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

The prayer was offered by Sister Anna Rose Ruhland, St. Vincent's Care Center, Bismarck.

The roll was called and all members were present except Senators Miller and Triplett.

A quorum was declared by the President.

CONSIDERATION OF AMENDMENTS

SB 2128: SEN. J. LEE (Political Subdivisions Committee) MOVED that the amendments be adopted and then be placed on the Eleventh order with **DO PASS**, which motion prevailed on a voice vote.

CONSIDERATION OF AMENDMENTS

SB 2095: SEN. LUICK (Education Committee) MOVED that the amendments be adopted and then be placed on the Eleventh order with **DO PASS**, which motion prevailed on a voice vote.

CONSIDERATION OF AMENDMENTS

SB 2064: SEN. COOK (Government and Veterans Affairs Committee) MOVED that the amendments be adopted and then be placed on the Eleventh order with **DO PASS**, which motion prevailed on a voice vote.

CONSIDERATION OF AMENDMENTS

SB 2034: SEN. SCHAIBLE (Government and Veterans Affairs Committee) MOVED that the amendments be adopted and then be placed on the Eleventh order with **DO PASS**, which motion prevailed on a voice vote.

CONSIDERATION OF AMENDMENTS

SB 2032: SEN. LUICK (Education Committee) MOVED that the amendments be adopted and then be placed on the Eleventh order with **DO PASS**, which motion prevailed on a voice vote.

SECOND READING OF SENATE BILL

SB 2047: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 54-35-23 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to extension of the committee on tribal and state relations.

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

YEAS: Anderson; Andrist; Armstrong; Axness; Berry; Bowman; Burckhard; Campbell; Carlisle; Cook; Dever; Dotzenrod; Erbele; Flakoll; Grabinger; Grindberg; Heckaman; Hogue; Holmberg; Kilzer; Klein; Krebsbach; Laffen; Larsen; Lee, G.; Lee, J.; Luick; Lyson; Marcellais; Mathern; Murphy; Nelson; O'Connell; Oehlke; Poolman; Robinson; Schaible; Schneider; Sinner; Sitte; Sorvaag; Unruh; Wanzek; Wardner; Warner

ABSENT AND NOT VOTING: Miller; Triplett

SB 2047 passed.

SECOND READING OF SENATE BILL

SB 2119: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact subsection 3 of section 39-04.2-01 and section 54-44.4-13 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to cooperative purchasing and public transportation; 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 PASS, the roll was called and there were 45 YEAS, 0 NAYS, 0 EXCUSED, 2 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING.

YEAS: Anderson; Andrist; Armstrong; Axness; Berry; Bowman; Burckhard; Campbell; Carlisle; Cook; Dever; Dotzenrod; Erbele; Flakoll; Grabinger; Grindberg; Heckaman; Hogue; Holmberg; Kilzer; Klein; Krebsbach; Laffen; Larsen; Lee, G.; Lee, J.; Luick; Lyson; Marcellais; Mathern; Murphy; Nelson; O'Connell; Oehlke; Poolman; Robinson; Schaible; Schneider; Sinner; Sitte; Sorvaag; Unruh; Wanzek; Wardner; Warner

ABSENT AND NOT VOTING: Miller; Triplett

SB 2119 passed and the emergency clause was declared carried.

REMARKS OF ASSISTANT MINORITY LEADER HECKAMAN

Mr. President and members of the Senate: Today I would like us to take a few moments to reflect on the importance of this day, which is dedicated to the late Martin Luther King. Another important event this month is the 150th anniversary of the signing of the Emancipation Proclamation.

Both events speak volumes to the struggles our country has faced and overcome. Dr. King brought not only hope and healing to America through these struggles; he also brought courage, justice, compassion, dignity, humility, and service.

Our country was founded on the foundation of freedom. Yet it took years before that actually happened for many Americans but it has not happened yet for others.

Today let us remember Dr. King and his legacy. Let us also remember the many freedoms we take for granted that others do not have. As North Dakota legislators, keep us mindful of the responsibilities we have in this continued fight for equality and justice for all.

REMARKS OF MAJORITY LEADER WARDNER

Mr. President and members of the Senate: Today we recognize the incredible achievements of Martin Luther King Jr., a man who left his mark on history.

Dr. King once said, "The ultimate measure of a man is not where he stands in moments of comfort and convenience, but where he stands at times of challenge and controversy." As we meet today, during a moment in our States history of tremendous prosperity and equally great challenge; let us live by the words of Martin Luther King Jr., and accept these challenges, and continue to work to bring positive change to our great state.

MOTION

SEN. KLEIN MOVED that the remarks of Sens. Heckamen and Wardner be printed in the journal, which motion prevailed.

MESSAGE TO THE HOUSE FROM THE SENATE (WILLIAM R. HORTON, SECRETARY)

MR. SPEAKER: The Senate has passed, and your favorable consideration is requested on: SB 2044, SB 2045, SB 2051, SB 2053, SB 2083, SB 2085.

MESSAGE TO THE HOUSE FROM THE SENATE (WILLIAM R. HORTON, SECRETARY)

MR. SPEAKER: The Senate has passed, the emergency clause carried, and your favorable consideration is requested on: SB 2094, SB 2132.

MOTION

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

MOTION

SEN. KLEIN MOVED that the Senate be on the Fourth, Fifth, Ninth, and Thirteenth orders of business and at the conclusion of those orders, the Senate stand adjourned until 1:00 p.m., Tuesday, January 22, 2013, which motion prevailed.

REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE

SB 2033: Government and Veterans Affairs Committee (Sen. Dever, Chairman) recommends **DO PASS** (7 YEAS, 0 NAYS, 0 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING). SB 2033 was placed on the Eleventh order on the calendar.

REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE

SB 2042: Transportation Committee (Sen. Oehlke, Chairman) recommends **DO PASS** (7 YEAS, 0 NAYS, 0 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING). SB 2042 was placed on the Eleventh order on the calendar.

REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE

SB 2043: Transportation Committee (Sen. Oehlke, Chairman) recommends **AMENDMENTS AS FOLLOWS** and when so amended, recommends **DO PASS** (7 YEAS, 0 NAYS, 0 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING). SB 2043 was placed on the Sixth order on the calendar.

Page 1, line 1, replace the second "and" with a comma

Page 1, line 2, after "39-29-01" insert ", and subsection 1 of section 39-29-09"

Page 2, after line 11, insert:

"SECTION 3. AMENDMENT. Subsection 1 of section 39-29-09 of the North Dakota Century Code is amended and reenacted as follows:

1. An individual may not operate an off-highway vehicle on the roadway, shoulder, or inside bank or slope of any road, street, or highway except as provided in this chapter. Except in emergencies, an individual may not operate an off-highway vehicle within the right of way of any controlled-access highway. An individual may operate a registered off-highway vehicle on a gravel, dirt, or loose surface roadway. An individual may operate a registered off-highway vehicle on a paved highway designated and posted at a speed not exceeding fifty-five miles [88.51 kilometers] per hour. A licensed driver over sixteen years of age may operate a registered class III off-highway vehicle on a paved highway designated and posted at a speed not exceeding sixty-five miles [104.61 kilometers] per hour. An individual may not operate an off-highway vehicle on a paved highway if the vehicle is unable to attain a speed, on a paved level surface, of at least thirty miles [48.28 kilometers] per hour."

Renumber accordingly

REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE

SB 2046: Transportation Committee (Sen. Oehlke, Chairman) recommends **AMENDMENTS AS FOLLOWS** and when so amended, recommends **DO PASS** (7 YEAS, 0 NAYS, 0 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING). SB 2046 was placed on the Sixth order on the calendar.

Page 5, line 14, overstrike " or"

Page 5, line 15, overstrike the second period and insert immediately thereafter " or"

Page 5, line 16, remove "or ordinance of a political subdivision"

Renumber accordingly

REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE

SB 2098: Transportation Committee (Sen. Oehlke, Chairman) recommends **DO PASS** and **BE REREFERRED** to the **Appropriations Committee** (7 YEAS, 0 NAYS, 0 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING). SB 2098 was rereferred to the **Appropriations Committee**.

REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE

SB 2102: Education Committee (Sen. Flakoll, Chairman) recommends **DO PASS** (5 YEAS, 1 NAYS, 0 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING). SB 2102 was placed on the Eleventh order on the calendar.

REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE

SB 2114: Human Services Committee (Sen. J. Lee, Chairman) recommends **DO PASS** (5 YEAS, 0 NAYS, 0 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING). SB 2114 was placed on the Eleventh order on the calendar.

REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE

SB 2133: Transportation Committee (Sen. Oehlke, Chairman) recommends **DO NOT PASS** (7 YEAS, 0 NAYS, 0 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING). SB 2133 was placed on the Eleventh order on the calendar.

REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE

SB 2136: Industry, Business and Labor Committee (Sen. Klein, Chairman) recommends **DO PASS** (7 YEAS, 0 NAYS, 0 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING). SB 2136 was placed on the Eleventh order on the calendar.

REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE

SB 2157: Human Services Committee (Sen. J. Lee, Chairman) recommends **DO PASS** (5 YEAS, 0 NAYS, 0 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING). SB 2157 was placed on the Eleventh order on the calendar.

REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE

SB 2161: Human Services Committee (Sen. J. Lee, Chairman) recommends **DO PASS** (5 YEAS, 0 NAYS, 0 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING). SB 2161 was placed on the Eleventh order on the calendar.

FIRST READING OF SENATE BILLS

Sens. Grindberg, Laffen, Mathern and Reps. Heilman, Keiser, Thoreson introduced:

SB 2234: A BILL for an Act to create and enact two new subsections to section 49-21-01 and a new section to chapter 49-21 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to voice over internet protocol service and the jurisdiction of the public service commission. Was read the first time and referred to the **Industry, Business and Labor Committee**.

Sen. Miller introduced:

SB 2237: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact sections 40-63-04, 40-63-06, and 40-63-07, subdivision i of subsection 2 of section 57-35.3-02, and sections 57-38-01, 57-38-01.8, 57-38-01.21, 57-38-01.22, 57-38-01.23, 57-38-01.24, 57-38-01.25, 57-38-01.26, 57-38-01.27, 57-38-01.31, 57-38-01.32, 57-38-01.33, 57-38-30.3, 57-38.5-03, and 57-38.6-03 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to income taxes of individuals, estates, and trusts; to repeal sections 57-38-01.20, 57-38-01.28, 57-38-01.29, 57-38-01.30, and 57-38-29.3 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to income taxes of individuals, estates, and trusts; and to provide an effective date.

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

Sens. Mathern, Anderson and Reps. Gruchalla, Hunsakor, N. Johnson introduced:

SB 2240: A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new section to chapter 5-01, a new section to chapter 5-02, a new subsection to section 39-01-01, a new section to chapter 39-08, and section 39-08-01.5 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to marked licenses for driving under the influence and an ignition interlock restricted license; to amend and reenact subsection 7 of section 39-06.1-10, section 39-06.1-11, subsections 4 and 5 of section 39-08-01, section 39-08-01.3, subsection 1 of section 39-20-04, and section 39-20-04.1 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to driving while under the influence and ignition interlock; and to provide a penalty.

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

Sens. Oehlke, Hogue, Lyson and Reps. Hofstad, D. Johnson, Hunsakor introduced:

SB 2242: 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 hunting and fishing fees for disabled veterans.

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

Sens. J. Lee, Unruh, Mathern and Reps. Hofstad, J. Nelson, Weisz introduced:

SB 2243: A BILL for an Act to provide for a legislative management study of behavioral health needs.

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

Sens. Heckaman, Axness, Warner and Reps. Frantsvog, Boschee, Oversen introduced:

SB 2244: A BILL for an Act to provide an appropriation to the department of human services for early childhood services inclusion support services and grants.

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

Sens. G. Lee, Klein, Sinner and Reps. Belter, Ruby, Vigasaa introduced:

SB 2245: A BILL for an Act to provide for gasoline marketing practices.

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

Sen. Cook introduced:

SB 2246: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact subdivision u of subsection 1 of section 54-10-14 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to audits of housing authorities.

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

Sens. Klein, Krebsbach, Unruh and Reps. Dockter, Kempenich, Kreun introduced:

SB 2247: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 34-14-04.1 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to limitations on withholdings.

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

Sens. Klein, Erbele, Hogue and Reps. Hofstad, Vigasaa, M. Nelson introduced:

SB 2248: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 20.1-03-07.1 and subsection 51 of section 20.1-03-12 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to nonresident waterfowl hunting.

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

Sens. Robinson, G. Lee, O'Connell and Reps. N. Johnson, Kreun introduced:

SB 2249: A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new section to chapter 39-06.1 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to notification of a traffic offense.

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

Sens. Sitte, Schaible, Wardner and Reps. Becker, Rohr, Streyle introduced:

SB 2250: A BILL for an Act to create and enact chapter 23-47 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to privacy of medical records.

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

Sens. Armstrong, Schaible, Nelson and Reps. Steiner, Thoreson, Oversen introduced:

SB 2251: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact subsection 1 of section 6-08-16, subsection 3 of section 6-08-16.2, sections 12.1-21-04, 12.1-23-02.1, 12.1-23-05, 12.1-23-06, 12.1-23-07, and 12.1-23-08, subsection 1 of section 12.1-23-09, and sections 12.1-24-01, 12.1-24-03, 26.1-02.1-05, and 29-03-22 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the penalties for crimes for which a monetary amount triggers the level of penalty; and to provide a penalty.

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

Sens. Warner, Schneider and Reps. Becker, Boschee, N. Johnson, Oversen introduced:

SB 2252: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact sections 14-02.4-01, 14-02.4-02, 14-02.4-03, 14-02.4-04, 14-02.4-05, 14-02.4-06, 14-02.4-08, 14-02.4-09, 14-02.4-14, 14-02.4-15, 14-02.4-16, 14-02.4-17, 14-02.5-02, 14-02.5-03, 14-02.5-04, 14-02.5-05, 14-02.5-07, 14-02.5-08, 14-02.5-10, subsection 11 of section 26.1-04-03, subsection 1 of section 26.1-30.1-01.1, subsection 1 of section 26.1-39-17, and sections 26.1-40-11, 26.1-47-04, and 27-09.1-02 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to discrimination on the basis of sexual orientation.

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

Sens. Grindberg, Hogue, O'Connell and Reps. D. Johnson, Klemin, Thoreson introduced:

SB 2253: A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new subsection to section 57-02-08 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to a property tax exemption for the primary residence of certain military servicemembers called to federal active duty service; and to provide an effective date.

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

Sens. Armstrong, Anderson, Robinson and Reps. Hawken, Klein, Boschee introduced:

SB 2254: A BILL for an Act amend and reenact section 50-24.1-02.3 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to designated pre-need funeral service contracts.

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

Sens. Dever, Dotzenrod, Hogue and Reps. J. Nelson, M. Nelson, Thoreson introduced:

SB 2255: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 16.1-08.1-01 and subsection 2 of section 16.1-08.1-03.3 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to campaign contributions.

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

Sens. Dever, J. Lee, Mathern and Reps. J. Nelson, Boe, M. Nelson introduced:

SB 2256: A BILL for an Act to provide for the establishment of a home visitation program for families with young children and for pregnant women.

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

Sens. Cook, Kilzer, Axness and Reps. Devlin, Porter, Toman introduced:

SB 2257: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 25-03.3-17 and 25-03.3-18 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to postcommitment procedures in cases of civil commitment of sexually dangerous individuals.

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

Sens. Cook, Holmberg, Wardner and Reps. Belter, Carlson, Delzer introduced:

SB 2258: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 57-51-15 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to allocation of gross production taxes; and to provide an effective date.

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

Sens. Triplett, Warner and Reps. N. Johnson, Maragos, Glassheim introduced:

SB 2259: A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new section to chapter 55-01 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to state historical society jurisdiction over Fort Abraham Lincoln state park; and to amend and reenact section 55-02-01.3 and subsection 9 of section 55-08-01.3 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to administration of Fort Abraham Lincoln state park.

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

Sens. Flakoll, Unruh, Warner and Reps. Beadle, Heilman, Oversen introduced:

SB 2260: A BILL for an Act amend and reenact sections 13-07-01, 13-11-01, 51-15-06.1, 51-25-01, and 51-28-02 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to consumer credit counseling services, debt settlement providers, assurance of discontinuance, and telephone solicitations.

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

Sens. Cook, Dotzenrod, Hogue and Reps. Headland, Kasper, Thoreson introduced:

SB 2261: A BILL for an Act to create and enact two new sections to chapter 57-40.6 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the creation of a prepaid wireless emergency 911 fee; to amend and reenact section 57-40.6-01, subsection 1 of section 57-40.6-02, sections 57-40.6-03, 57-40.6-08, and 57-40.6-13 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to prepaid wireless services and limitation of liability for prepaid wireless service providers or sellers; and to provide an effective date.

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

Sens. Cook, Burckhard, Hogue introduced:

SB 2262: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact sections 57-40.6-01 and 57-40.6-08, subdivision i of subsection 1 of section 57-40.6-10, and section 57-40.6-12 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to fees for 911 services; to repeal sections 57-40.6-02, 57-40.6-03, 57-40.6-03.1, 57-40.6-04, and 57-40.6-05 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to fees for 911 services; and to provide an appropriation.

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

Sens. Marcellais, Heckaman and Reps. S. Kelsh, Trottier introduced:

SB 2263: A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new section to chapter 15.1-19 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to criminal acts occurring at school district events or activities; and to amend and reenact sections 15.1-19-17 and 15.1-19-18 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to bullying.

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

Sens. Marcellais, Dever, Lyson and Reps. S. Kelsh, Trottier introduced:

SB 2264: A BILL for an Act to provide an appropriation to the adjutant general for veterans' military caskets.

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

Sens. Schneider, Armstrong, Lyson and Reps. Kretschmar, Meier, Mock introduced:

SB 2265: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 12.1-27.2-05 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to sexual performance by a minor.

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

Sens. Hogue, Andrist, Armstrong, Burckhard, Grabinger and Rep. Glassheim introduced:

SB 2266: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 10-15-05, subsection 2 of section 10-15-12, subsection 1 of section 10-19.1-10, section 10-19.1-17, subsection 1 of section 10-32-07, section 10-32-14, subsection 1 of section 10-33-06, section 10-33-14, and subsection 3 of section 10-34-04 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to cooperative association of articles of incorporation and address of the principal office, business corporation articles of incorporation and amendment of articles of incorporation, limited liability company articles of organization and amendment of the articles of organization, nonprofit corporation articles of incorporation and amendment of articles of incorporation, and contents of the registration a real estate investment trust.

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

Sens. Laffen, Flakoll, Poolman, Robinson and Reps. Beadle, Trottier introduced:

SB 2267: A BILL for an Act to provide an appropriation for school district safety and deferred maintenance grants.

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

Sens. Andrist, Axness, Carlisle and Reps. Dosch, Glassheim, Thoreson introduced:

SB 2268: A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new section of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to publication of park district board proceedings.

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

Sens. Grindberg, Klein, J. Lee and Reps. Keiser, Weisz introduced:

SB 2269: A BILL for an Act to provide for a legislative management study of the state's health care system; to provide for a health care consortium; and to provide an appropriation.

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

Sens. J. Lee, Heckaman, Schaible and Reps. Sanford, Wieland introduced:

SB 2270: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact subsection 1 of section 48-01.2-04 and subsection 3 of section 48-01.2-19 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the publication of advertisements for bids for public improvement contracts.

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

Sens. Axness, Heckaman, Wanzek and Reps. Mooney, Silbernagel, Steiner introduced:

SB 2271: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact subsection 5 of section 39-01-15 and section 50-06.1-16 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the committee on employment of people with disabilities.

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

Sens. Nelson, Armstrong, Hogue and Reps. Hawken, Maragos, Strinden introduced:

SB 2272: A BILL for an Act to repeal chapter 27-06 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to district court reporters and bailiffs.

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

Sens. Grindberg, Campbell, Schneider and Reps. Beadle, Kreun, Nathe introduced:

SB 2273: A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new subsection to section 57-35.3-05 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to a financial institutions tax credit for investments in an angel fund; to amend and reenact subsection 1 of section 57-38-01.26 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to a financial institutions tax credit for investments in an angel fund and elimination of the lifetime limit on angel fund investment tax credits for individuals; and to provide an effective date.

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

Sens. Grindberg, Lyson and Reps. Hofstad, Porter introduced:

SB 2274: A BILL for an Act to create and enact six new sections to chapter 61-24.5 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the southwest water authority; to amend and reenact sections 61-02.1-04, 61-24.5-01, 61-24.5-02, and 61-24.5-09 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the southwest water authority; to repeal chapter 61-24.3 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the southwest pipeline project; to provide an appropriation; and to provide for application.

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

Sens. Grabinger, Nelson, Sinner and Reps. Haak, J. Kelsh introduced:

SB 2275: A BILL for an Act to create and enact section 57-39.2-26.3 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to allocation of a portion of sales tax collections among counties; to provide a continuing appropriation; and to provide an effective date.

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

Sens. Sinner, Grabinger, Heckaman and Reps. Haak, Hanson, Hogan introduced:

SB 2276: A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new section to chapter 54-03 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the reporting of certain travel expenses of members of the legislative assembly.

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

Sens. Sinner, Mathern and Reps. Haak, Hanson, Hogan, S. Kelsh introduced:

SB 2277: A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new section to chapter 57-39.2 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to a sales and use tax exemption for clothing; to provide an appropriation; and to provide an effective date.

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

Sens. Laffen, Andrist, Robinson, Sorvaag and Reps. K. Koppelman, Trottier introduced:

SB 2278: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 2-05-06.5 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to state assistance for airports

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

Sens. Holmberg, Campbell, Cook and Reps. Owens, Sanford, Trottier introduced:

SB 2279: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact sections 57-57-02 and 57-57-06 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the forest stewardship tax; and to provide an effective date.

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

Sens. Marcellais, Heckaman, Oehlke, Schneider and Reps. Onstad, Trottier introduced:

SB 2280: A BILL for an Act to provide for the display of Indian nation flags at certain locations in the state capitol.

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

Sens. Marcellais, Heckaman, Schaible, Schneider and Reps. Onstad, Trottier introduced:

SB 2281: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 15-68.1-01 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to membership of the American Indian language preservation committee; and to provide an appropriation.

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

Sens. Krebsbach, Lyson, Nelson and Reps. Hatlestad, Hawken, Streyle introduced:

SB 2282: A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new section to chapter 15.1-07 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the provisions of educational services by school districts.

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

Sens. Larsen, Berry and Reps. Ruby, Thoreson introduced:

SB 2283: A BILL for an Act to establish an infrastructure audit task force.
Was read the first time and referred to the **Political Subdivisions Committee**.

Sens. Larsen, Klein, O'Connell and Reps. J. Nelson, Ruby, Streyle introduced:
SB 2284: A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new section to chapter 5-01 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to brewer taproom licenses; and to amend and reenact section 5-03-07 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to taxes on alcohol.
Was read the first time and referred to the **Industry, Business and Labor Committee**.

Sens. Marcellais, Mathern and Reps. Mock, M. Nelson introduced:
SB 2285: A BILL for an Act to provide for the establishment of a center for independent living outreach office on the Turtle Mountain Indian Reservation; and to provide an appropriation.
Was read the first time and referred to the **Human Services Committee**.

Sens. Marcellais, Mathern and Reps. Mock, M. Nelson introduced:
SB 2286: A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new section to chapter 37-14 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to an Indian veteran representative; and to provide an appropriation.
Was read the first time and referred to the **Government and Veterans Affairs Committee**.

Sens. Wanzek, Schneider, Wardner and Reps. Brandenburg, Headland, Pollert introduced:
SB 2287: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact sections 6-09.7-02, 6-09.7-03, and 6-09.7-05 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the fuel production facility loan guarantee program; to provide an effective date; and to provide an expiration date.
Was read the first time and referred to the **Industry, Business and Labor Committee**.

Sens. Marcellais, Heckaman, Mathern and Reps. M. Nelson, Onstad introduced:
SB 2288: A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new section to chapter 54-60 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to a department of commerce North Dakota tribal tourism alliance program; and to provide an appropriation.
Was read the first time and referred to the **Industry, Business and Labor Committee**.

Sens. Marcellais, Mathern and Reps. Mock, M. Nelson, Onstad introduced:
SB 2289: A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new section to chapter 54-60 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to creation of department of commerce satellite offices on Indian reservations.
Was read the first time and referred to the **Industry, Business and Labor Committee**.

Sens. Dotzenrod, Mathern, Nelson and Reps. Gruchalla, Guggisberg, Onstad introduced:
SB 2290: A BILL for an Act to create and enact sections 57-02-08.9 and 57-38-01.34 and a new subdivision to subsection 7 of section 57-38-30.3 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to provision of property tax relief through a residential property tax reduction, renter's income tax credit, or agricultural property tax credit; and to provide an effective date.
Was read the first time and referred to the **Finance and Taxation Committee**.

Sen. Klein and Rep. Weisz introduced:
SB 2291: A BILL for an Act to provide for net metering.
Was read the first time and referred to the **Natural Resources Committee**.

Sens. Sinner, J. Lee, Lyson, Oehlke and Rep. Gruchalla introduced:
SB 2292: A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new subsection to section 37-17.1-04 and a new section to chapter 37-17.1 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to search and rescue operations; and to amend and reenact section 37-17.1-27 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to reimbursement of costs under the state disaster relief fund.
Was read the first time and referred to the **Political Subdivisions Committee**.

Sen. J. Lee and Rep. Weisz introduced:
SB 2293: A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new section to chapter 50-24.1 and a new subsection to section 54-44.3-12 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to medical assistance coverage of services provided by marriage and family therapists

and the state job classification index; to amend and reenact subsection 10 of section 25-03.1-02, subdivision d of subsection 2 of section 26.1-36-08, and paragraph 1 of subdivision f of subsection 2 of section 26.1-36-09 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to commitment procedures and insurance coverage for substance abuse and mental health; and to direct the department of human services to submit a plan.

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

Sens. Dotzenrod, G. Lee, Luick and Rep. J. Kelsh introduced:

SB 2294: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 57-43.2-41 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to increased fees for use of dyed special fuel in a licensed motor vehicle and display of consumer advisory information on pumps dispensing dyed special fuel.

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

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

William R. Horton, Secretary