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

The prayer was offered by Pastor Keith Ritchie, Cornerstone Church, Bismarck.

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

A quorum was declared by the President.

POINT OF PERSONAL PRIVILEGE

SEN. MARCELLAIS rose on a point of personal privilege.

REMARKS OF SENATOR MARCELLAIS

MR. PRESIDENT: I rise today to recognize a North Dakota resident, who this week was honored in Washington, DC with this nation's highest military decoration, the United States Medal of Honor.

On the morning of October 3, 2009, in the Nuristan Province of Afghanistan, Staff Sergeant Clinton Romesha of Minot was awakened by the sound of explosions that shook the building in which he and other soldiers were still sleeping at Combat Outpost Keating. Romesha, along with the 53 American soldiers at the outpost, were being descended upon by an attacking force that totaled over 300 Taliban fighters.

The American forces were heavily outnumbered, in an outpost that a military investigation would later call "indefensible" because of its remote location and situation in a mountain valley that provided natural cover to advancing enemies.

Despite these overwhelming odds, Staff Sergeant Romesha repeatedly put himself in the line of enemy fire to rally his fellow soldiers to mount the defense that eventually drove the enemy back. When the enemy finally showed signs of retreat, after a day-long battle, Romesha led his fellow soldiers forward to retrieve their fallen comrades.

In all, eight US soldiers were killed that day, and twenty-two others were wounded. The soldiers of the troop have been honored with numerous medals including: 37 Army Commendation Medals, 27 Purple Hearts, 18 Bronze Stars and 9 Silver Stars.

Mr. President, the uncommon courage shown by Staff Sergeant Romesha instills pride, not only in North Dakotans, but in all Americans. We owe a deep debt of gratitude to Staff Sergeant Romesha and each of our veterans. Let us, therefore, honor their service and never forget those, who in the words of many Medal of Honor citations, "gallantly gave their lives for their country".

REQUEST

SEN. KLEIN REQUESTED that the remarks of Sen. Marcellais be printed in the Journal, which request was granted.

CORRECTION AND REVISION OF THE JOURNAL

MR. PRESIDENT: Your **Committee on Correction and Revision of the Journal (Sen. Andrist, Chairman)** has carefully examined the Journal of the Twenty-fourth and Twenty-fifth Days and recommends that it be corrected as follows and when so corrected, recommends that it be approved:

Page 278, line 33, replace "2251" with "2354"

Page 278, line 35, replace "2251" with "2354"

Page 278, line 36, replace "2251" with "2354"

Page 278, line 37, replace "2251" with "2354"

Page 293, line 18, replace "2251" with "2354"

Page 297, line 16, after "Day" insert a period

SEN. ANDRIST MOVED that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed.

MOTION

SEN. KLEIN MOVED that SB 2240, which is on the Sixth order, be laid over one legislative day, which motion prevailed.

MOTION

SEN. KLEIN MOVED that SB 2307, which is on the Eleventh order, be rereferred to the **Appropriations Committee**, which motion prevailed. Pursuant to Sen. Klein's motion, SB 2307 was rereferred.

MOTION

SEN. KLEIN MOVED that SB 2231, which is on the Eleventh order, be rereferred to the **Appropriations Committee**, which motion prevailed. Pursuant to Sen. Klein's motion, SB 2231 was rereferred.

MOTION

SEN. KLEIN MOVED that Senate rule 329 be amended, replacing "twenty-sixth legislative day" with "twenty-seventh legislative day", which motion prevailed.

CONSIDERATION OF AMENDMENTS

SB 2264: SEN. POOLMAN (Government and Veterans Affairs Committee) MOVED that the amendments be adopted and then be **REFERRED** to the **Appropriations Committee** with **DO PASS**, which motion prevailed on a voice vote.

CONSIDERATION OF AMENDMENTS

SB 2344: SEN. BERRY (Government and Veterans Affairs Committee) MOVED that the amendments be adopted and then be **REFERRED** to the **Appropriations Committee** with **DO PASS**, which motion prevailed on a voice vote.

CONSIDERATION OF AMENDMENTS

SB 2334: SEN. SCHAIBLE (Government and Veterans Affairs Committee) MOVED that the amendments be adopted and then be **REFERRED** to the **Appropriations Committee** with **DO PASS**, which motion prevailed on a voice vote.

CONSIDERATION OF AMENDMENTS

SB 2059: SEN. DEVER (Government and Veterans Affairs Committee) MOVED that the amendments be adopted and then be **REFERRED** to the **Appropriations Committee** with **DO PASS**, which motion prevailed on a voice vote.

CONSIDERATION OF AMENDMENTS

SB 2021: SEN. ROBINSON (Appropriations 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 2173: SEN. SINNER (Transportation Committee) MOVED that the amendments be adopted and then be placed on the Eleventh order with **DO NOT PASS**, which motion prevailed on a voice vote.

CONSIDERATION OF AMENDMENTS

SB 2104: SEN. BURCKHARD (Finance and Taxation Committee) MOVED that the amendments be adopted and then be placed on the Eleventh order with **DO PASS**, which motion prevailed on a verification vote.

CONSIDERATION OF AMENDMENTS

SB 2259: SEN. TRIPLETT (Natural Resources Committee) MOVED that the amendments be adopted and then be placed on the Eleventh order with **DO PASS**, which motion

prevailed on a verification vote.

CONSIDERATION OF AMENDMENTS

SB 2348: SEN. CAMPBELL (Transportation 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 2341: 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 2296: SEN. COOK (Government and Veterans Affairs Committee) MOVED that the amendments be adopted and then be placed on the Eleventh order with **DO NOT PASS**, which motion prevailed on a voice vote.

CONSIDERATION OF AMENDMENTS

SB 2242: SEN. MURPHY (Natural Resources 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.

MOTION

SEN. KLEIN MOVED that after action taken on the Sixth order, SB 2210 be placed on the Eleventh order for immediate second reading and final passage, which motion prevailed.

CONSIDERATION OF AMENDMENTS

SB 2210: SEN. NELSON (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.

SECOND READING OF SENATE BILL

SB 2210: A BILL for an Act to provide for the publishing of a book of veterans; and to provide a continuing appropriation.

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

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

ABSENT AND NOT VOTING: Grindberg

Engrossed SB 2210 passed.

SECOND READING OF SENATE BILL

SB 2375: A BILL for an Act to provide for a legislative management study of home and community-based services.

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

YEAS: Anderson; Andrist; Armstrong; Axness; Berry; Bowman; Burckhard; Campbell; Carlisle; Cook; Dever; Dotzenrod; Erbele; Flakoll; Grabinger; Heckaman; Hogue; Holmberg; Kilzer; Klein; Krebsbach; Laffen; Larsen; Lee, G.; Lee, J.; Luick; Lyson;

Marcellais; Mathern; Miller; Murphy; Nelson; O'Connell; Oehlke; Poolman; Robinson; Schaible; Schneider; Sinner; Sitte; Sorvaag; Triplett; Unruh; Wanzek; Wardner; Warner

ABSENT AND NOT VOTING: Grindberg

Engrossed SB 2375 passed.

MOTION

SEN. KLEIN MOVED that SB 2017 and SB 2022 be moved to the bottom of the calendar, which motion prevailed.

SECOND READING OF SENATE BILL

SB 2331: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 15-39.1-19.1 and subsection 2 of section 15-39.1-19.2 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to adjustment of the service benefit upon subsequent retirement of retired teachers who return to active duty.

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, 41 NAYS, 0 EXCUSED, 1 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING.

YEAS: Heckaman; Larsen; O'Connell; Schneider; Warner

NAYS: Anderson; Andrist; Armstrong; Axness; Berry; Bowman; Burckhard; Campbell; Carlisle; Cook; Dever; Dotzenrod; Erbele; Flakoll; Grabinger; Hogue; Holmberg; Kilzer; Klein; Krebsbach; Laffen; Lee, G.; Lee, J.; Luick; Lyson; Marcellais; Mathern; Miller; Murphy; Nelson; Oehlke; Poolman; Robinson; Schaible; Sinner; Sitte; Sorvaag; Triplett; Unruh; Wanzek; Wardner

ABSENT AND NOT VOTING: Grindberg

SB 2331 failed.

SECOND READING OF SENATE BILL

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.

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 0 YEAS, 46 NAYS, 0 EXCUSED, 1 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING.

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

ABSENT AND NOT VOTING: Grindberg

SB 2274 failed.

SECOND READING OF SENATE BILL

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.

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 23 YEAS, 23 NAYS, 0 EXCUSED, 1 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING.

YEAS: Anderson; Andrist; Axness; Bowman; Dotzenrod; Erbele; Heckaman; Hogue; Kilzer; Klein; Krebsbach; Larsen; Lee, J.; Luick; Lyson; Marcellais; Nelson; O'Connell; Oehlke; Schaible; Sitte; Wardner; Warner

NAYS: Armstrong; Berry; Burckhard; Campbell; Carlisle; Cook; Dever; Flakoll; Grabinger; Holmberg; Laffen; Lee, G.; Mathern; Miller; Murphy; Poolman; Robinson; Schneider; Sinner; Sorvaag; Triplett; Unruh; Wanzek

ABSENT AND NOT VOTING: Grindberg

SB 2248 failed.

SECOND READING OF SENATE BILL

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.

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

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

ABSENT AND NOT VOTING: Grindberg

SB 2254 passed.

SECOND READING OF SENATE BILL

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.

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 18 YEAS, 28 NAYS, 0 EXCUSED, 1 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING.

YEAS: Andrist; Axness; Dotzenrod; Flakoll; Grabinger; Heckaman; Hogue; Marcellais; Mathern; Murphy; Nelson; O'Connell; Robinson; Schneider; Sinner; Sitte; Triplett; Warner

NAYS: Anderson; Armstrong; Berry; Bowman; Burckhard; Campbell; Carlisle; Cook; Dever; Erbele; Holmberg; Kilzer; Klein; Krebsbach; Laffen; Larsen; Lee, G.; Lee, J.; Luick; Lyson; Miller; Oehlke; Poolman; Schaible; Sorvaag; Unruh; Wanzek; Wardner

ABSENT AND NOT VOTING: Grindberg

SB 2286 failed.

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 2005, SB 2010, SB 2011, SB 2016, SB 2144, SB 2152, SB 2311, SB 2360, SCR 4008.

MOTION

SEN. KLEIN MOVED that the absent member 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., Wednesday, February 13, 2013, which motion prevailed.

REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE

SB 2147: Industry, Business and Labor Committee (Sen. Klein, Chairman) recommends **AMENDMENTS AS FOLLOWS** and when so amended, recommends **DO PASS** (7 YEAS, 0 NAYS, 0 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING). SB 2147 was placed on the Sixth order on the calendar.

Page 1, line 18, after "5." insert ""Direct shipper" means a person that is licensed by the commissioner and ships or causes to be shipped alcoholic beverages directly into this state to a consumer for the consumer's personal use and not for resale.

6."

Page 1, line 20, overstrike "6." and insert immediately thereafter "7."

Page 1, line 22, overstrike "7." and insert immediately thereafter "8."

Page 2, line 1, replace "8." with "9."

Page 2, line 5, replace "9." with "10."

Page 2, line 8, replace "10." with "11."

Page 2, line 9, replace "11." with "12."

Page 2, line 11, replace "12." with "13."

Page 2, line 13, replace "13." with "14."

Page 2, line 17, replace "14." with "15."

Page 2, line 19, replace "15." with "16."

Page 2, line 20, replace "16." with "17."

Page 2, line 23, replace "17." with "18."

Page 2, line 26, replace "18." with "19."

Page 2, line 28, replace "19." with "20."

Page 3, line 3, remove "in-state or"

Page 3, line 5, remove "in-state or"

ReNUMBER accordingly

REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE

SB 2172: Human Services Committee (Sen. J. Lee, Chairman) recommends **DO PASS** (5 YEAS, 0 NAYS, 0 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING). SB 2172 was placed on the Eleventh order on the calendar.

REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE

SB 2241: Human Services Committee (Sen. J. Lee, Chairman) recommends **AMENDMENTS AS FOLLOWS** and when so amended, recommends **DO PASS** and **BE REREFERRED** to the **Appropriations Committee** (5 YEAS, 0 NAYS, 0 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING). SB 2241 was placed on the Sixth order on the calendar.

Page 1, line 1, remove "to amend and reenact section 5-03-08 of the North Dakota Century Code,"

Page 1, remove line 2

Page 1, line 3, remove "prevention grant fund; and"

Page 1, line 3, after "appropriation" insert "to the department of human services; and to provide for a legislative management study"

Page 1, remove lines 5 through 15

Page 1, line 17, replace "substance abuse prevention grant" with "general"

Page 1, line 18, replace "\$4,688,500" with "\$600,000"

Page 1, after line 21, insert:

"SECTION 2. LEGISLATIVE MANAGEMENT STUDY - SUBSTANCE ABUSE PREVENTION. The legislative management shall consider studying, during the 2013-14 interim, the development of a comprehensive plan to coordinate various sources of funding for prevention and cessation of risk-associated behaviors. The legislative management shall report its findings and recommendations, together with any legislation required to implement the recommendations, to the sixty-fourth legislative assembly."

Renumber accordingly

REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE

SB 2243: Human Services Committee (Sen. J. Lee, Chairman) recommends **AMENDMENTS AS FOLLOWS** and when so amended, recommends **DO PASS** and **BE REREFERRED** to the **Appropriations Committee** (5 YEAS, 0 NAYS, 0 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING). SB 2243 was placed on the Sixth order on the calendar.

Page 1, line 1, after "needs" insert "; and to provide an appropriation"

Page 1, line 4, replace "consider studying" with "study"

Page 1, line 6, replace "may" with "must"

Page 1, line 8, replace "nonprofit" with "social and clinical"

Page 1, line 8, after the third comma insert "mental health advocacy organizations,"

Page 1, line 9, after "agencies" insert "and institutions"

Page 1, after line 11, insert:

"SECTION 2. APPROPRIATION. There is appropriated out of any moneys in the general fund in the state treasury, not otherwise appropriated, the sum of \$45,000, or so much of the sum as may be necessary, to the legislative council for the purpose of contracting for consulting and coordination of study services to assist

the legislative management in conducting the behavioral health study under section 1 of this Act, for the biennium beginning July 1, 2013, and ending June 30, 2015."

Renumber accordingly

REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE

SB 2244: Human Services Committee (Sen. J. Lee, Chairman) recommends **AMENDMENTS AS FOLLOWS** and when so amended, recommends **DO PASS** and **BE REREFERRED** to the **Appropriations Committee** (5 YEAS, 0 NAYS, 0 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING). SB 2244 was placed on the Sixth order on the calendar.

Page 1, line 12, replace "\$400,000" with "\$200,000"

Renumber accordingly

REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE

SB 2256: Human Services Committee (Sen. J. Lee, Chairman) recommends **AMENDMENTS AS FOLLOWS** and when so amended, recommends **DO PASS** (5 YEAS, 0 NAYS, 0 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING). SB 2256 was placed on the Sixth order on the calendar.

Page 4, line 17, replace "appropriations" with "human services"

Renumber accordingly

REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE

SB 2269, as engrossed: Human Services Committee (Sen. J. Lee, Chairman) recommends **AMENDMENTS AS FOLLOWS** and when so amended, recommends **DO PASS** and **BE REREFERRED** to the **Appropriations Committee** (5 YEAS, 0 NAYS, 0 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING). Engrossed SB 2269 was placed on the Sixth order on the calendar.

Page 1, line 2, after "system" insert "; to provide for a health care consortium; and to provide an appropriation"

Page 1, after line 11, insert:

"SECTION 2. HEALTH CARE CONSORTIUM - REPORT TO LEGISLATIVE MANAGEMENT AND GOVERNOR.

1. The governor shall appoint a consortium that includes a broad scope of private sector stakeholders, members of the senate and the house of representatives, and representation from the statewide vision and strategy partnership for a healthier North Dakota and the university of North Dakota school of medicine and health sciences advisory council. The consortium shall receive and review information provided by the statewide vision and strategy partnership for a healthier North Dakota and the university of North Dakota school of medicine and health sciences advisory council, including the second annual report of the council. The consortium shall provide direct input to the legislative management interim committee that conducts the study provided for under section 1 of this Act. The consortium shall focus its efforts on addressing the immediate needs and challenges of the North Dakota health care delivery system, implementing the healthy North Dakota initiative, examining medicaid reform, and developing a plan for a private health care model that will comply with federal health care reform in a manner that will provide high quality, accessible, and affordable care for North Dakota citizens.
2. In developing the model health care system, the health care consortium shall:

- a. Consider population shifts, facility needs, personnel needs, rural access, regulatory public health functions, and vulnerable populations.
 - b. Determine the scope of the weaknesses in the current health care system and the scope of the model health care system.
 - c. Take into account the ongoing impact that federal health care reform under the federal Affordable Care Act is having on state delivery of health care and on state delivery of medicaid.
 - d. Work to forge partnerships with federal payers and regulators in order to work toward addressing medical reimbursement system reform.
3. The legislative management shall contract with a consultant to assist the health care consortium in developing a model health care system as required under subsection 2.
 4. Before June 1, 2014, the health care consortium shall report to the governor and to the legislative management on the status of the development of the model health care system as well as any recommendations.

SECTION 3. APPROPRIATION. There is appropriated out of any moneys in the general fund in the state treasury, not otherwise appropriated, the sum of \$75,000, or so much of the sum as may be necessary, to the legislative management for the purpose of funding the activities of the health care consortium under section 2 of this Act, for the biennium beginning July 1, 2013, and ending June 30, 2015."

Renumber accordingly

REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE

SB 2271: Human Services Committee (Sen. J. Lee, Chairman) recommends **AMENDMENTS AS FOLLOWS** and when so amended, recommends **DO PASS** and **BE REREFERRED** to the **Appropriations Committee** (5 YEAS, 0 NAYS, 0 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING). SB 2271 was placed on the Sixth order on the calendar.

Page 2, line 9, replace "One community rehabilitation provider" with "The executive director of the North Dakota association of community providers or a designee of the director"

Page 3, line 16, remove the underscored colon

Page 3, line 17, remove "a. With"

Page 3, line 17, overstrike "the approval of the governor,"

Page 3, line 17, remove "may"

Page 3, line 17, overstrike "appoint a full-time director to serve at"

Page 3, line 18, overstrike "the pleasure of the governor. For administrative purposes,"

Page 3, line 18, remove "a"

Page 3, line 18, overstrike "director"

Page 3, line 19, remove "appointed under this subdivision"

Page 3, line 19, overstrike "is an unclassified employee of the department"

Page 3, line 19, remove "of"

Page 3, line 20, remove "human services"

Page 3, line 20, overstrike "and is not included in the classified service."

Page 3, line 28, after the overstruck period insert an underscored colon

Page 3, line 29, replace "b." with "a."

Page 3, line 30, replace "c." with "b."

Page 4, line 19, replace "d." with "c."

Renumber accordingly

REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE

SB 2277: Finance and Taxation Committee (Sen. Cook, Chairman) recommends **AMENDMENTS AS FOLLOWS** and when so amended, recommends **DO NOT PASS** (4 YEAS, 3 NAYS, 0 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING). SB 2277 was placed on the Sixth order on the calendar.

Page 1, line 2, replace "an" with "a continuing"

Page 1, remove lines 10 through 14

Page 5, after line 1, insert:

"8. Notwithstanding any other provision of law, the state treasurer shall deposit in the home rule charter sales tax reimbursement fund, which is hereby created, a portion of the sales and use taxes collected under this chapter and chapter 57-40.2, equal to four million eight hundred fifty thousand dollars. The deposit to the fund must be made no later than July thirty-first of each year for the purpose of offsetting the reduction in city or county revenue lost from the exemption in this section. The revenues deposited in the home rule charter sales tax reimbursement fund are provided as a continuing appropriation for distribution by the state treasurer no later than August thirty-first of each year, in the amounts as certified by the tax commissioner, to the home rule cities and counties that impose a sales, use, or gross receipts tax. No later than June thirtieth of each year, the tax commissioner shall certify to the state treasurer the annual allocation of funds to the cities and counties prorated in proportion to the respective share of each city and county with respect to total annual statewide city and county home rule sales, use, or gross receipts tax collections in the previous calendar year."

Page 5, remove lines 2 through 6

Renumber accordingly

REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE

SB 2285: Human Services Committee (Sen. J. Lee, Chairman) recommends **DO NOT PASS** (5 YEAS, 0 NAYS, 0 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING). SB 2285 was placed on the Eleventh order on the calendar.

REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE

SB 2287: Industry, Business and Labor Committee (Sen. Klein, Chairman) recommends **AMENDMENTS AS FOLLOWS** and when so amended, recommends **DO PASS** (7 YEAS, 0 NAYS, 0 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING). SB 2287 was placed on the Sixth order on the calendar.

Page 1, line 2, after the semicolon insert "to repeal section 6-09.7-03 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the fuel production facility loan guarantee program;"

Page 1, line 3, remove "and"

Page 1, line 3, after the second "date" insert "; and to declare an emergency"

Page 2, line 2, overstrike the colon

Page 2, overstrike lines 3 through 8

Page 2, line 9, overstrike "2. Take" and insert immediately thereafter "take"

Page 2, line 11, after "the" insert "state"

Page 2, overstrike line 14

Page 2, line 15, overstrike "establish a method of application for the guaranteeing of loans"

Page 2, line 15, remove "that"

Page 2, line 15, overstrike "may be"

Page 2, overstrike lines 16 and 17

Page 3, line 1, overstrike "(Effective through July 31,"

Page 3, line 1, remove "2015"

Page 3, line 1, overstrike the second boldfaced parenthesis

Page 3, line 17, overstrike "(Effective after July 31,"

Page 3, line 17, remove "2015"

Page 3, line 17, overstrike ") Establishment and maintenance of adequate"

Page 3, overstrike lines 18 through 26

Page 3, line 27, overstrike "income in excess of that required to pay the cost of administering the program"

Page 3, line 27, remove "must"

Page 3, line 27, overstrike "be"

Page 3, overstrike line 28

Page 3, line 29, overstrike "determined by a formula"

Page 3, line 29, remove "that"

Page 3, line 29, overstrike "will assure, as determined by the Bank, an adequate amount"

Page 3, overstrike line 30

Page 3, after line 30, insert:

"SECTION 4. REPEAL. Section 6-09.7-03 of the North Dakota Century Code is repealed.

SECTION 5. EFFECTIVE DATE. Section 4 of this Act becomes effective August 1, 2015.

SECTION 6. EMERGENCY. This Act is declared to be an emergency measure."

Renumber accordingly

REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE

SB 2304: Industry, Business and Labor Committee (Sen. Klein, Chairman) recommends **AMENDMENTS AS FOLLOWS** and when so amended, recommends **DO PASS** (7 YEAS, 0 NAYS, 0 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING). SB 2304 was placed on the

Sixth order on the calendar.

Page 1, line 2, replace "background" with "record"

Page 1, line 4, replace "background" with "record"

Page 2, line 2, replace "background" with "record"

Page 2, line 3, remove "background"

Page 2, line 10, after "for" insert "the collection and transmission of fingerprints for"

Page 2, line 10, replace "background" with "record"

Renumber accordingly

REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE

SB 2306: Education Committee (Sen. Flakoll, Chairman) recommends **AMENDMENTS AS FOLLOWS** and when so amended, recommends **DO PASS** (6 YEAS, 0 NAYS, 0 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING). SB 2306 was placed on the Sixth order on the calendar.

Page 1, replace lines 7 through 11 with:

- "1. Annually, each school district may provide to middle school and high school teachers and administrators at least two hours of professional development relating to youth suicide risk indicators, appropriate staff responses, and referral sources.
2. The superintendent of public instruction shall collaborate with the state department of health to obtain and disseminate information and training materials to school districts and nonpublic schools, free of charge."

Renumber accordingly

REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE

SB 2321: Industry, Business and Labor Committee (Sen. Klein, Chairman) recommends **AMENDMENTS AS FOLLOWS** and when so amended, recommends **DO PASS** (7 YEAS, 0 NAYS, 0 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING). SB 2321 was placed on the Sixth order on the calendar.

Page 1, line 2, after "firefighters" insert "; and to provide for application"

Page 1, after line 17, insert:

"SECTION 2. APPLICATION. This Act applies to claims filed on or after the effective date of this Act."

Renumber accordingly

REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE

SB 2325: Finance and Taxation Committee (Sen. Cook, Chairman) recommends **AMENDMENTS AS FOLLOWS** and when so amended, recommends **DO PASS** (6 YEAS, 0 NAYS, 1 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING). SB 2325 was placed on the Sixth order on the calendar.

Page 1, line 8, replace "seventy-five" with "eighty-five"

Renumber accordingly

REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE

SB 2332: Education Committee (Sen. Flakoll, Chairman) recommends **AMENDMENTS AS FOLLOWS** and when so amended, recommends **DO NOT PASS** (4 YEAS, 2 NAYS, 0 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING). SB 2332 was placed on the Sixth order on the calendar.

Page 1, line 4, replace "\$191,106" with "\$600,000"

Page 1, line 14, replace "Resolve" with "Understand"

Renumber accordingly

REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE

SB 2342: Human Services Committee (Sen. J. Lee, Chairman) recommends **AMENDMENTS AS FOLLOWS** and when so amended, recommends **DO PASS** and **BE REREFERRED** to the **Appropriations Committee** (5 YEAS, 0 NAYS, 0 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING). SB 2342 was placed on the Sixth order on the calendar.

Page 1, line 3, remove "43-15.3-06,"

Page 1, line 12, remove ". medical gas, or medical equipment"

Page 1, line 16 remove ". medical gas, or medical equipment"

Page 4, line 26, remove ". medical gas, or medical equipment"

Page 9, line 30, after "for" insert "a"

Page 9, line 30, replace "wholesalers" with "wholesaler applicant."

Page 9, line 31, after "individual" insert "identified as the prescription drug wholesaler applicant's designated representative for the facility"

Page 10, line 1, after "individual" insert "identified by a prescription drug wholesaler applicant as a designated representative for a facility and therefore"

Page 17, remove lines 3 through 31

Page 18, remove lines 1 through 30

Page 19, remove lines 1 through 5

Page 22, line 25, remove ". medical gas, or"

Page 22, line 26, remove "medical equipment"

Page 22, line 28, remove ". medical gas, or medical equipment"

Page 22, line 28, remove the third underscored comma

Page 22, line 29, remove "medical gas, or medical equipment"

Page 22, line 30, remove ". medical gas, or medical equipment"

Page 23, line 2, remove ". medical gases, or medical equipment"

Page 23, line 19, remove ". medical gas, or medical equipment"

Page 23, line 20, remove "medical gas, or medical equipment."

Page 23, line 22, remove ". medical"

Page 23, line 23, remove "gas, or medical equipment"

Renumber accordingly

REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE

SB 2349: Industry, Business and Labor Committee (Sen. Klein, Chairman) recommends **AMENDMENTS AS FOLLOWS** and when so amended, recommends **DO NOT PASS** (5 YEAS, 2 NAYS, 0 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING). SB 2349 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 6-09 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to guaranteeing micro loans for new Americans; and to provide an appropriation.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY OF NORTH DAKOTA:

SECTION 1. A new section to chapter 6-09 of the North Dakota Century Code is created and enacted as follows:

New American micro loan guarantee program.

1. As used in this section, "new American" means an immigrant to the United States of America who has gained citizenship in the United States of America.
2. The Bank shall establish a micro loan guarantee program for new Americans. Under this program:
 - a. The Bank shall guarantee the loan of money by an eligible bank, credit union, or savings and loan association to an eligible new American for small business investments. In order to qualify under this section, a loan must be used for working capital, the purchase of inventory or supplies, the purchase of office furniture or fixtures, to launch or expand a small business, or to purchase machinery or equipment. The proceeds from a loan may not be used to purchase real estate.
 - b. The Bank may not guarantee more than ninety-five percent of the amount of principal due the lender in the event of default.
 - c. A qualified loan may not exceed twenty thousand dollars and must be unsecured. The term of a qualified loan may not exceed six years.
 - d. The Bank shall establish requirements that a new American meet training or planning requirements or both before qualifying under this program.
 - e. The Bank shall establish interest rates and fees.

SECTION 2. APPROPRIATION. There is appropriated out of any moneys in the general fund in the state treasury, not otherwise appropriated, the sum of \$200,000 or so much of the sum as may be necessary, to the Bank of North Dakota for the purpose of guaranteeing micro loans for new Americans, for the biennium beginning July 1, 2013, and ending June 30, 2015."

Renumber accordingly

REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE

SB 2350: Political Subdivisions Committee (Sen. Andrist, Chairman) recommends **AMENDMENTS AS FOLLOWS** and when so amended, recommends **DO PASS** and **BE REREFERRED** to the **Appropriations Committee** (6 YEAS, 0 NAYS, 0 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING). SB 2350 was placed on the Sixth order on the calendar.

Page 1, line 1, remove "supreme"

Page 1, line 1, after "court" insert "facility and maintenance fund"

Page 1, line 1, remove the second "the"

Page 1, line 2, replace "installation of metal detectors" with "security equipment"

Page 1, line 5, replace "\$3,975,000" with "\$250,000"

Page 1, line 6, remove "supreme"

Page 1, line 6, after "court" insert "facility and maintenance fund"

Page 1, line 7, replace "install metal detectors" with "purchase and install security equipment"

Page 1, line 8, replace "supreme" with "advisory committee of the"

Page 1, line 8, after "court" insert "facility and maintenance fund"

Page 1, line 8, remove "a grant of up to \$75,000 to each"

Page 1, line 9, replace the first "county" with "grants to counties"

Page 1, line 10, replace "10" with "twenty-five"

Page 1, line 10, after the period insert "In awarding grants, priority will be given to those counties that demonstrate the greatest need."

Renumber accordingly

REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE

SB 2353: Political Subdivisions Committee (Sen. Andrist, Chairman) recommends **AMENDMENTS AS FOLLOWS** and when so amended, recommends **DO PASS** and **BE REREFERRED** to the **Appropriations Committee** (6 YEAS, 0 NAYS, 0 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING). SB 2353 was placed on the Sixth order on the calendar.

Page 1, replace lines 8 through 16 with:

"The legislative assembly finds that effective radio communication is vital to public safety and effective emergency response and law enforcement and declares that a statewide integrated radio communication system will more effectively serve the goals of law enforcement and emergency response personnel and thereby better serve the people of North Dakota. Existing radio systems operated by local jurisdictions serve those jurisdictions adequately, but do not provide the protection and benefits to the citizens of North Dakota that new digital networks being utilized in neighboring states offer."

Page 1, line 20, after "a." insert: "The director of state radio or a designee:

b. "

Page 1, line 21, replace "b." with "c."

Page 1, line 22, replace "c." with "d."

Page 1, line 23, replace "d." with "e."

Page 1, line 24, replace "e." with "f."

Page 2, line 1, replace "f." with "g."

Page 2, line 2, replace "g." with "h."

Page 2, line 3, replace "h." with "i."

Page 2, after line 3, insert:

"j. A representative of the North Dakota police chiefs association:"

Page 2, line 4, replace "i." with "k."

Page 2, line 5, replace "j." with "l."

Page 2, line 5, after "The" insert "North Dakota"

Page 2, line 16, remove "consider studying issues related to the development of the current radio communication"

Page 2, remove lines 17 and 18

Page 2, line 19, replace "board" with "study issues relating to the development of the current radio communication plan, its costs and components, and evolving technologies that will better serve the public. The study must include the input of stakeholders statewide, including local city, local county, and state public service and public safety entities, including those members represented on the board"

Page 2, line 21, replace "\$5,000,000" with "\$100,000"

Page 2, line 24, remove "equipment to integrate into the state system at Grand"

Page 2, line 25, replace "Forks, Fargo, Wahpeton, Jamestown, and Bismarck" with "project 25 standards-based centralized core dispatch equipment to integrate into a statewide dispatch network open to all city, county, and state agencies within North Dakota"

Page 2, line 26, replace "Funds must be allocated" with "The statewide interoperability board shall allocate funds"

Renumber accordingly

REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE

SB 2366: Finance and Taxation Committee (Sen. Cook, Chairman) recommends **AMENDMENTS AS FOLLOWS** and when so amended, recommends **DO PASS** (6 YEAS, 0 NAYS, 1 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING). SB 2366 was placed on the Sixth order on the calendar.

Page 1, line 3, remove "and"

Page 1, line 3, after "date" insert "; and to provide an expiration date"

Page 2, line 13, after "**DATE**" insert "**- EXPIRATION DATE**"

Page 2, line 14, after "2012" insert ", through December 31, 2016, and after that date is ineffective"

Renumber accordingly

REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE

SCR 4010: Education Committee (Sen. Flakoll, Chairman) recommends **AMENDMENTS AS FOLLOWS** and when so amended, recommends **DO PASS** (6 YEAS, 0 NAYS, 0 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING). SCR 4010 was placed on the Sixth order on the calendar.

Page 2, line 3, remove "a."

Page 2, line 4, replace "three hundred million dollars" with "an amount equal to twenty percent of the grants - state school aid line item, as set forth in the prior biennium's appropriation bill for the superintendent of public instruction"

Page 2, line 4, remove ", except as provided in subdivision b"

Page 2, remove lines 5 through 9

Renumber accordingly

REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE

HB 1269, as engrossed: **Appropriations Committee (Sen. Holmberg, Chairman)** recommends **DO PASS** (12 YEAS, 0 NAYS, 1 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING). Engrossed HB 1269 was placed on the Fourteenth order on the calendar.

FIRST READING OF SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

Sens. Robinson, Schneider, Wardner and Reps. Amerman, J. Kelsh, Muscha introduced:

SCR 4018: A concurrent resolution directing the Legislative Management to study state agency facility needs including a review of options to construct state-owned facilities to meet those needs.

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

FIRST READING OF HOUSE BILLS

HB 1024: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 28-32-10 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to notice of administrative rulemaking implementing recent legislation and the depth of newspaper publication of notice of administrative rulemaking; and to provide an effective date.

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

HB 1025: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact subsection 3 of section 37-17.1-12 and sections 37-17.1-16 and 37-17.1-17 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to liability and immunity during disaster responses.

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

HB 1026: A BILL for an Act to create and enact chapters 4.1-72, 4.1-73, 4.1-74, 4.1-75, 4.1-83, and 4.1-88 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the North Dakota stockmen's association, livestock branding, estrays, registered livestock, and the licensing of livestock dealers and wool dealers; to repeal chapters 36-04, 36-09, 36-13, and 36-22 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to livestock branding, estrays, and the licensing of livestock dealers and wool dealers; to provide a penalty; to provide for a legislative management study; and to provide a continuing appropriation.

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

HB 1027: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact subsection 5 of section 39-06-17 and sections 39-06-42 and 39-06.1-11 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to driving under suspension and the issuance of temporary restricted motor vehicle operator's licenses.

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

HB 1028: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 15.1-18.2-04 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to concussion management program requirements.

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

HB 1029: 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 tax credit for contributions to the housing incentive fund; to amend and reenact subsection 3 of section 54-17-07.3 and sections 54-17-40, 54-17-41, and 57-38-01.32 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to a multifamily housing finance program and to the housing incentive fund and tax credits; to provide a continuing appropriation; to provide an effective date; to provide an expiration date; and to declare an emergency.

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

HB 1030: A BILL for an Act to provide that the present use and disposal of coal combustion residues is acceptable in North Dakota.

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

HB 1031: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact subsection 6 of section 54-17.7-02 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the bonding authority of the North Dakota pipeline authority for refineries.

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

HB 1034: A BILL for an Act to provide for a legislative management study of health care reform.

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

HB 1036: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact sections 23-01.1-01, 23-01.1-02, 23-01.1-04, and 23-01.1-07 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the membership and powers of the health care data committee, administrative authority of the health care data committee, and a civil penalty; to repeal section 23-01.1-02.1 and chapter 23-01.1 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the publication of comparative physician fee information and the health care data committee; and to provide an effective date.

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

HB 1042: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 28-04-05 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to actions having venue where the defendant resides.

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

HB 1043: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact sections 11-11-02 and 11-28.3-09, subsection 7 of section 12-60-26, section 15.1-20-04, subsection 2 of section 15.1-23-02, subsection 2 of section 28-32-10, subsection 1 of section 29-15-21, subsection 1 of section 43-44-07, sections 43-44-08 and 43-44-09, subsection 4 of section 43-44-10, subsection 1 of section 43-44-15, subsection 5 of section 57-64-02, section 64-02-09, and subsection 1 of section 65-02-35 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to technical corrections and improper, inaccurate, redundant, missing, or obsolete references; and to repeal section 54-03-01.11 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to obsolete provisions.

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

HB 1046: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 40-57.1-03 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to city or county authority to reduce or revoke a previously granted property tax exemption or option to make payments in lieu of taxes; and to provide an effective date.

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

HB 1047: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact sections 39-05-02.2, 39-05-03, and 39-19-06 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the international registration plan and the unified carrier registration system; and to repeal section 39-19-06.1 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the single state insurance registration system.

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

HB 1049: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact subdivisions b, o, and r of subsection 4 of section 57-40.6-10 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to standards and guidelines for public safety answering points.

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

HB 1054: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact subsections 2 and 3 of section 4.1-14-01 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to forage certification; and to declare an emergency.

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

HB 1056: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact sections 37-07-05 and 37-04-08 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to pay of national guard members when called to state active duty; and to declare an emergency.

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

HB 1057: A BILL for an Act to create and enact two new subsections to section 37-01-01, a new section to chapter 37-03, and section 37-01-10.2 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the definition and authority of the adjutant general to present awards; and to amend and reenact sections 37-01-09 and 37-01-10.1 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to service medals awarded to national guard members.

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

HB 1058: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact sections 54-52.1-02, 54-52.1-03.2, and 54-52.1-03.3 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to benefit coverage and health benefits credit for retired employees not eligible for medicare and retired employees eligible for medicare under the uniform group insurance program; and to provide a contingent effective date.

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

HB 1060: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact sections 61-36-01, 61-36-02, and 61-36-04 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the composition and duties of the Devils Lake outlets management advisory committee; and to repeal section 61-36-03 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to compensation and expenses of the Devils Lake outlet management advisory committee.

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

HB 1061: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact sections 61-03-23 and 61-04-30 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to penalties for violation of provisions for the appropriation of water; to provide a penalty; and to declare an emergency.

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

HB 1062: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact sections 61-16.1-53, 61-16.1-53.1, 61-32-07, and 61-32-08 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to appeals of removal or closing of a noncomplying dam, dike, or other device and drains.

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

HB 1064: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 49-07-05.1 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the maximum penalty for a violation of pipeline safety standards.

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

HB 1065: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact subsection 2 of section 11-07-04, subsection 5 of section 11-10.2-03, subsection 3 of section 11-10.3-02, and sections 11-12-05, 11-16-10, 11-16-13, 40-02-16, and 44-02-05 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to district judge involvement in determining county commissioner terms of office, appointing individuals to fill county commission vacancies, receiving written documents consenting to county reorganization plans, approving state's attorneys expenses, and appointing arbitrators for disputes between a township and a newly organized municipality; and to repeal sections 11-16-11 and 11-16-12 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to state's attorney submission of a statement of expenses to a district judge.

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

HB 1066: A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new section to chapter 24-01 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the Yellowstone trail.

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

HB 1068: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact sections 53-06.2-10.1 and 53-06.2-11 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to account wagering and payments to the funds administered by the North Dakota racing commission.

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

HB 1069: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact sections 32-12.2-15 and 32-12.2-16 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to authorization of agencies to limit the liability of certain contracting parties to the state.

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

HB 1070: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact sections 19-03.1-05, 19-03.1-09, 19-03.1-11, and 19-03.1-13 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the scheduling of controlled substances; and to declare an emergency.

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

HB 1072: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 19-02.1-15.1 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to a criminal penalty for serving as an agent, intermediary, or other entity causing use of the internet to bring together a buyer and seller for dispensing a controlled substance or other specified drug.

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

HB 1073: A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new section to chapter 27-02 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to declaration of a judicial emergency.

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

HB 1074: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 27-05.2-09 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to membership of the court facilities improvement advisory committee.

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

HB 1075: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 27-05-30 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to judicial referees.

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

HB 1087: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 19-01-07 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to fees collected by the state department of health for providing inspections; and to repeal sections 19-01-05 and 19-01-18 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to inspections performed by the sheriff and by the state department of health.

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

HB 1088: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact subsection 12 of section 23-01-05 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to state health officer written orders.

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

HB 1089: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 50-24.4-29 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to geropsychiatric facilities.

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

HB 1091: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact sections 43-12.1-02, 43-12.1-03, 43-12.1-05, 43-12.1-06, 43-12.1-08, 43-12.1-09, 43-12.1-09.1, 43-12.1-11, and 43-12.1-13 and subsection 1 of section 43-12.1-17 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to definitions concerning advanced practice registered nurses, licensed practical nurses, registered nurses, and specialty practice registered nurses, license and registration requirements, composition of the state board of nursing, qualifications of state board of nursing members, duties of the state board of nursing, initial licensure and registration, criminal history record checks, duties of licensees and registrants, disciplinary proceedings, and nursing education programs; and to repeal sections 43-12.1-18 and 43-12.1-20 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to nursing practice standards and continuing education requirements.

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

HB 1092: A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new section to chapter 43-37 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to licensing out-of-state audiologists and speech-language pathologists; to amend and reenact section 43-37-04 and subsection 2 of section 43-37-05 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the licensing of audiologists and the composition of the board of examiners on audiology and speech-language pathology; and to provide an effective date.

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

HB 1094: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact sections 43-42-01, 43-42-03, 43-42-04, and 43-42-05 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to respiratory care practitioners.

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

HB 1095: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 15.1-27-24 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the distribution of certain federal funds.

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

HB 1097: A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new subsection to section 57-39.2-12 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to electronic filing of sales and use tax returns and electronic payment of sales and use taxes; and to provide an effective date.

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

HB 1098: A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new subsection to section 57-38-57 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to disclosure of tax return information; and to amend and reenact subsection 18 of section 26.1-26-42 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to insurance producer license suspension, revocation, or

refusal.

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

HB 1100: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact subsection 2 of section 39-01-01 and subsection 2 of section 39-10-03 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to definitions of and lights used by authorized emergency vehicles.

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

HB 1101: A BILL for an Act to create and enact two new sections to chapter 50-31 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to opioid treatment programs; and to amend and reenact section 50-31-01 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to opioid treatment programs.

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

HB 1102: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 15-62.2-01 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the student financial assistance and scholars program.

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

HB 1103: A BILL for an Act to create and enact chapter 15-18.1 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to authority of the state board of higher education to provide authorizations to operate postsecondary educational institutions offering instruction at the associate in arts level or higher and to false academic degrees and accreditation mills; to amend and reenact subsections 1, 4, 7, and 10 of section 15-20.4-01, sections 15-20.4-02 and 15-20.4-02.1, subsections 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, and 8 of section 15-20.4-03, sections 15-20.4-03.1 and 15-20.4-04, subsections 1 and 2 of section 15-20.4-05, sections 15-20.4-06, 15-20.4-08, 15-20.4-09, and 15-20.4-13, and subsection 1 of section 15-20.4-14 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to authority of the state board for career and technical education to provide authorizations to operate private postsecondary career schools offering instruction at the level of no higher than the associate of applied science level; to repeal sections 15-20.4-15, 15-20.4-16, 15-20.4-17, and 15-20.4-18 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to false academic degrees and accreditation mills; and to provide a penalty.

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

HB 1104: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact subsection 2 of section 15-10-19.1 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the definition of nonresident and resident student for tuition purposes.

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

HB 1105: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact subdivision d of subsection 2 of section 57-38-30.3 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the expiration of federal income tax treatment of the long-term capital gain and qualified dividend income tax exclusion; and to provide an effective date.

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

HB 1106: A BILL for an Act to create and enact two new sections to chapter 57-02, three new sections to chapter 57-06, a new subsection to section 57-13-04, a new section to chapter 57-33.2, sections 57-36-09.6, 57-38-60.3, 57-39.2-15.3, 57-40.2-15.3, 57-43.1-17.5, 57-43.2-16.4, and 57-43.3-21.1 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to notice of township, city, and county equalization meetings, collection and certification of electric generation, transmission, and distribution taxes, appeals to the state board of equalization, and the liability of a general partner of a limited liability limited partnership for unpaid taxes; to amend and reenact section 23-27-04.7, subsection 5 of section 57-02-08.1, subsection 17 of section 57-06-06, sections 57-06-17.3, 57-33.2-16, and 57-38-01, subsection 5 of section 57-38-01.21, sections 57-38-01.22 and 57-38-01.23, subsection 2 of section 57-38-01.24, subsection 5 of section 57-38-01.25, subsections 2, 3, and 7 of section 57-38-01.26, subsection 9 of section 57-38-01.27, subsection 2 of section 57-38-01.31, subsection 9 of section 57-38-01.32, subsection 7 of section 57-38-01.33, subsections 6 and 12 of section 57-38-30.5, section 57-38.5-01, subsection 4 of section 57-38.5-03, section 57-38.6-01, subsection 4 of section 57-38.6-03, subsection 2 of section 57-39.2-04.8, and sections 57-40.2-15.2, 57-43.3-20, and 57-43.3-21 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the emergency medical services levy, the permanent and totally disabled property tax exemption

certifications, public utility reports, collection and certification of transmission line property tax, liability of a general partner of a limited liability limited partnership for unpaid taxes, income tax credit for blending biodiesel or green diesel fuel in this state, qualifying investments in angel funds, the definition of passthrough entity for income tax purposes, and the sales tax exemption for equipment and machinery used in a new coal mine; to repeal section 57-23-02 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to notice of township and city equalization meetings; to provide a penalty; to provide a continuing appropriation; and to provide an effective date.

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

HB 1107: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact subsection 10 of section 57-02-27.2 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to county implementation of soil survey data in agricultural property tax assessments; and to declare an emergency.

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

HB 1108: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 12-44.1-29 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to medication administration in correctional facilities.

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

HB 1109: A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new section to chapter 14-09 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to transfer of visitation rights of servicemembers; and to amend and reenact section 14-09-00.1 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to definitions.

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

HB 1110: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 50-33-02 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to eligibility decisions for child care assistance.

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

HB 1111: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact subsection 3 of section 52-04-07 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the prohibition of noncharging of unemployment compensation benefits attributable to the accounts of base period employers; and to provide for application.

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

HB 1112: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact subsection 2 of section 52-04-12 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to use of liens to collect contributions owed to job service North Dakota.

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

HB 1113: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact sections 10-30.5-02, 17-02-01, and 52-02.1-04 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the North Dakota development fund, incorporated, ethanol plant reporting to the budget section, and new jobs training; and to repeal chapter 54-62 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to faith-based and community initiatives.

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

HB 1114: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 30.1-26-04 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to delegation of the powers of a parent or guardian of a minor or incapacitated person; and to declare an emergency.

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

HB 1115: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact sections 12-59-03, 12-59-04, 12-59-05, 12-59-07, 12-59-08, 12-59-09, and 12-59-10 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to parole.

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

HB 1117: A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new section to chapter 26.1-02 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to consumer assistance records received by the insurance commissioner.

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

HB 1118: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact sections 12-47-06 and 54-23.3-05 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the appointing authority of the director of the department of corrections and rehabilitation.

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

HB 1119: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 12-47-12 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to authority of the warden of the state penitentiary to make rules.

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

HB 1120: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 37-17.1-10 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to authority to issue mandatory evacuations during emergencies.

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

HB 1121: A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new section to chapter 24-12 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to private actions impacting highway facilities or right of way.

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

HB 1122: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 39-04.2-04 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to public transportation funding.

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

HB 1123: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 39-08-09 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to immediate notification of an accident.

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

HB 1124: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact subsection 1 of section 39-12-02 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to permits for oversize and overweight vehicles.

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

HB 1125: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 39-04-17 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to notarized certificates for vehicle registration; and to declare an emergency.

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

HB 1127: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 41-04.1-08 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to funds transfers under the Uniform Commercial Code; and to declare an emergency.

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

HB 1128: A BILL for an Act to create and enact chapter 14-03.2 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the Uniform Premarital and Marital Agreements Act; and to repeal chapter 14-03.1 and section 30.1-05-07 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the Uniform Premarital Agreement Act and the waiver of right to elect of a surviving spouse.

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

HB 1129: A BILL for an Act to create and enact chapter 46-03.1 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the enactment of the Uniform Electronic Legal Material Act.

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

HB 1133: A BILL to create and enact a new section to chapter 19-03.1 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to controlled substance analogs; to amend and reenact subsection 7 of section 12-44.1-21, subsection 5 of section 12-46-24, subsection 7 of section 12-47-21, section 19-03.1-01, subdivision b of subsection 1 of section 19-03.1-23, and subsection 7 of section 19-03.1-23 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to controlled substance analogs; to provide a penalty; and to declare an emergency.

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

HB 1136: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact subsection 3 of section 41-09-135 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to article 9 of the Uniform Commercial Code.

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

HB 1137: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 54-10-27 of the North Dakota

Century Code, relating to audits of occupational and professional boards.
Was read the first time and referred to the **Political Subdivisions Committee**.

HB 1139: A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new subsection to section 39-12-05.3 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to weight exemption for implements of husbandry.

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

HB 1141: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 20.1-13-10 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to towing an individual on water skis or similar devices.

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

HB 1142: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 39-04.2-04 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to distributions from the public transportation fund; and to provide a continuing appropriation.

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

HB 1146: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact sections 15.1-01-01, 15.1-12-05, 15.1-12-09.1, 15.1-12-10, and 15.1-12-27 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the state board of public school education and school district annexation, reorganization, and dissolution proceedings.

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

HB 1150: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact sections 26.1-13-12 and 26.1-13-15 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to county mutual insurance companies.

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

HB 1152: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact subsection 1 of section 39-22-15 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to motor vehicle dealer records.

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

HB 1154: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 43-36-10 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to application requirements for registration as a professional soil classifier; and to provide for a legislative management study.

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

HB 1155: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact subsection 4 of section 54-23.4-06 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to compensation for criminally injurious conduct reporting requirement.

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

HB 1156: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact sections 11-09.1-03 and 11-09.1-04 and subsection 6 of section 11-09.1-04.1 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to county home rule.

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

HB 1157: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 24-05-04 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to county road machinery.

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

HB 1158: A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new section to chapter 45-13 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to treatment of a partnership's omitted assets.

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

HB 1163: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact paragraph 7 of subdivision b of subsection 10 of section 65-01-02 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to workers' compensation definitions of compensable injury; and to provide for application.

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

HB 1164: A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new section to chapter 6-03 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to a standard of conduct for directors of financial institutions.

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

HB 1166: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact subsection 2 of section 40-63-04 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the business or investment income tax exemption for the purchase, lease, or rehabilitation of property within a renaissance zone; and to provide an effective date.

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

HB 1167: A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new section to chapter 21-10 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the definition of earnings of the legacy fund.

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

HB 1171: A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new chapter to title 26.1 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to unclaimed life insurance benefits; and to amend and reenact section 47-30.1-07 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the state's unclaimed property act.

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

HB 1173: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 54-35-24 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the expiration date of the commission on alternatives to incarceration.

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

HB 1177: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 2-06-06, subsection 7 of section 4.1-47-06, sections 11-09.1-02, 11-11.1-02, 11-28-02, and 11-33-05, subsection 1 of section 11-36-07, subsection 2 of section 11-37-05, sections 23-11-05 and 23-24-05, subsection 6 of section 23-35-03, section 40-23-02, subsection 3 of section 40-38-03, subsection 4 of section 50-01.1-04, and sections 50-01.2-02 and 61-04.1-25 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to compensation of members of political subdivision boards and committees.

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

HB 1178: A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new section to chapter 57-06 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to a penalty for continued failure of a public utility company to submit reports; to amend and reenact sections 57-06-09 and 57-06-21 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to extensions of time for utility company reporting and applicable penalties and due dates for filing reports with the county auditor and tax commissioner; and to provide an effective date.

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

HB 1181: A BILL for an Act to create and enact section 26.1-44-03.2 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to domestic surplus lines insurers.

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

HB 1185: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 6-09-46 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to extension of the rebuilders loan program; to provide an exemption; and to declare an emergency.

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

HB 1187: A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new section to chapter 39-06 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to renewal of operator's licenses.

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

HB 1191: A BILL for an Act to provide for security interests in rents.

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

HB 1193: A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new section to chapter 44-11 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to appointment of a special commissioner to preside over removal proceedings; to amend and reenact sections 44-11-01, 44-11-02, 44-11-03, 44-11-04, 44-11-06, 44-11-07, 44-11-09, 44-11-10, 44-11-11, and 44-11-12 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to proceedings to remove officials from office; and to repeal sections 44-11-05, 44-11-13, and 44-11-14 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to taking of testimony, appeals, and assessment of costs on removal proceedings.

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

HB 1194: 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 short-term insurance; and to provide a penalty.
Was read the first time and referred to the **Industry, Business and Labor Committee**.

HB 1195: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 20.1-03-27 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to carrying a game and fish license.
Was read the first time and referred to the **Natural Resources Committee**.

HB 1196: A BILL for an Act to create and enact section 26.1-30-03.1 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to issuance of insurance policies in foreign languages.
Was read the first time and referred to the **Industry, Business and Labor Committee**.

HB 1197: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 12.1-23-11 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to identity theft; and to provide a penalty.
Was read the first time and referred to the **Judiciary Committee**.

HB 1201: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 50-24.1-32 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to medical assistance services provided by physician assistants.
Was read the first time and referred to the **Human Services Committee**.

HB 1207: A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new subsection to section 44-06.1-09 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to notarial acts performed in this state and bordering states; to amend and reenact subsection 1 of section 44-06.1-16, section 44-06.1-18, subsection 5 of section 44-06.1-21, and section 44-06.1-22 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to notary stamps, the use of civil penalties collected by the secretary of state, and implementation of a notary public database; to provide an effective date; and to declare an emergency.
Was read the first time and referred to the **Political Subdivisions Committee**.

HB 1214: A BILL for an Act to repeal section 14 of chapter 149 of the 2009 Session Laws, relating to the parenting coordinator program and elimination of the expiration date for chapter 14-09.2 of the North Dakota Century Code; and to declare an emergency.
Was read the first time and referred to the **Human Services Committee**.

HB 1217: A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new section to chapter 15.1-21 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to instruction in personal finance at the middle school level.
Was read the first time and referred to the **Education Committee**.

HB 1226: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 57-12-09 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to notice of increased assessment for property tax purposes; and to provide an effective date.
Was read the first time and referred to the **Finance and Taxation Committee**.

HB 1227: A BILL for an Act to create and enact section 19-20.1-17.1 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the imposition of civil penalties; to amend and reenact sections 19-20.1-02, 19-20.1-03, 19-20.1-03.1, 19-20.1-03.3, 19-20.1-03.4, 19-20.1-04, 19-20.1-06, 19-20.1-08, 19-20.1-10, 19-20.1-11, 19-20.1-12, 19-20.1-13, 19-20.1-14, 19-20.1-15, 19-20.1-16, 19-20.1-17, and 19-20.1-18 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to fertilizers, fertilizer materials, micronutrients, specialty fertilizers, soil amendments, and plant amendments; to repeal sections 19-20.1-01, 19-20.1-05.1, and 19-20.1-07 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the agriculture commissioner and storage and fees; and to provide a penalty.
Was read the first time and referred to the **Agriculture Committee**.

HB 1229: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 15-20.1-23 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the North Dakota elementary student entrepreneurship program.
Was read the first time and referred to the **Education Committee**.

HB 1230: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact subsection 1 of section 15-39.1-09 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to expiration of the increase in teachers' fund for retirement member and employer contributions.
Was read the first time and referred to the **Government and Veterans Affairs Committee**.

HB 1236: A BILL for an Act to create and enact section 57-39.5-06 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to payment of farm machinery gross receipts taxes under a lease agreement; to amend and reenact sections 57-39.5-01, 57-39.5-01.1, and 57-39.5-02 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to farm machinery gross receipts tax application in lease or rental agreements and what qualifies as used farm machinery for farm machinery gross receipts tax purposes; and to provide an effective date.

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

HB 1241: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 62.1-02-04 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to a firearm or dangerous weapon in a gaming site.

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

HB 1243: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact sections 6-08-16 and 6-08-16.2 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to issuance of checks without sufficient funds or without an account.

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

HB 1252: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 58-08-01 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to compensation of township treasurers.

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

HB 1258: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 15.1-21-02.5 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to eligibility requirements for the North Dakota academic scholarship.

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

HB 1260: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact subsection 1 of section 62.1-02-01.1 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to jurisdiction for petitions to restore firearm rights.

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

HB 1263: A BILL for an Act to create and enact paragraphs 37, 38, and 39 to subdivision a of subsection 3 of section 39-06.1-10 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to demerit points for driving without liability insurance; and to amend and reenact section 39-06.1-05, subdivision b subsection 3 of section 39-06.1-10, and section 39-08-20 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to procedures and demerit points for driving without liability insurance.

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

HB 1267: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 47-16-30.1 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to disposal of abandoned property by a lessor.

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

HB 1268: A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new section to chapter 15.1-21 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the driver education curriculum.

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

HB 1270: A BILL for an Act to provide for open and fair competition in governmental construction; to provide for application; and to declare an emergency.

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

HB 1276: A BILL for an Act to create and enact section 15.1-19-23 and a new subdivision to subsection 9 of section 43-12.1-04 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to medication administration in primary or secondary schools and exemptions from the Nurse Practices Act.

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

HB 1280: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 12.1-23-11 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the unauthorized use of personal identifying information; and to provide a penalty.

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

HB 1282: A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new section to chapter 20.1-01 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to using a suppressor for hunting.

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

HB 1287: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact sections 15.1-21-02.4 and 15.1-21-02.5 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to eligibility for North Dakota career and technical scholarships and North Dakota academic scholarships.

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

HB 1294: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact sections 54-58-03, 57-51.2-01, subsection 3 of section 57-51.2-02, and section 57-51.2-04 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to negotiation of tribal-state gaming contracts and the three affiliated tribes oil and gas agreement.

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

HB 1310: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 37-14-18 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to eligibility of county veterans' service officers to be appointed as conservators.

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

HB 1320: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 12.1-17-07 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to harassment offenses through electronic communications.

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

HB 1321: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact subsection 2 of section 39-06.1-06 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the penalty for overtaking a schoolbus.

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

HB 1322: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 20.1-02-05.1 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to game and fish department land purchases.

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

HB 1326: A BILL for an Act to create and enact six new sections to chapter 19-13.1 and sections 19-13.1-06.1 and 19-13.1-06.2 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the manufacturing and distribution of commercial feed; to amend and reenact sections 19-13.1-02, 19-13.1-04, 19-13.1-06, 19-13.1-07, 19-13.1-08, 19-13.1-09, 19-13.1-11, 19-13.1-12, and 19-13.1-13 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the manufacturing and distribution of commercial feed; to repeal sections 19-13.1-01, 19-13.1-03, and 19-13.1-10 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to rules, enforcement, and registration and licensing requirements applicable to commercial feed; and to provide a penalty.

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

HB 1336: A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new subsection to section 20.1-08-04 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the proclamation for paddlefish tags; and to amend and reenact subsections 22 and 23 of section 20.1-03-12 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to paddlefish tag license fees.

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

HB 1337: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact subsection 4 of section 54-03-20 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to housing reimbursement for members of the legislative assembly.

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

HB 1340: A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new section to chapter 54-09 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to records filed with the secretary of state; and to amend and reenact subsection 1 of section 35-13-02, subsection 6 of section 41-09-73, and subsection 7 of section 54-09-04 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to confidential information in the possession of the secretary of state and fees collected by the secretary of state.

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

HB 1350: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 38-11.1-07 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to statute of limitations for actions for injury due to oil and gas production.

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

HB 1357: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 47-14-09 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to usury and pawnbrokers.

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

HB 1361: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact sections 15.1-09-13, 16.1-04-02, 16.1-07-09, 16.1-07-10, 16.1-07-11, 16.1-07-12, and 21-03-11, subsection 4 of section 40-21-02, and section 40-21-16 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to election precincts and voting places.

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

HB 1371: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 11-10-02.3 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the appointment of state's attorneys.

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

HB 1372: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact subsection 5 of section 16.1-01-09 and subsections 1, 5, and 7 of section 16.1-01-09.1 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to requirements for initiative, referendum, and recall petitions.

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

HB 1391: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 40-08-05 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to qualifications of city council members.

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

HB 1401: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact sections 15.1-09-14, 15.1-09-15, 15.1-09-16, 15.1-09-17, and 16.1-15-17 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the date for the canvass of an election.

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

HB 1402: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact subsection 2 of section 16.1-01-09 and subsection 2 of section 16.1-01-09.1 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the requirements for initiated, referendum, and recall petitions.

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

HB 1417: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact sections 27-08.1-01 and 27-08.1-03 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to limits on small claims court actions.

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

HB 1435: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact sections 12.1-23-11, 51-30-01, and 51-30-06 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to medical information identity theft.

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

FIRST READING OF HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTIONS

HCR 3001: A concurrent resolution directing the Legislative Management to study issues related to development of group housing and crew camps, including infrastructure demands, health and safety requirements, regulation, and enforcement of regulatory violations.

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

HCR 3004: A concurrent resolution directing the Legislative Management to study the Uniform Certificate of Title for Vessels Act.

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

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

William R. Horton, Secretary

