-34.2-14 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to qualifications of schoolbus drivers.

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 52 YEAS, 0 NAYS, 0 EXCUSED, 1 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING.

YEAS: Bowman; David; DeKrey; Dotzenrod; Evanson; Freborg; Goetz; Graba; Hanson, E.; Hanson, O.; Heigaard; Heinrich; Holmberg; Jerome; Keller; Kelly; Kelsh; Kinnoin; Krauter; Krebsbach; Langley; Lindaas; Lindgren; Lips; Marks; Mathern; Maxson; Meyer; Moore; Mushik; Mutch; Naaden; Nalewaja; Nelson; Nething; O'Connell; Peterson; Redlin; Robinson; Satrom; Schoenwald; Solberg; Stenehjelm; Streibel; Tallackson; Tennesfos; Thane; Tomac; Traynor; Vosper; Wogsland; Yockim

ABSENT AND NOT VOTING: Ingstad

SB 2107 passed and the title was agreed to.

SB 2101: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 54-42-01 and subsection 3 of section 54-44.3-07 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the state personnel board constituting the merit system council and the authority of the state personnel board to hear and decide appeals from agency employer actions.

ROLL CALL

The question being on the final passage of the bill, which has been read and has committee recommendation of DO PASS, the roll was called and there were 52 YEAS, 0 NAYS, 0 EXCUSED, 1 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING.

YEAS: Bowman; David; DeKrey; Dotzenrod; Evanson; Freborg; Goetz; Graba; Hanson, E.; Hanson, O.; Heigaard; Heinrich; Holmberg; Jerome; Keller; Kelly; Kelsh; Kinnoin; Krauter; Krebsbach; Langley; Lindaas; Lindgren; Lips; Marks; Mathern; Maxson; Meyer; Moore; Mushik; Mutch; Naaden; Nalewaja; Nelson; Nething; O'Connell; Peterson; Redlin; Robinson; Satrom; Schoenwald; Solberg; Stenehjem; Streibel; Tallackson; Tennefos; Thane; Tomac; Traynor; Vosper; Wogsland; Yockim

ABSENT AND NOT VOTING: Ingstad

SB 2101 passed and the title was agreed to.

SB 2130: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 54-44.4-05 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to publication of procedures on competitive bidding on purchases by the state.

ROLL CALL

The question being on the final passage of the bill, which has been read and has committee recommendation of DO PASS, the roll was called and there were 52 YEAS, 1 NAY, 0 EXCUSED, 0 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING.

YEAS: Bowman; David; DeKrey; Dotzenrod; Evanson; Freborg; Goetz; Graba; Hanson, E.; Hanson, O.; Heigaard; Heinrich; Holmberg; Ingstad; Jerome; Keller; Kelly; Kelsh; Kinnoin; Krauter; Krebsbach; Langley; Lindaas; Lindgren; Lips; Marks; Mathern; Maxson; Meyer; Moore; Mushik; Mutch; Naaden; Nalewaja; Nelson; Nething; O'Connell; Peterson; Redlin; Robinson; Satrom; Schoenwald; Solberg; Stenehjem; Streibel; Tallackson; Tennefos; Thane; Tomac; Traynor; Wogsland; Yockim

NAYS: Vosper

SB 2130 passed and the title was agreed to.

SB 2141: A BILL for an Act to repeal section 54-44-04.8 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the purchase of state motor vehicles.

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 53 YEAS, 0 NAYS, 0 EXCUSED, 0 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING.

YEAS: Bowman; David; DeKrey; Dotzenrod; Evanson; Freborg; Goetz; Graba; Hanson, E.; Hanson, O.; Heigaard; Heinrich; Holmberg; Ingstad; Jerome; Keller; Kelly; Kelsh; Kinnoin; Krauter; Krebsbach; Langley; Lindaas; Lindgren; Lips; Marks; Mathern; Maxson; Meyer; Moore; Mushik; Mutch; Naaden; Nalewaja; Nelson; Nething; O'Connell; Peterson; Redlin; Robinson; Satrom; Schoenwald; Solberg; Stenehjem; Streibel; Tallackson; Tennefos; Thane; Tomac; Traynor; Vosper; Wogsland; Yockim

SB 2141 passed and the title was agreed to.

SB 2142: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 61-04-04.1 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to fees for water permit applications.

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 33 YEAS, 20 NAYS, 0 EXCUSED, 0 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING.

YEAS: Dotzenrod; Evanson; Goetz; Graba; Hanson, E.; Heigaard; Heinrich; Holmberg; Jerome; Keller; Kelly; Kelsh; Krauter; Langley; Lindaas; Lips; Marks; Mathern; Maxson; Meyer; Mushik; O'Connell; Redlin; Robinson; Satrom; Schoenwald; Stenehjem; Tallackson; Thane; Tomac; Traynor; Wogsland; Yockim

NAYS: Bowman; David; DeKrey; Freborg; Hanson, O.; Ingstad; Kinnoin; Krebsbach; Lindgren; Moore; Mutch; Naaden; Nalewaja; Nelson; Nething; Peterson; Solberg; Streibel; Tennefos; Vosper

SB 2142 passed and the title was agreed to.

SB 2147: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 61-04-28 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to correction of errors in applications for water permits or water permits by the state engineer.

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 53 YEAS, 0 NAYS, 0 EXCUSED, 0 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING.

YEAS: Bowman; David; DeKrey; Dotzenrod; Evanson; Freborg; Goetz; Graba; Hanson, E.; Hanson, O.; Heigaard; Heinrich; Holmberg; Ingstad; Jerome; Keller; Kelly; Kelsh; Kinnoin; Krauter; Krebsbach; Langley; Lindaas; Lindgren; Lips; Marks; Mathern; Maxson; Meyer; Moore; Mushik; Mutch; Naaden; Nalewaja; Nelson; Nething; O'Connell; Peterson; Redlin; Robinson; Satrom; Schoenwald; Solberg; Stenehjem; Streibel; Tallackson; Tennefos; Thane; Tomac; Traynor; Vosper; Wogsland; Yockim

SB 2147 passed and the title was agreed to.

MOTION

SEN. HEIGAARD MOVED that SB 2204, which is on the Eleventh order, be rereferred to the Committee on Appropriations, which motion prevailed. Pursuant to Sen. Heigaard's motion, SB 2204 was rereferred.

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

MR. PRESIDENT: The House has passed and your favorable consideration is requested on: HB 1084, HB 1116, HB 1130, HB 1136, HB 1176, HB 1206, HB 1216, HB 1220, HB 1235, HCR 3002.

SECOND READING OF SENATE BILLS

SB 2224: A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new chapter to title 4 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to integrated pest management districts; to provide a penalty; and to provide a continuing appropriation.

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 2 YEAS, 51 NAYS, 0 EXCUSED, 0 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING.

YEAS: O'Connell; Schoenwald

NAYS: Bowman; David; DeKrey; Dotzenrod; Evanson; Freborg; Goetz; Graba; Hanson, E.; Hanson, O.; Heigaard; Heinrich; Holmberg; Ingstad; Jerome; Keller; Kelly; Kelsh; Kinnoin; Krauter; Krebsbach; Langley; Lindaas; Lindgren; Lips; Marks; Mathern; Maxson; Meyer; Moore; Mushik; Mutch; Naaden; Nalewaja; Nelson; Nething; Peterson; Redlin; Robinson; Satrom; Solberg; Stenehjem; Streibel; Tallackson; Tennefos; Thane; Tomac; Traynor; Vosper; Wogsland; Yockim

SB 2224 lost.

SB 2260: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 51-07-16 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to definitions for the purpose of receiving refunds or replacements for defective passenger motor vehicles.

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 37 YEAS, 16 NAYS, 0 EXCUSED, 0 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING.

YEAS: DeKrey; Evanson; Goetz; Graba; Hanson, E.; Heigaard; Heinrich; Holmberg; Ingstad; Jerome; Keller; Kelly; Kelsh; Kinnoin; Krauter; Krebsbach; Lindaas; Lindgren; Lips; Marks; Mathern; Maxson; Mushik; Nalewaja; O'Connell; Redlin; Robinson; Satrom; Schoenwald; Stenehjem; Tallackson; Thane; Tomac; Traynor; Vosper; Wogsland; Yockim

NAYS: Bowman; David; Dotzenrod; Freborg; Hanson, O.; Langley; Meyer; Moore; Mutch; Naaden; Nelson; Nething; Peterson; Solberg; Streibel; Tennefos

SB 2260 passed and the title was agreed to.

MOTIONS

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

SEN. WOGSLAND MOVED that the Senate be on the Fifth order of business, and at the conclusion of the Fifth order, the Senate be on the Ninth order of business, and at the conclusion of the Ninth order, the Senate be on the Twelfth order of business, and at the conclusion of the Twelfth order, the Senate be on the Thirteenth order of business, and at the conclusion of the Thirteenth order, the Senate stand adjourned until 1:00 p.m., Tuesday, January 22, 1991, which motion prevailed.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES

SB 2081: Committee on Judiciary (Sen. Maxson, Chairman) recommends DO PASS (8 YEAS, 0 NAYS, 0 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING). SB 2081 was placed on the Eleventh order on the calendar.

SB 2089: Committee on Industry, Business and Labor (Sen. Langley, Chairman) recommends DO PASS (8 YEAS, 0 NAYS, 0 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING). SB 2089 was placed on the Eleventh order on the calendar.

SB 2138: Committee on Human Services and Veterans Affairs (Sen. Mathern, Chairman) recommends DO PASS (7 YEAS, 0 NAYS, 0 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING). SB 2138 was placed on the Eleventh order on the calendar.

SB 2159: Committee on Human Services and Veterans Affairs (Sen. Mathern, Chairman) recommends DO PASS (5 YEAS, 1 NAY, 1 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING). SB 2159 was placed on the Eleventh order on the calendar.

SB 2269: Committee on Judiciary (Sen. Maxson, Chairman) recommends DO PASS (8 YEAS, 0 NAYS, 0 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING). SB 2269 was placed on the Eleventh order on the calendar.

SB 2270: Committee on Judiciary (Sen. Maxson, Chairman) recommends DO PASS (8 YEAS, 0 NAYS, 0 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING). SB 2270 was placed on the Eleventh order on the calendar.

FIRST READING OF SENATE BILLS

Sens. Yockim, Mathern, Lindgren and Reps. Rydell, Clayburgh, Scherber introduced:

SB 2355: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact subsection 3 of section 14-05-22 and subdivision j of subsection 1 of section 14-09-06.2 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the consideration of evidence of domestic violence by courts in determining rights to custody and visitation of children.

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

Sens. Marks, Bowman and Rep. Erickson introduced:

SB 2356: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 51-05.1-04 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to written contracts for the sale of property by auctioneers or auction clerks.

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

Sens. Redlin, O. Hanson, E. Hanson and Reps. Tollefson, Nichols, Gilmore introduced:

SB 2357: A BILL for an Act to provide for the creation of the northwest area water supply advisory committee and to authorize the state water commission to develop and construct a northwest area water supply project; and to declare an emergency.

Was read the first time and referred to the Committee on State and Federal Government.

Sen. Meyer and Rep. Nichols introduced:

SB 2359: A BILL for an Act relating to the establishment of a livestock water assistance program; to provide an appropriation; and to declare an emergency.

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

Sens. Redlin, Lindgren, Nalewaja and Reps. Kretschmar, Nowatzki, Skjerven introduced:

SB 2361: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact sections 54-03-02 and 54-03-02.1 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to reconvened regular sessions of the legislative assembly in even-numbered years for budget adjustment purposes.

Was read the first time and referred to the Committee on State and Federal Government.

Sens. Yockim, Meyer, Goetz and Reps. Schmidt, Kolbo, R. Anderson introduced:

SB 2362: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact sections 57-51.1-02 and 57-51.1-03 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the rate of the oil extraction tax, the new well exemption to the oil extraction tax, and the work-over exemption to the oil extraction tax.

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

Sens. Meyer, Kinnoin and Reps. Dorso, Flaagan introduced:

SB 2365: A BILL for an Act relating to the use of safety belts and to provide a reduction in any fine otherwise imposed for the violation of speed restrictions.

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

Sens. Krauter, Solberg, Vosper and Reps. Gorder, Kaldor, Wilkie introduced:

SB 2366: A BILL for an Act to repeal section 57-39.2-28 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to a refund allowed residents of Canada of sales taxes paid in this state; and to declare an emergency.

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

Sen. Meyer and Rep. Meyer introduced:

SB 2370: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 5-02-06 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to persons under twenty-one years of age on premises where alcohol is sold or served.

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

Sens. Lindgren, Dotzenrod and Rep. Martin introduced:

SB 2371: A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new section to chapter 11-10 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the training and certification of newly elected county officials.

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

Sens. Nething, Marks and Reps. Williams, Kroeber, Trautman introduced:

SB 2372: A BILL for an Act to create and enact two new subsections to section 25-03.1-02 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to definitions of commitment procedures; and to amend and reenact subsection 14 of section 25-03.1-02 and section 25-03.1-43 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to definitions used in commitment procedures and the confidentiality of records of patients in a treatment facility.

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

Sens. Peterson, Vosper and Reps. Soukup, Cleary introduced:

SB 2374: A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new subdivision to subsection 1 of section 57-38-01.2 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to an income tax deduction for military compensation while on active military duty; to amend and reenact subsection 3 of section 57-38-30.3 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to an income tax reduction for military compensation while on active military duty; and to provide an effective date.

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

Sens. Wogsland, Schoenwald, Keller and Reps. Laughlin, Williams, Stofferahn introduced:

SB 2375: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 26.1-17-04 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the board of directors for nonprofit health service corporations.

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

Sens. Mushik, Graba, Ingstad and Reps. Gorder, Oban, Skjervén introduced:

SB 2376: A BILL for an Act to provide for rights of organization and representation of state employees, collective bargaining negotiations between the state of North Dakota and its employees, establishment of a public employment relations board, and public employment relations.

Was read the first time and referred to the Committee on State and Federal Government.

Sen. O. Hanson and Reps. Gorder, Brokaw introduced:

SB 2377: A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new section to chapter 57-15 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to a levy for long-distance learning technology.

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

Sen. Lips introduced:

SB 2378: A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new section to chapter 36-21.1 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to unattended animals in motor vehicles; and to amend and reenact subsection 1 of

section 36-21.1-06 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to removing an unattended animal from a motor vehicle.

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

Sens. Nalewaja, Kinnoin, O. Hanson and Reps. Schmidt, Stofferahn, Thompson introduced:

SB 2379: A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new section to chapter 54-02 of the North Dakota Century Code, designating Barnes soil as the official state soil.

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

Sen. Stenehjem introduced:

SB 2380: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact sections 27-20-51 and 27-20-54 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to juvenile court records.

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

Sens. DeKrey, Satrom introduced:

SB 2381: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 53-04-02 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to license fees for amusement game operators.

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

Sen. Tomac and Rep. Dorso introduced:

SB 2382: A BILL for an Act to create and enact two new subsections to section 34-05-01.3, a new section to chapter 34-05, a new subsection to section 52-01-01, and a new subsection to section 65-01-02 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the commissioner of labor; to amend and reenact sections 21-03-32, 21-10-01, 28-32-08, 34-05-01.2, 37-18.1-01, 43-07-25, subsections 8 and 20 of section 52-01-01, sections 52-01-03, 52-02-01, 52-08-03, subdivision c of subsection 6 of section 52-09-20, subsection 1 of section 52-11-01, subsection 1 of section 54-06-04, sections 54-16-10, 54-36-01, 54-56-01, subsections 6 and 11 of section 65-01-02, sections 65-02-06, 65-04-15, and 65-04-31 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the commissioner of labor, job service North Dakota, and the workers compensation bureau; to repeal sections 65-02-01 and 65-02-02 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the executive director of the workers compensation bureau; and to provide an effective date.

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

Sen. Marks and Reps. Brokaw, Dalrymple, Gerntholz introduced:

SB 2383: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 23 of chapter 341 of the 1989 Session Laws of North Dakota, relating to reimbursement under the petroleum release compensation fund; and to declare an emergency.

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

Sens. Mathern, Mushik, Traynor and Reps. Scherber, Trautman, Nowatzki introduced:

SB 2384: A BILL for an Act to adopt a statement of legislative policy relating to the person and the family; to provide for family life education; to create and enact two new sections to title 50, a new subsection to section 50-06-05.1, a new section to chapter 50-09, and a new section to chapter 50-11.1 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the coordination of services for pregnant women, benefits for pregnant women, aid to dependent children and medical assistance for adopted children with special needs, and early childhood services resource and referral programs; to amend and reenact subsection 3 of section 54-52.4-01 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the definition of employer with respect to family leave; and to provide an appropriation.

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

Sen. Stenehjem introduced:

SB 2385: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact sections 27-09.1-03, 27-09.1-05, 27-09.1-07, subsection 1 of section 27-09.1-08, sections 27-09.1-09, 27-09.1-12, 27-09.1-13, and subsection 1 of section 27-09.1-17 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to juries; and to repeal sections 27-09.1-04 and 27-09.1-06 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to uniform jury selection and service.

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

Sen. Streibel introduced:

SB 2390: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact sections 6-09.8-04 and 26.1-05-19 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to agricultural financing; to repeal chapter 4-36 and sections 6-09.11-02 and 61-21.1-02 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to bonds for agricultural development; and to provide for application.

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

Sens. Wogsland, DeKrey, O'Connell and Reps. Wilkie, Gorder introduced:

SB 2373: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact sections 61-32-03 and 61-32-07 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to drainage permits and closing drains; to repeal sections 61-32-01, 61-32-02, 61-32-04, 61-32-05, 61-32-06, 61-32-08, 61-32-09, 61-32-10, and 61-32-11 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to wetlands; and to provide a penalty.

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

Sens. Meyer, Krauter and Reps. Starke, Nichols introduced:

SB 2386: A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new section to chapter 36-21 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to civil liability of a person for turning out livestock.

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

Sens. Marks, O'Connell introduced:

SB 2387: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 12.1-05-03 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to self-defense.

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

Sens. Marks, O'Connell introduced:

SB 2388: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact subsection 1 of section 39-06-17 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to authority to impose restrictions on a motor vehicle operator's license.

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

Sens. Marks, O'Connell introduced:

SB 2389: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 29-29-08 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to execution of a search warrant.

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

Sens. Stenehjem, Holmberg introduced:

SB 2391: A BILL for an Act relating to certificates of candidacy by write-in candidates for presidential electors.

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

Sen. Stenehjem introduced:

SB 2392: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 25-06-03 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the superintendent of the school for the blind; and to repeal section 25-07-02 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the superintendent of the school for the deaf.

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

Sen. Heigaard introduced:

SB 2393: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact subsection 22 of section 57-39.2-04 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the sales tax exemption for hotel and motel rooms leased or rented for thirty or more consecutive days.

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

Sen. Maxson and Rep. Kretschmar introduced:

SB 2394: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact sections 27-05-01, 27-07.1-01, 27-07.1-02, 27-07.1-03, subsections 3, 4, and 7 of section 27-25-01, and subsection 3 of section 27-25-02 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the filling of county court vacancies, the election of county judges, designation of county court service districts, designation of number of county judges in each service district, and designation of number of district judges in each judicial district; and to repeal chapter 27-26 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the nomination of county court judges.

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

Sen. Mutch introduced:

SB 2395: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact subsection 21 of section 43-17-31 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to grounds for disciplinary action by the state board of medical examiners.

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

Sen. Nalewaja and Rep. Wilkie introduced:

SB 2396: A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new section to chapter 20.1-03 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to permits for the transportation of big game.

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

Sen. Holmberg introduced:

SB 2397: A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new section to chapter 35-03 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the responsibility of mortgagees to provide information necessary to satisfy mortgages on residential real property that is being sold; and to provide a penalty.

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

Sen. Thane introduced:

SB 2398: A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new subdivision to subsection 18 of section 52-01-01 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the exclusion of certain employment for purposes of unemployment compensation contributions and benefits.

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

Sen. Mathern and Reps. Oban, Larson introduced:

SB 2399: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 30.1-28-14 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to guardianships established before July 1, 1990.

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

Sen. Thane introduced:

SB 2400: A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new section to chapter 57-05 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to confidentiality of certain information provided for the purpose of assessment of railroad property.

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

Sen. Graba introduced:

SB 2401: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact subsections 1 and 2 of section 54-44.3-03 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the composition of the state personnel board.

Was read the first time and referred to the Committee on State and Federal Government.

Sen. Heinrich introduced:

SB 2402: A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new subdivision to subsection 2 of section 65-05.1-06.1 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to an appeal of a rehabilitation award.

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

Sen. Graba, Stenehjem and Rep. Scherber introduced:

SB 2403: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 48-02-19 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to physically disabled accessibility requirements for public buildings and facilities.

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

Sen. Kelsh and Rep. Ring introduced:

SB 2404: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 6-09-28, subsection 6 of section 11-15-07, section 11-15-08, subsection 1 of section 27-07.1-17, and section 32-01-10 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to references to claim and delivery proceedings; and to repeal chapter 32-07 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to claim and delivery proceedings.

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

Sen. Kelsh introduced:

SB 2405: A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new section to chapter 5-03 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to agreements between liquor manufacturers and wholesalers which limit the wholesalers' trade; to amend and reenact subsection 3 of section 5-04-02 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to brewers limiting a wholesaler's trade; and to repeal section 5-04-03 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the prohibition of dual beer distributorships.

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

Sens. Krebsbach, Langley and Reps. Martinson, Whalen introduced:

SB 2406: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact subsections 1 and 3 of section 13-03.1-17 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to insurance, insurance policies, and existing insurance.

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

Sens. Tomac, Krauter and Rep. Dorso introduced:

SB 2407: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 16.1-10-04 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to false information in political advertisements; and to provide a penalty.

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

Sen. Heigaard introduced:

SB 2408: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact subsection 6 of section 44-04-19.1 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the definition of "adversarial administrative proceedings" for the purpose of the exemptions to the open records and open meetings law for attorney work product and attorney consultations.

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

Sen. Dotzenrod introduced:

SB 2409: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact sections 47-26-02, 47-26-04, and 47-26-19 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to elimination of the duty of county commissioners to act as fence viewers.

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

Sen. Stenehjem introduced:

SB 2410: A BILL for an Act to provide for a model act relating to motor vehicle chop shops and stolen and altered motor vehicles; and to provide a penalty.

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

Sens. Graba, Yockim and Reps. St. Aubyn, Rydell, Oban introduced:

SB 2411: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact sections 53-01-02, 53-01-03, 53-01-07, 53-01-09, 53-01-17, 53-01-18, and 53-01-19 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to a state athletic advisory board, regulation of boxing, kickboxing, sparring, and wrestling, and duties of the secretary of state; to repeal sections 53-01-08, 53-01-10, 53-01-12, 53-01-13, 53-01-15, and 53-01-16 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to regulation of boxing, kickboxing, sparring, and wrestling; to provide a penalty; and to provide a continuing appropriation.

Was read the first time and referred to the Committee on State and Federal Government.

Sen. Goetz and Rep. Gates introduced:

SB 2412: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact sections 15-60-01 and 15-60-03 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the school construction fund.

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

Sen. Nalewaja and Rep. St. Aubyn introduced:

SB 2413: A BILL for an Act to provide for registration of a qualified elector in order to vote in any statewide special, primary, or general election; and to amend and reenact subsection 2 of section 16.1-01-01, section 16.1-05-02, subsection 3 of section 16.1-05-04, subsection 1 of section 16.1-05-06, subsection 2 of section 16.1-06-16, sections 16.1-06-21, 16.1-07-12, 16.1-11-31, 16.1-11-32, 16.1-15-02, 16.1-15-06, 16.1-15-08, and 16.1-15-11 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to elector registers; and to provide a penalty.

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

Sens. Meyer, DeKrey and Rep. Stofferahn introduced:

SB 2414: A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new section to chapter 52-04 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to a job service rural outreach program; to provide an appropriation; and to provide an effective date.

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

Sens. DeKrey, Traynor, Meyer introduced:

SB 2415: A BILL for an Act to provide for a review of takings of private property by governmental entities.

Was read the first time and referred to the Committee on State and Federal Government.

Sen. Stenehjem and Rep. Price introduced:

SB 2416: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 39-21-18.1 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to flashing signals on rural mail vehicles.

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

Sens. Naaden, Nelson, Nething and Reps. Wald, Clayburgh, Dorso introduced:

SB 2417: A BILL for an Act to provide a limitation on the liability of manufacturers or sellers of innovative, state-of-the-art products.

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

Sens. Thane, Redlin introduced:

SB 2418: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact subsection 2 of section 39-08-01 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to sentences for persons operating a motor vehicle while under the influence of intoxicating liquor or any other drug or substance.

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

Sens. Thane, Redlin introduced:

SB 2419: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact subsection 1 of section 39-08-01 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to chemical test of

persons operating a vehicle while under the influence of intoxicating liquor or any other drug or substance.

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

Sens. Schoenwald, Thane and Reps. Aarsvold, Williams introduced:

SB 2420: A BILL for an Act relating to personal service contracts by the state.

Was read the first time and referred to the Committee on State and Federal Government.

Sens. Maxson, Stenehjem and Rep. Schneider introduced:

SB 2421: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact sections 27-25-03 and 27-25-04 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the authority of the governor to fill vacancies in the office of district judge.

Was read the first time and referred to the Committee on State and Federal Government.

Sens. Kelly, Lindgren and Reps. Flaagan, Larson introduced:

SB 2422: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact subsection 1 of section 57-40.6-02 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the excise tax that counties or cities may impose on telephone access lines.

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

Sens. Robinson, Tennefos and Reps. Dorso, Timm introduced:

SB 2423: A BILL for an Act to create and enact two new sections to chapter 24-05 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to bidding for construction contracts for county roads; and to amend and reenact section 24-05-04 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to contracts for county road improvements.

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

Sen. Stenehjem introduced:

SB 2424: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact subsection 1 of section 16.1-05-06 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to execution of affidavits by challenged voters.

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

Sens. Nalewaja, Dotzenrod and Reps. Larson, D. Olsen, DeMers introduced:

SB 2425: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact subsections 4 and 18 of section 43-15-01 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to definitions for the purposes of dispensing prescription drugs.

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

Sen. Schoenwald introduced:

SB 2426: A BILL for an Act relating to a request by the state for an exemption from daylight savings time.

Was read the first time and referred to the Committee on State and Federal Government.

Sens. Graba, Robinson, Moore introduced:

SB 2427: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 12.1-31-03 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the sale of tobacco to and use of tobacco by persons under twenty-one; and to provide for application of this Act.

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

Sens. Graba, Schoenwald and Rep. Oban introduced:

SB 2428: A BILL for an Act to create and enact two new sections to chapter 65-02 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the commissioners of the workers compensation bureau; to amend and reenact sections 21-10-01, 28-32-08, subsection 1 of section 54-07-01.2, sections 65-01-02, 65-02-01, 65-02-02, 65-02-06, 65-02-09, 65-02-12, 65-04-11, 65-04-31, 65-08-04, 65-11-01, and 65-12-01 of the North Dakota Century

Code, relating to replacing the director of the workers compensation bureau with a three-member commission; and to provide an appropriation. Was read the first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Sens. Stenehjem, Maxson and Rep. Kretschmar introduced:

SB 2429: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact subsection 4 of section 30.1-12-08 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to proceedings to establish inheritance or succession of titled property. Was read the first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Sens. Maxson, Stenehjem and Reps. Schneider, D. Olsen introduced:

SB 2430: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact sections 12.1-04-06, 12.1-04-07, 12.1-04-08, and subsection 3 of section 25-04-05.1 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the temporary detention of a criminal defendant, psychiatric reports, suspension or dismissal of criminal proceedings, and transfer of developmentally disabled persons; and to repeal section 25-04-07 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to developmentally disabled defendants. Was read the first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Sens. Holmberg, Kelsh, Ingstad and Reps. Nicholas, DeMers, Jensen introduced:

SB 2431: A BILL for an Act relating to popcorn toppings; and to provide a penalty.

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

Sens. Thane, Tallackson, Vosper introduced:

SB 2432: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact paragraph 1 of subdivision m of subsection 17 of section 52-01-01 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the requirements of agricultural employers to provide unemployment compensation coverage.

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

Sens. Marks, Wogsland and Reps. Hanson, Williams, Henegar introduced:

SB 2433: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact subsection 3 of section 12.1-22-03 and section 20.1-01-17 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to criminal trespass posting requirements and posting requirements to prohibit hunting.

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

Sen. Redlin and Rep. Kretschmar introduced:

SB 2434: A BILL for an Act to amend subsection 5 of section 11-16-05 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to restrictions on the powers of state's attorney.

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

Sens. Robinson, Goetz and Reps. R. Anderson, Hokana introduced:

SB 2435: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact subsection 3 of section 16.1-05-01 and subsections 2 and 3 of section 16.1-05-04 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to election officers.

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

Sens. Dotzenrod, Kelsh introduced:

SB 2436: A BILL for an Act to provide a right of first refusal to persons from whom agricultural land was repossessed.

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

Sens. Keller, Solberg, Tomac and Rep. Wald introduced:

SB 2437: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 50-24.4-16 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to special cost payment rates for nursing homes with a capacity increase and for newly constructed nursing homes.

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

Sens. Freborg, Meyer, Kinnoin and Reps. Grosz, Delzer, Wald introduced:
SB 2438: A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new section to chapter 50-24.1 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to a waiting period before payment of nonessential medical services under medical assistance.
Was read the first time and referred to the Committee on Human Services and Veterans Affairs.

Sens. Nalewaja, Thane, Lips and Rep. D. Olsen introduced:
SB 2439: A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new section to chapter 57-38 and a new subsection to section 57-38-30.3 of the North Dakota Century Code to provide an income tax credit for premiums paid for nursing home insurance; and to provide an effective date.
Was read the first time and referred to the Committee on Finance and Taxation.

Sens. Holmberg, Traynor and Reps. Scherber, Svedjan introduced:
SB 2440: A BILL for an Act to provide for the registration of a sexual offender's address upon release from incarceration; and to provide a penalty.
Was read the first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Sen. Satrom and Rep. Gorman introduced:
SB 2441: A BILL for an Act relating to competition by state government agencies and institutions of higher education with the private sector in providing certain goods and services to the public; to provide an appropriation; and to provide an effective date.
Was read the first time and referred to the Committee on State and Federal Government.

Sen. Tennefos introduced:
SB 2442: A BILL for an Act providing limitations on property tax levy authority of political subdivisions, prohibiting sale and lease back agreements of the state or a political subdivision, and requiring state reimbursement of revenue losses caused by enactment of property tax exemptions; to amend and reenact sections 57-20-01 and 57-26-03 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the rate of interest on delinquent taxes and on redemption of property from tax sale; and to provide an effective date.
Was read the first time and referred to the Committee on Finance and Taxation.

Sen. Tennefos introduced:
SB 2443: A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new section to chapter 57-38 and a new subsection to section 57-38-30.3 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to an income tax credit for dependent care expenses; and to provide a contingent effective date.
Was read the first time and referred to the Committee on Finance and Taxation.

Sen. Stenehjem and Rep. Kretschmar introduced:
SB 2444: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact subsection 2 of section 32-09.1-03, sections 32-09.1-04, 32-09.1-07, and 32-09.1-09 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to garnishment debtors claiming dependent family members.
Was read the first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Sens. Mutch, Streibel, Tennefos introduced:
SB 2445: A BILL for an Act relating to parent and pupil protection in sex education classes.
Was read the first time and referred to the Committee on Human Services and Veterans Affairs.

Sens. Stenehjem, Lips, E. Hanson and Reps. Kaldor, Bernstein introduced:
SB 2446: A BILL for an Act to create and enact two new sections to chapter 12.1-31 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the sale of tobacco products through vending machines to persons under the age of

eighteen; to amend and reenact section 12.1-31-03 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to sale of tobacco products through vending machines to persons under the age of eighteen and the purchase of tobacco products by minors; and to provide a penalty.

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

Sens. Mushik, Stenehjem and Reps. Carlson, Gates introduced:

SB 2447: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact subsection 2 of section 14-07.1-01, section 14-07.1-02, subsection 2 of section 14-07.1-03, and subsection 2 of section 14-07.1-10 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to definitions, issuance of domestic violence protection orders, and arrest procedures in situations involving domestic violence.

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

Sens. Mushik, Yockim, Nelson and Reps. Stofferahn, Kretschmar, Wentz introduced:

SB 2448: A BILL for an Act relating to library authorities; and to provide an appropriation.

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

Sen. Lindgren and Rep. Larson introduced:

SB 2449: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 21-09-05 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to validation of bonds issued by public bodies of the state prior to July 1, 1991.

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

Sen. Langley and Reps. Coats, Whalen introduced:

SB 2450: A BILL for an Act to create and enact two new sections to chapter 5-03 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the establishment of the brand registration fund, requiring brand registration of alcoholic beverages, and setting fees; and to provide a penalty.

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

Sens. Kelsh, Wogsland and Reps. Nowatzki, Gerntholz, Martin introduced:

SB 2451: A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new section to chapter 19-18 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the environment and rangeland protection fund; to amend and reenact section 19-18-04 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to registration of pesticides; and to provide an appropriation.

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

Sens. Heinrich, Krebsbach, Tomac and Reps. Kolbo, Myrdal introduced:

SB 2452: A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new subsection to section 15-29-08 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to school district business managers; and to amend and reenact sections 15-27.5-03, 15-27.5-04, and 15-29-03 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to school district business managers.

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

Sens. Heinrich, Marks and Reps. Kolbo, Kroeber introduced:

SB 2453: A BILL for an Act relating to the rights of organization and representation of state employees, collective bargaining negotiations between the state and its employees, and the establishment of a public employment relations board and public employment relations.

Was read the first time and referred to the Committee on State and Federal Government.

Sen. Goetz and Rep. R. Anderson introduced:

SB 2454: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 11-15-07 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to county fees charged and collected by the sheriff.

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

Sens. Wogsland, Langley, Schoenwald introduced:

SB 2455: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact subsection 4 of section 48-02-04 and section 48-02-05.1 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to bid requirements and acceptance for building and repair contracts and contents of bid advertisements and awarding contracts.

Was read the first time and referred to the Committee on State and Federal Government.

Sens. Tennefos, Mutch and Reps. Dorso, Timm introduced:

SB 2456: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 49-18-41.1 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to registration fees for interstate motor carriers.

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

Sens. Nalewaja, Lindgren, Evanson and Reps. Kelsch introduced:

SB 2457: A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new section to chapter 50-11.1 and a new section to chapter 50-25.1 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to criminal history record investigations for prospective child care providers and the establishment of a child abuse information index; to amend and reenact sections 14-09-22, 50-11.1-04, 50-11.1-06, and 50-11.1-07, subsection 1 of section 50-25.1-03, and section 50-25.1-05.2 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to penalties for child abuse, background investigations, release of information maintained by child care providers, persons required to report suspected child abuse, and entry of child abuse reports in a child abuse information index; to provide a penalty; and to provide an effective date.

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

Sens. Dotzenrod, Stenehjem, Marks and Reps. Dalrymple, Nowatzki introduced:

SB 2458: A BILL for an Act to create and enact two new sections to chapter 4-38 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to organic foods; to amend and reenact sections 4-38-02 and 4-38-03 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to organic foods; and to provide a penalty.

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

Sens. Kelly, David, Mushik and Reps. Martinson, Jensen introduced:

SB 2459: A BILL for an Act to establish a North Dakota motion picture development office; and to provide an appropriation.

Was read the first time and referred to the Committee on State and Federal Government.

Sens. Keller, Meyer, Freborg and Reps. R. Anderson, Mahoney introduced:

SB 2460: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 63-01.1-13.1 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to noxious weed control on game and fish land.

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

Sens. Schoenwald, Graba and Rep. Mahoney introduced:

SB 2461: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact subsection 4 of section 52-06-02 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to disqualification for unemployment compensation benefits.

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

Sens. Mushik, Evanson, Satrom and Reps. DeMers, Price, Oban introduced:

SB 2462: A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new section to chapter 54-17 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the establishment of a housing acquisition program; and to amend and reenact section 54-17-07.2 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to definitions with respect to housing acquisition and finance programs.

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

Sens. Mathern, Freborg, O. Hanson and Reps. Trautman, Grosz, Delzer introduced:

SB 2463: A BILL for an Act provide for net energy billing for small power producers and cogenerators.

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

Sens. Tomac, Goetz introduced:

SB 2464: A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new section to chapter 39-13 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to a sign logo franchise program.

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

Sens. Holmberg, Wogsland, Satrom and Reps. Jensen, R. Berg, Stofferahn introduced:

SB 2465: A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new section to chapter 5-01 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to resident small brewers; to amend and reenact sections 5-01-01 and 5-01-04 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the establishment of resident small breweries.

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

Sens. Solberg, Bowman and Rep. Rennerfeldt introduced:

SB 2466: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 24-17-03 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to outdoor advertising signs.

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

Sens. Nalewaja, Thane, Lips and Rep. D. Olsen introduced:

SB 2467: A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new subdivision to subsection 1 of section 57-38-01.2 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to an income tax deduction for premiums paid for nursing home insurance; to amend and reenact subsections 3 and 4 of section 57-38-30.3 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to an income tax reduction for premiums paid for nursing home insurance; and to provide an effective date.

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

Sens. Vosper, Thane, Kinnoin introduced:

SB 2468: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact subsection 6 of section 53-04.1-04 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to cash prizes awarded at amusement game concessions.

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

Sens. Wogsland, Yockim, Kelly and Reps. Ring, Carlson, Scherber introduced:

SB 2469: A BILL for an Act to establish a student-state government participation program; and to provide an appropriation.

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

Sens. Mathern, Keller and Rep. Oban introduced:

SB 2470: A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new section to chapter 26.1-36 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to direct insurance reimbursements for certified registered nurse anesthetists; and to amend and reenact subsection 9 of section 26.1-17-01, section 26.1-17-12.1, subsection 4 of section 26.1-18-12, subdivision n of subsection 1 of section 26.1-36-04, and subsection 15 of section 26.1-36-05 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the definition of practitioner and benefits for services performed by registered nurses.

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

Sen. O. Hanson and Rep. Wald introduced:

SB 2471: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 34-14-02 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the direct deposit of an

employee's paycheck in the financial institution of that employee's choice.

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

Sen. Goetz and Rep. A. Olson introduced:

SB 2472: A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new section to chapter 15-36 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to teacher certification; and to amend and reenact section 12-60-16.9 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to fees for criminal history records.

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

Sens. Mutch, Streibel, Tennesos introduced:

SB 2473: A BILL for an Act to provide for the establishment of an abstinence and health education program in elementary and secondary schools.

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

Sens. Wogsland, Yockim, Robinson and Reprs. Ring, Carlson, Nowatzki introduced:

SB 2474: A BILL for an Act to create the nonsubsidized student loan interest reduction trust fund; and to provide an appropriation.

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

Sens. Heinrich, Evanson and Reprs. G. Berg, R. Anderson introduced:

SB 2475: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 57-15-14.2 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to mill levies by school boards.

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

Sens. Moore, O. Hanson, O'Connell and Reprs. Aarsvold, Schindler introduced:

SB 2476: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact sections 15-40.1-05, 15-40.1-06, 15-40.1-07, 15-40.1-07.2, 15-40.1-07.3, 15-40.1-09, 15-40.2-09, 15-44-03, 15-59-06, 15-59-07, and subsection 3 of section 57-15-14 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to replacing per-pupil payments under the foundation program with classroom unit funding; and to repeal section 15-40.1-08 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to elementary per-pupil payments.

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

Sens. Moore, Freborg, O'Connell and Reprs. Aarsvold, Schindler introduced:

SB 2477: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact subsection 1 of section 15-40.2-03 and section 15-44-03 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to tuition payments and distributions from the state tuition fund.

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

Sens. Moore, Freborg, O'Connell and Reprs. Aarsvold, Schindler introduced:

SB 2478: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact subsection 3 of section 15-40.1-06 and subsection 1 of section 57-38-34 of the North Dakota Century Code and subsection 3 of section 15-40.1-06 of the North Dakota Century Code as amended by section 1 of chapter 231 of the 1989 Session Laws of North Dakota, relating to the mill deduct and equalization of local effort based on income and taxpayer identification of school districts on income tax returns; and to provide an effective date.

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

FIRST READING OF SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTIONS

Sens. Streibel, Wogsland, Robinson and Reprs. Coats, R. Anderson, D. Olsen introduced:

SCR 4021: A concurrent resolution requesting that the Congress of the United States propose for ratification by the states an amendment to the federal Constitution to provide that Congress and the states would have the power to prohibit the physical desecration of the flag of the United States.

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

Sen. Heigaard and Rep. Schneider introduced:

SCR 4022: A concurrent resolution directing the Legislative Council to study and develop one or more legislative redistricting plans.

Was read the first time and referred to the Committee on State and Federal Government.

Sens. David, Kinnoin, Redlin and Reps. Howard, Skjerven, Nichols introduced:

SCR 4023: A concurrent resolution for the ratification of the original second amendment to the Constitution of the United States and providing for a delay in any variances in compensation of members of Congress until an intervening election of the United States House of Representatives.

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

Sens. Nalewaja, Thane, Lips and Rep. D. Olsen introduced:

SCR 4024: A concurrent resolution urging Congress and the President to take action to encourage citizens to plan for retirement needs to reduce the reliance of senior citizens on public financial assistance.

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

FIRST READING OF HOUSE BILLS

HB 1084: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact subsection 3 of section 26.1-42-02 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the definition of covered claim under the Property and Casualty Insurance Guaranty Association Act.

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

HB 1116: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact subsection 3 of section 57-40.3-04 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to exemption of motor carrier vehicles from motor vehicle excise tax.

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

HB 1130: A BILL for an Act to establish procedures upon enrollment of children in schools, licensed day care facilities, or home-based instruction to aid in the identification and location of missing children.

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

HB 1136: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact subsections 1 and 2 of section 50-24.4-01.1 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to replacing the department of health and consolidated laboratories with the department of human services with regard to nursing home resident payment classifications and procedures for reconsideration.

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

HB 1176: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact sections 43-23-08.2 and 43-23-13.1 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to renewal and cancellation of licenses of real estate brokers and salesmen.

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

HB 1206: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact sections 43-23-05, subsection 6 of section 43-23-06.1, sections 43-23-07, 43-23-08, 43-23-08.1, 43-23-08.2, and 43-23-09, subsection 1 of section 43-23-11.1, sections 43-23-12, 43-23-13, 43-23-13.1, subsection 2 of section 43-23-15, section 43-23.1-17, subsection 1 of section 43-23.1-18, subsections 1 and 2 of section 43-23.2-02, and section 43-23.2-09 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to real estate licensing, license standards, continuing education, investigations, designation of a real estate broker's place of business, real estate continuing education courses, civil remedies, and the real estate education, research, and recovery fund.

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

HB 1216: A BILL for an Act to create and enact sections 23-16.1-02.1 and 23-16.1-02.2 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to appointment of a receiver of a health care facility in cases of imminent threats to life or health.

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

HB 1220: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact subsections 14 and 16 of section 26.1-18-03, sections 26.1-18-06, 26.1-18-17, 26.1-18-18, 26.1-18-27, 26.1-18-28, and 26.1-18-30 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the role of the department of health and consolidated laboratories in the review and issuance of certificates of authority for health maintenance organizations' complaint systems, annual reports, examinations, suspensions or revocations, and administrative procedures; and to repeal sections 26.1-18-05 and 26.1-18-33 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to applications for certificate of authority for health maintenance organizations and the department of health and consolidated laboratories' authority to contract.

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

HB 1235: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact sections 43-33-01, 43-33-02, 43-33-02.1, 43-33-03, 43-33-04, 43-33-06, 43-33-07, 43-33-08, 43-33-09, 43-33-10, 43-33-11, 43-33-12, 43-33-13, 43-33-14, 43-33-15, and 43-33-17 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the board of hearing instrument dispensers; to repeal sections 43-33-05 and 43-33-16 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the board of hearing instrument dispensers and licensing of hearing instrument dispensers; and to provide an effective date.

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

FIRST READING OF HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

HCR 3002: A concurrent resolution directing the Legislative Council to study the implementation of federal Family Support and Medicare Catastrophic Coverage Acts of 1988, as amended, to determine the financial impact of the Acts during the 1993-95 biennium and to review the effectiveness of changes to the system of delivering public assistance to North Dakota families and individuals.

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

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

MARION HOUN, Secretary