### **JOURNAL OF THE HOUSE**

# Sixty-first Legislative Assembly

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Bismarck, February 11, 2009

The House convened at 12:30 p.m., with Speaker Monson presiding.

The prayer was offered by Chaplain David Johnson, North Dakota National Guard, Bismarck.

The roll was called and all members were present.

A quorum was declared by the Speaker.

#### **MOTION**

**REP. VIGESAA MOVED** that the rules be suspended, according to Rule 329, for HB 1400, which motion prevailed.

#### **MOTION**

**REP. VIGESAA MOVED** that HB 1338 and HB 1431 be returned to the House floor from the **Appropriations Committee**, which motion prevailed.

### SIXTH ORDER OF BUSINESS

**SPEAKER MONSON DEEMED** approval of the amendments to HB 1169, HB 1210, HB 1238, HB 1313, HB 1347, Engrossed HB 1368, HB 1377, HB 1400, HB 1446, and HB 1478.

HB 1400 and HB 1478, as amended, were rereferred to the Appropriations Committee.

HB 1169, HB 1210, HB 1238, HB 1313, HB 1347, Engrossed HB 1368, HB 1377, and HB 1446, as amended, were placed on the Eleventh order of business on the calendar for the succeeding legislative day.

# **MOTION**

**REP. VIGESAA MOVED** that Engrossed HB 1221, which is on the Eleventh order, be rereferred to the **Political Subdivisions Committee**, which motion prevailed. Pursuant to Rep. Vigesaa's motion, Engrossed HB 1221 was rereferred.

# SECOND READING OF HOUSE BILL

**HB 1061:** A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact subsection 3 of section 65-01-02 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to workers' compensation definition of artificial members as it relates to compensable injuries; and to provide for application.

# **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 94 YEAS, 0 NAYS, 0 EXCUSED, 0 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING.

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

HB 1061 passed and the title was agreed to.

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# SECOND READING OF HOUSE BILL

**HB 1062:** A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new section to chapter 65-05.1 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to workers' compensation rehabilitation services pilot programs; to amend and reenact section 65-05.1-06.1 of the North Dakota Century

Code, relating to expansion of workers' compensation rehabilitation services; and to provide for a report to the legislative council.

## **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 94 YEAS, 0 NAYS, 0 EXCUSED, 0 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING.

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

HB 1062 passed and the title was agreed to.

### **SECOND READING OF HOUSE BILL**

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**HB 1063:** A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 65-05-29 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to workers' compensation coverage for preexisting conditions; and to provide for application.

## **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 94 YEAS, 0 NAYS, 0 EXCUSED, 0 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING.

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

HB 1063 passed and the title was agreed to.

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# SECOND READING OF HOUSE BILL

**HB 1064:** A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact sections 65-05-09, 65-05.2-01, and 65-05.2-02 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to cost-of-living adjustments for workers' compensation total disability benefits; to provide for application; to provide an effective date; and to declare an emergency.

### **ROLL CALL**

The question being on the final passage of the amended bill, which has been read, and has committee recommendation of DO PASS, the roll was called and there were 94 YEAS, 0 NAYS, 0 EXCUSED, 0 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING.

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

Wald; Wall; Weiler; Weisz; Wieland; Williams; Winrich; Wolf; Wrangham; Zaiser; Speaker Monson

Engrossed HB 1064 passed, the title was agreed to, and the emergency clause was declared carried.

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## SECOND READING OF HOUSE BILL

**HB 1101:** A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact subsection 10 of section 65-05-08, sections 65-05-08.2, 65-05-09, and 65-05-10, subsection 4 of section 65-05-15, and sections 65-05-17 and 65-05-26 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to workers' compensation dependency allowances, preacceptance disability benefits, maximum disability benefits, travel and other reimbursement, death benefits, and burial expenses; and to provide for application.

# **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 94 YEAS, 0 NAYS, 0 EXCUSED, 0 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING.

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

HB 1101 passed and the title was agreed to.

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### **CONFLICT OF INTEREST**

REP. EKSTROM STATED that she had a conflict of interest on HB 1151.

#### MOTION

**REP. CARLSON MOVED** that Rep. Ekstrom be allowed to vote on HB 1151, which motion prevailed.

# **SECOND READING OF HOUSE BILL**

HB 1151: A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new section to chapter 65-03 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to reporting requirements in safety grant programs; to amend and reenact subsection 31 of section 65-01-02 and sections 65-01-13 and 65-04-15 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to definition of wages, information fund, and confidentiality of employer files for workforce safety and insurance purposes; and to repeal section 65-03-03 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to rules for mine foremen.

### **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 94 YEAS, 0 NAYS, 0 EXCUSED, 0 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING.

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

Engrossed HB 1151 passed and the title was agreed to.

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#### SECOND READING OF HOUSE BILL

**HB 1037:** A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 65-02-30 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the independent performance evaluation of workforce safety and insurance.

### **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 78 YEAS, 16 NAYS, 0 EXCUSED, 0 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING.

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

**NAYS:** Amerman; Conklin; Conrad; Hunskor; Kelsh, J.; Kelsh, S.; Kerzman; Pinkerton; Schmidt; Skarphol; Thorpe; Viq; Weiler; Winrich; Wolf; Zaiser

Engrossed HB 1037 passed and the title was agreed to.

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# SECOND READING OF HOUSE BILL

**HB 1201:** A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact subsections 6 and 7 of section 65-01-16 and section 65-02-27 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to changing the name of the workforce safety and insurance office of independent review.

# **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 93 YEAS, 1 NAYS, 0 EXCUSED, 0 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING.

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

NAYS: Zaiser

HB 1201 passed and the title was agreed to.

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#### SECOND READING OF HOUSE BILL

**HB 1561:** A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new section to chapter 65-05 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to a treating doctor's opinion in workers' compensation decisions.

# **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 94 YEAS, 0 NAYS, 0 EXCUSED, 0 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING.

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

Engrossed HB 1561 passed and the title was agreed to.

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### SECOND READING OF HOUSE BILL

**HB 1464:** A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact subsection 14 of section 54-44.3-20, section 54-57-01, subsection 1 of section 54-57-03, sections 65-01-16, 65-02-01, 65-02-03.3, 65-02-22, 65-02-33, 65-04-19.3, and 65-04-32, subdivision b of subsection 3 of section 65-05-29, and subsection 2 of section 65-05.1-08 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the workforce safety and insurance board, workforce safety and insurance administrative hearings, and workforce safety and insurance personnel; to repeal sections 65-02-01.2 and 65-02-34 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the workforce safety and insurance personnel system and spending authority; and to declare an emergency.

## **ROLL CALL**

The question being on the final passage of the amended bill, which has been read, and has committee recommendation of DO PASS, the roll was called and there were 92 YEAS, 2 NAYS, 0 EXCUSED, 0 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING.

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

NAYS: Froseth; Skarphol

Engrossed HB 1464 passed, the title was agreed to, and the emergency clause was declared carried.

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### SECOND READING OF HOUSE BILL

**HB 1455:** A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new section to chapter 65-05 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to workers' compensation benefits for surviving spouse of permanently and totally disabled injured employee; and to provide for application.

### **ROLL CALL**

The question being on the final passage of the amended bill, which has been read, and has committee recommendation of DO PASS, the roll was called and there were 93 YEAS, 1 NAYS, 0 EXCUSED, 0 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING.

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

Wall; Weiler; Weisz; Wieland; Williams; Winrich; Wolf; Wrangham; Zaiser; Speaker Monson

NAYS: Ruby

Engrossed HB 1455 passed and the title was agreed to.

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## **SECOND READING OF HOUSE BILL**

**HB 1247:** A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact subsection 10 of section 65-05-08, subsection 2 of section 65-05-09, section 65-05-10, and subsection 2 of section 65-05-17 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to workers' compensation dependency allowances.

## **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 36 YEAS, 58 NAYS, 0 EXCUSED, 0 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING.

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

HB 1247 lost.

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# SECOND READING OF HOUSE BILL

**HB 1160:** A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new section to chapter 26.1-01 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to examination of workforce safety and insurance by the insurance commissioner; 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 5 YEAS, 89 NAYS, 0 EXCUSED, 0 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING.

YEAS: Boucher; Schneider; Thorpe; Wald; Wolf

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

HB 1160 lost.

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# **SECOND READING OF HOUSE BILL**

**HB 1408:** A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new chapter to title 65 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to allowing employers to purchase private insurance or self-insure for workers' compensation coverage.

### **ROLL CALL**

The question being on the final passage of the amended bill, which has been read, and has committee recommendation of DO NOT PASS, the roll was called and there were 7 YEAS, 86 NAYS, 0 EXCUSED, 1 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING.

YEAS: Bellew; Clark; Dosch; Gruchalla; Kasper; Ruby; Thoreson

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

**ABSENT AND NOT VOTING: Froelich** 

Engrossed HB 1408 lost.

# SECOND READING OF HOUSE BILL

**HB 1410:** A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 65-05-09.2 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to workers' compensation offset for social security retirement benefits.

## **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 13 YEAS, 81 NAYS, 0 EXCUSED, 0 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING.

YEAS: Amerman; Conklin; Glassheim; Grande; Gruchalla; Kelsh, J.; Kelsh, S.; Kilichowski; Meyer, S.; Schatz; Thorpe; Wald; Zaiser

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

HB 1410 lost.

# SECOND READING OF HOUSE BILL

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**HB 1427:** A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 65-05-04 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to an injured worker's request for workers' compensation to exercise continuing jurisdiction.

### **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 30 YEAS, 64 NAYS, 0 EXCUSED, 0 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING.

YEAS: Amerman; Boe; Boucher; Conrad; Delmore; Ekstrom; Glassheim; Griffin; Gruchalla; Holman; Hunskor; Kaldor; Kelsh, J.; Kelsh, S.; Kerzman; Kilichowski; Kroeber; Meyer, S.; Mock; Myxter; Onstad; Pinkerton; Potter; Schmidt; Schneider; Thorpe; Vig; Winrich; Wolf; Zaiser

NAYS: Bellew; Belter; Berg; Boehning; Brandenburg; Carlson; Clark; Conklin; Dahl; Damschen; DeKrey; Delzer; Dosch; Drovdal; Frantsvog; Froelich; Froseth; Grande; Hanson; Hatlestad; Hawken; Headland; Heller; Hofstad; Johnson, D.; Johnson, N.; Karls; Kasper; Keiser; Kelsch, R.; Kempenich; Kingsbury; Klein; Klemin; Koppelman;

Kreidt; Kretschmar; Martinson; Meier, L.; Metcalf; Mueller; Nathe; Nelson; Nottestad; Pietsch; Pollert; Porter; Ruby; Rust; Schatz; Skarphol; Sukut; Svedjan; Thoreson; Uglem; Vigesaa; Wald; Wall; Weiler; Weisz; Wieland; Williams; Wrangham; Speaker Monson

HB 1427 lost.

# SECOND READING OF HOUSE BILL

**HB 1524:** A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 65-05-33 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to workers' compensation fraud; and to provide a penalty.

### **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 34 YEAS, 59 NAYS, 0 EXCUSED, 1 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING.

YEAS: Amerman; Boe; Boucher; Conklin; Conrad; Delmore; Ekstrom; Froelich; Glassheim; Griffin; Gruchalla; Holman; Hunskor; Kaldor; Kelsh, J.; Kelsh, S.; Kerzman; Kilichowski; Kroeber; Metcalf; Meyer, S.; Mock; Mueller; Myxter; Onstad; Pinkerton; Potter; Schmidt; Schneider; Thorpe; Vig; Winrich; Wolf; Zaiser

NAYS: Bellew; Belter; Berg; Boehning; Carlson; Clark; Dahl; Damschen; DeKrey; Delzer; Dosch; Drovdal; Frantsvog; Froseth; Grande; Hanson; Hatlestad; Hawken; Headland; Heller; Hofstad; Johnson, D.; Johnson, N.; Karls; Kasper; Keiser; Kelsch, R.; Kempenich; Kingsbury; Klein; Klemin; Koppelman; Kreidt; Kretschmar; Martinson; Meier, L.; Nathe; Nelson; Nottestad; Pietsch; Pollert; Porter; Ruby; Rust; Schatz; Skarphol; Sukut; Svedjan; Thoreson; Uglem; Vigesaa; Wald; Wall; Weiler; Weisz; Wieland; Williams; Wrangham; Speaker Monson

**ABSENT AND NOT VOTING:** Brandenburg

HB 1524 lost.

# SECOND READING OF HOUSE BILL

**HB 1525:** A BILL for an Act to provide for a workforce safety and insurance study of post-retirement benefits within the workers compensation system.

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# **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 94 YEAS, 0 NAYS, 0 EXCUSED, 0 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING.

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

Engrossed HB 1525 passed and the title was agreed to.

# SECOND READING OF HOUSE BILL

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**HB 1542:** A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 65-01-01 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to construction of workers' compensation claims.

# **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, 57 NAYS, 0 EXCUSED, 0 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING.

YEAS: Amerman; Boe; Boucher; Conklin; Conrad; Delmore; Ekstrom; Froelich; Glassheim; Griffin; Gruchalla; Hanson; Holman; Hunskor; Kaldor; Kelsh, J.; Kelsh, S.; Kerzman; Kilichowski; Kroeber; Metcalf; Meyer, S.; Mock; Mueller; Myxter; Onstad; Pinkerton; Potter; Schmidt; Schneider; Thorpe; Vig; Weiler; Williams; Winrich; Wolf; Zaiser

NAYS: Bellew; Belter; Berg; Boehning; Brandenburg; Carlson; Clark; Dahl; Damschen; DeKrey; Delzer; Dosch; Drovdal; Frantsvog; Froseth; Grande; Hatlestad; Hawken; Headland; Heller; Hofstad; Johnson, D.; Johnson, N.; Karls; Kasper; Keiser; Kelsch, R.; Kempenich; Kingsbury; Klein; Klemin; Koppelman; Kreidt; Kretschmar; Martinson; Meier, L.; Nathe; Nelson; Nottestad; Pietsch; Pollert; Porter; Ruby; Rust; Schatz; Skarphol; Sukut; Svedjan; Thoreson; Uglem; Vigesaa; Wald; Wall; Weisz; Wieland; Wrangham; Speaker Monson

HB 1542 lost.

# SECOND READING OF HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

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**HCR 3002:** A concurrent resolution directing the Legislative Council to study the governance structure of Workforce Safety and Insurance and determine the feasibility and desirability of mutualization or privatization of Workforce Safety and Insurance.

#### **ROLL CALL**

The question being on the final adoption of the amended resolution, which has been read, and has committee recommendation of DO NOT PASS, the roll was called and there were 24 YEAS, 70 NAYS, 0 EXCUSED, 0 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING.

YEAS: Berg; DeKrey; Delzer; Dosch; Froseth; Grande; Gruchalla; Heller; Holman; Johnson, D.; Kaldor; Karls; Kempenich; Kilichowski; Klein; Kretschmar; Meier, L.; Myxter; Schatz; Sukut; Thoreson; Wald; Weiler; Wrangham

NAYS: Amerman; Bellew; Belter; Boe; Boehning; Boucher; Brandenburg; Carlson; Clark; Conklin; Conrad; Dahl; Damschen; Delmore; Drovdal; Ekstrom; Frantsvog; Froelich; Glassheim; Griffin; Hanson; Hatlestad; Hawken; Headland; Hofstad; Hunskor; Johnson, N.; Kasper; Keiser; Kelsch, R.; Kelsh, J.; Kelsh, S.; Kerzman; Kingsbury; Klemin; Koppelman; Kreidt; Kroeber; Martinson; Metcalf; Meyer, S.; Mock; Mueller; Nathe; Nelson; Nottestad; Onstad; Pietsch; Pinkerton; Pollert; Porter; Potter; Ruby; Rust; Schmidt; Schneider; Skarphol; Svedjan; Thorpe; Uglem; Vig; Vigesaa; Wall; Weisz; Wieland; Williams; Winrich; Wolf; Zaiser; Speaker Monson

Engrossed HCR 3002 was declared lost.

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# SECOND READING OF HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

**HCR 3008:** A concurrent resolution directing the Legislative Council to study workers' compensation laws in this state and other states with respect to prior injuries, preexisting conditions, and degenerative conditions.

# **ROLL CALL**

The question being on the final adoption of the resolution, which has been read, and has committee recommendation of DO PASS, the roll was called and there were 89 YEAS, 3 NAYS, 0 EXCUSED, 2 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING.

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

NAYS: Delzer; Froseth; Hatlestad

ABSENT AND NOT VOTING: Boucher; Heller

HCR 3008 was declared adopted.

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#### SECOND READING OF HOUSE BILL

**HB 1161:** A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 39-06-03.1, subsection 2 of section 39-06-07, section 39-06-07.1, subsection 3 of section 39-06-19, and subsection 1 of section 39-06.2-08 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to legal presence for obtaining an operator's license or nondriver identification card, license renewal fees, and commercial driver's license fees.

### **ROLL CALL**

The question being on the final passage of the amended bill, which has been read, and has committee recommendation of DO PASS, the roll was called and there were 93 YEAS, 1 NAYS, 0 EXCUSED, 0 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING.

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

NAYS: Delzer

Engrossed HB 1161 passed and the title was agreed to.

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# SECOND READING OF HOUSE BILL

**HB 1430:** A BILL for an Act to create and enact chapter 32-46 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to successor corporation asbestos-related liabilities.

# **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 53 YEAS, 41 NAYS, 0 EXCUSED, 0 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING.

YEAS: Bellew; Belter; Berg; Boehning; Brandenburg; Carlson; Clark; Damschen; DeKrey; Delzer; Dosch; Drovdal; Frantsvog; Froseth; Grande; Hatlestad; Hawken; Headland; Hofstad; Johnson, D.; Johnson, N.; Karls; Kasper; Keiser; Kelsch, R.; Kempenich; Kingsbury; Klein; Klemin; Koppelman; Kreidt; Meier, L.; Nathe; Nelson; Pietsch; Pollert; Porter; Ruby; Rust; Schatz; Skarphol; Sukut; Svedjan; Thoreson; Uglem; Vigesaa; Wald; Wall; Weiler; Weisz; Wieland; Wrangham; Speaker Monson

NAYS: Amerman; Boe; Boucher; Conklin; Conrad; Dahl; Delmore; Ekstrom; Froelich; Glassheim; Griffin; Gruchalla; Hanson; Heller; Holman; Hunskor; Kaldor; Kelsh, J.; Kelsh, S.; Kerzman; Kilichowski; Kretschmar; Kroeber; Martinson; Metcalf; Meyer, S.; Mock; Mueller; Myxter; Nottestad; Onstad; Pinkerton; Potter; Schmidt; Schneider; Thorpe; Vig; Williams; Winrich; Wolf; Zaiser

Engrossed HB 1430 passed and the title was agreed to.

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# SECOND READING OF HOUSE BILL

**HB 1034:** A BILL for an Act to provide for a legislative council study of the provision of services to children and adults who are deaf or hearing-impaired; to provide an appropriation; and to declare an emergency.

# **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, 91 NAYS, 0 EXCUSED, 1 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING.

YEAS: Kelsch, R.; Mueller

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

**ABSENT AND NOT VOTING: Holman** 

HB 1034 lost.

### SECOND READING OF HOUSE BILL

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**HB 1150:** A BILL for an Act to repeal chapter 4-38 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to organic foods standards.

#### **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 92 YEAS, 1 NAYS, 0 EXCUSED, 1 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING.

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

**NAYS:** Brandenburg

ABSENT AND NOT VOTING: Holman

HB 1150 passed and the title was agreed to.

# SECOND READING OF HOUSE BILL

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**HB 1289:** A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new subsection to section 57-39.2-01 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to definition of irrigation equipment repair parts; to amend and reenact subsection 45 of section 57-39.2-04 and section 57-39.5-02 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to an exemption from sales, use, and farm machinery gross receipts taxes for sales of irrigation equipment repair parts used exclusively for agricultural purposes; and to provide an effective date.

# **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 90 YEAS, 4 NAYS, 0 EXCUSED, 0 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING.

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

Wall; Weiler; Weisz; Wieland; Williams; Winrich; Wolf; Wrangham; Zaiser; Speaker Monson

NAYS: Bellew; Dosch; Porter; Ruby

HB 1289 passed and the title was agreed to.

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## **SECOND READING OF HOUSE BILL**

**HB 1299:** A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact subsection 1 of section 50-24.1-02 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to eligibility for medical assistance.

#### **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 94 YEAS, 0 NAYS, 0 EXCUSED, 0 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING.

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

HB 1299 passed and the title was agreed to.

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# **SECOND READING OF HOUSE BILL**

**HB 1363:** A BILL for an Act to provide an appropriation to the tax commissioner for allocation among counties for costs of implementation of soil survey data in agricultural property tax assessments.

### **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 31 YEAS, 63 NAYS, 0 EXCUSED, 0 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING.

YEAS: Amerman; Boe; Boucher; Conklin; Conrad; Delmore; Ekstrom; Froelich; Glassheim; Griffin; Gruchalla; Hunskor; Kelsh, J.; Kelsh, S.; Kerzman; Kilichowski; Kroeber; Meyer, S.; Mock; Mueller; Myxter; Onstad; Pinkerton; Potter; Schmidt; Schneider; Vig; Wieland; Winrich; Wolf; Zaiser

NAYS: Bellew; Belter; Berg; Boehning; Brandenburg; Carlson; Clark; Dahl; Damschen; DeKrey; Delzer; Dosch; Drovdal; Frantsvog; Froseth; Grande; Hanson; Hatlestad; Hawken; Headland; Heller; Hofstad; Holman; Johnson, D.; Johnson, N.; Kaldor; Karls; Kasper; Keiser; Kelsch, R.; Kempenich; Kingsbury; Klein; Klemin; Koppelman; Kreidt; Kretschmar; Martinson; Meier, L.; Metcalf; Nathe; Nelson; Nottestad; Pietsch; Pollert; Porter; Ruby; Rust; Schatz; Skarphol; Sukut; Svedjan; Thoreson; Thorpe; Uglem; Vigesaa; Wald; Weiler; Weisz; Williams; Wrangham; Speaker Monson

HB 1363 lost.

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MESSAGE TO THE SENATE FROM THE HOUSE (BUELL J. REICH, CHIEF CLERK) MR. PRESIDENT: Your signature is respectfully requested on: HCR 3018.

MESSAGE TO THE SENATE FROM THE HOUSE (BUELL J. REICH, CHIEF CLERK) MR. PRESIDENT: The House has passed and your favorable consideration is requested on: HB 1249, HB 1257, HB 1266, HB 1314, HB 1367, HB 1414, HB 1435, HB 1489, HB 1497.

MESSAGE TO THE HOUSE FROM THE SENATE (FRAN A. GRONBERG, SECRETARY) MR. SPEAKER: The Senate has passed, the emergency clause carried, and your favorable consideration is requested on: SB 2022.

MESSAGE TO THE HOUSE FROM THE SENATE (FRAN A. GRONBERG, SECRETARY) MR. SPEAKER: The Senate has passed and your favorable consideration is requested on: SB 2033, SB 2039, SB 2168, SB 2242, SB 2259, SB 2286, SB 2294, SB 2300, SB 2416.

MESSAGE TO THE HOUSE FROM THE SENATE (FRAN A. GRONBERG, SECRETARY) MR. SPEAKER: The President has signed: HCR 3018.

### **MOTION**

**REP. VIGESAA MOVED** that the House be on the Fifth, Ninth, and Thirteenth orders of business and at the conclusion of those orders, the House stand adjourned until 12:30 p.m., Thursday, February 12, 2009, which motion prevailed.

# REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE

- HB 1198: Finance and Taxation Committee (Rep. Belter, Chairman) recommends AMENDMENTS AS FOLLOWS and when so amended, recommends DO NOT PASS (7 YEAS, 4 NAYS, 2 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING). HB 1198 was placed on the Sixth order on the calendar.
- Page 1, line 1, after "A BILL" replace the remainder of the bill with "for an Act to create and enact a new section to chapter 57-02 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to assessment of certain recreation service district properties; to amend and reenact section 11-28.2-01 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to property that may be included in recreation service districts; and to provide an effective date.

### BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY OF NORTH DAKOTA:

**SECTION 1. AMENDMENT.** Section 11-28.2-01 of the North Dakota Century Code is amended and reenacted as follows:

11-28.2-01. Establishment of recreation service districts - Petition -Purpose. The board of county commissioners of any county, at any meeting of the board, by majority vote of all of the members may, upon the petition of ten percent of the individuals who qualify under section 11-28.2-03 as voters of an area to be included within a proposed recreation service district, call for an election of all of the qualified voters of the district to determine the question of the establishment of a recreation service district for the purpose of providing services, which may include police protection, sewer and water, garbage removal services, and public road construction and maintenance, in addition to those provided by the local governing body or agency to summer homes, cottages, and other residences and establishments that exist within the area, and provide for the improvement and control of the environmental quality of the recreation service district. The recreation service district must be limited in size and location to an area contiguous to or within one-quarter mile [402.34 meters] of the recreational waters of the area or to the areas of land which are dedicated to public use for recreational purposes. A recreation service district may not include any property within city limits or within an area where a city has exercised extraterritorial zoning authority. In addition, the district must consist of not less than forty privately owned seasonal homes or cottages and other residences and establishments. If a petition is presented to the board of county commissioners calling for an election, the petition must be accompanied by any information required by the board of county commissioners, including the boundaries of the proposed recreation district, the approximate number of qualified voters, and a sufficient deposit of money to cover all costs of the election. Within sixty days after the calling of an election, the board of county commissioners shall provide an election on the question of whether a recreation service district should be established and shall establish procedures for voting and other necessary matters not inconsistent with this chapter. The county commissioners shall give at least thirty days' notice of the election by certified mail to all qualified voters. If a majority of the qualified electors voting on the question approve of the establishment of a recreation service district, the district must be organized.

The board of commissioners of a recreation service district may extend the boundaries of the district to property within or contiguous to the one-quarter mile [402.34 meters] limit through the annexation procedures provided in sections 11-28.2-06 through 11-28.2-08.

**SECTION 2.** A new section to chapter 57-02 of the North Dakota Century Code is created and enacted as follows:

Assessment of recreation service district property. In a recreation service district in which ninety percent or more of the property in the district has been developed, the true and full value of any parcel of property and any improvements on that property may not be increased to more than the true and full value of that parcel as assessed in 2008 except:

- 1. If the parcel is sold, the parcel may be reassessed at a true and full value not exceeding the sales price; or
- If improvements on the property have been made, the true and full value of the property may be increased by an amount not exceeding the cost of the improvements.

**SECTION 3. EFFECTIVE DATE.** Section 2 of this Act is effective for taxable years beginning after December 31, 2008."

Renumber accordingly

## REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE

HB 1422: Finance and Taxation Committee (Rep. Belter, Chairman) recommends AMENDMENTS AS FOLLOWS and when so amended, recommends DO PASS (7 YEAS, 6 NAYS, 0 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING). HB 1422 was placed on the Sixth order on the calendar.

Page 1, line 1, remove ", a new subdivision to subsection 1 of"

Page 1, line 2, remove "section 57-38-01.2, and a new subdivision to subsection 2 of section 57-38-30.3"

Page 1, line 3, remove "and an income tax"

Page 1, line 4, remove "deduction for special assessments"

Page 1, line 6, after the first comma insert "and" and remove ", 57-12-09, and 57-20-07.1"

Page 1, line 7, replace "notice" with "and"

Page 1, line 8, remove "of assessment increases," and remove ", and contents of property tax"

Page 1, line 9, remove "statements"

Page 8, remove lines 8 through 26

Page 9, line 3, remove "taxes levied in dollars by"

Page 9, remove lines 4 through 7

Page 9, line 8, remove "recently completed calendar year, whichever is less, and property"

Page 10, remove lines 18 through 31

Page 11, remove lines 1 through 12

Renumber accordingly

# REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE

HB 1434: Education Committee (Rep. R. Kelsch, Chairman) recommends AMENDMENTS AS FOLLOWS and when so amended, recommends DO PASS and BE REREFERRED to the Appropriations Committee (9 YEAS, 4 NAYS, 1 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING). HB 1434 was placed on the Sixth order on the calendar.

Page 1, line 21, replace "\$10,000,000" with "\$500,000"

Renumber accordingly

# REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE

HB 1573: Human Services Committee (Rep. Weisz, Chairman) recommends AMENDMENTS AS FOLLOWS and when so amended, recommends DO PASS (13 YEAS, 0 NAYS, 0 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING). HB 1573 was placed on the Sixth order on the calendar.

Page 1, line 5, replace "conduct" with "consider conducting"

Renumber accordingly

# REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE

HB 1574: Finance and Taxation Committee (Rep. Belter, Chairman) recommends AMENDMENTS AS FOLLOWS and when so amended, recommends DO NOT PASS (8 YEAS, 4 NAYS, 1 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING). HB 1574 was placed on the Sixth order on the calendar.

In lieu of the amendments as printed on page 373 of the House Journal, House Bill No. 1574 is amended as follows:

Page 1, line 1, after "A BILL" replace the remainder of the bill with "to provide for grants to the owners of fuel dispensing units that were required to be retrofitted to accommodate sales of higher-priced fuels; and to provide an appropriation.

### BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY OF NORTH DAKOTA:

**SECTION 1. APPROPRIATION.** There is appropriated out of any moneys in the general fund in the state treasury, not otherwise appropriated, the sum of \$100,000, or so much of the sum as may be necessary, to the public service commission for the purpose of providing grants to owners of fuel dispensing units that were required during the period from April 1, 2008, through April 1, 2009, to be retrofitted to accommodate sales of higher-priced fuels, for the biennium beginning July 1, 2009, and ending June 30, 2011. To receive a grant from the appropriation provided in this section, the owner of a fuel dispensing unit must file an application with the public service commission, on a form provided by the public service commission, providing the information necessary to verify the expense incurred and the necessity of retrofitting a fuel dispensing unit to dispense fuels at a higher cost than the maximum cost for which the unit was originally designed and manufactured. The grants provided by this section are to offset costs for expenditures to retrofit fuel dispensing units from April 1, 2008, through April 1, 2009."

Renumber accordingly

# **REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE**

HB 1445: Human Services Committee (Rep. Weisz, Chairman) recommends DO PASS (8 YEAS, 5 NAYS, 0 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING). HB 1445 was placed on the Eleventh order on the calendar.

# REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE

HB 1447: Education Committee (Rep. R. Kelsch, Chairman) recommends DO NOT PASS (8 YEAS, 6 NAYS, 0 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING). HB 1447 was placed on the Eleventh order on the calendar.

# REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE

HB 1474: Finance and Taxation Committee (Rep. Belter, Chairman) recommends DO NOT PASS (9 YEAS, 3 NAYS, 1 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING). HB 1474 was placed on the Eleventh order on the calendar.

## REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE

HB 1519: Education Committee (Rep. R. Kelsch, Chairman) recommends DO NOT PASS (8 YEAS, 6 NAYS, 0 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING). HB 1519 was placed on the Eleventh order on the calendar.

# REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE

HB 1546: Finance and Taxation Committee (Rep. Belter, Chairman) recommends DO NOT PASS (8 YEAS, 2 NAYS, 3 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING). HB 1546 was placed on the Eleventh order on the calendar.

# REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE

HB 1552: Education Committee (Rep. R. Kelsch, Chairman) recommends DO NOT PASS (9 YEAS, 5 NAYS, 0 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING). HB 1552 was placed on the Eleventh order on the calendar.

### REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE

HB 1558: Finance and Taxation Committee (Rep. Belter, Chairman) recommends DO NOT PASS (8 YEAS, 4 NAYS, 1 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING). HB 1558 was placed on the Eleventh order on the calendar.

## REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE

HCR 3012: Human Services Committee (Rep. Weisz, Chairman) recommends DO NOT PASS (8 YEAS, 5 NAYS, 0 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING). HCR 3012 was placed on the Eleventh order on the calendar.

# REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE

HCR 3032: Finance and Taxation Committee (Rep. Belter, Chairman) recommends DO PASS (8 YEAS, 4 NAYS, 1 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING). HCR 3032 was placed on the Eleventh order on the calendar.

### REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE

HCR 3016: Education Committee (Rep. R. Kelsch, Chairman) recommends DO PASS and BE PLACED ON THE CONSENT CALENDAR (14 YEAS, 0 NAYS, 0 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING). HCR 3016 was placed on the Tenth order on the calendar.

### REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE

HCR 3020: Education Committee (Rep. R. Kelsch, Chairman) recommends DO PASS and BE PLACED ON THE CONSENT CALENDAR (14 YEAS, 0 NAYS, 0 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING). HCR 3020 was placed on the Tenth order on the calendar.

### FIRST READING OF HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

Reps. Drovdal, Kempenich, Nottestad, Pinkerton introduced:

**HCR 3045:** A concurrent resolution directing the Legislative Council to study severed and abandoned mineral rights.

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

# FIRST READING OF SENATE BILL

**SB 2025:** A BILL for an Act providing an appropriation for defraying the expenses of the veterans' home for the purpose of building a new facility; to amend and reenact sections 1 and 2 of chapter 55 of the 2007 Session Laws, relating to the veterans' home construction project; to provide an exemption; and to declare an emergency.

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

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

Buell J. Reich, Chief Clerk