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Bismarck, January 29, 2021

The Senate convened at 12:30 p.m., with President Sanford presiding.

The prayer was offered by Pastor Rich Wyatt, Living Hope Church of the Nazarene, Bismarck.

The roll was called and all members were present except Senator Schaible.

A quorum was declared by the President.

MOTION

SEN. KLEIN MOVED that SB 2124, which is on the Eleventh order, be laid over one legislative day, which motion prevailed.

CONSIDERATION OF AMENDMENTS

SB 2166: SEN. DWYER (Judiciary 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 2194: SEN. ANDERSON (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 2192: SEN. J. ROERS (Finance and Taxation 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 2191: SEN. BURCKHARD (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 2164: SEN. ANDERSON (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 2263: SEN. J. ROERS (Energy and 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.

SECOND READING OF SENATE BILL

SB 2265: A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new section to chapter 14-10 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to allowing unaccompanied homeless minors to access health care without parental consent.

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 44 YEAS, 2 NAYS, 0 EXCUSED, 1 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING.

YEAS: Anderson; Bakke; Bekkedahl; Burckhard; Clemens; Conley; Davison; Dever; Dwyer; Elkin; Erbele; Fors; Heckaman; Heitkamp; Hogan; Hogue; Holmberg; Kannianen; Klein; Krebsbach; Kreun; Larsen, D.; Larson, D.; Lee; Lemm; Luick; Marcellais;

Mathern; Meyer; Oban; Oehlke; Patten; Piepkorn; Poolman; Roers, J.; Roers, K.; Rust; Sorvaag; Unruh Bell; Vedaa; Wanzek; Wardner; Weber; Wobbema

NAYS: Larsen, O.; Myrdal

ABSENT AND NOT VOTING: Schaible

SB 2265 passed.

SECOND READING OF SENATE BILL

SB 2186: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact subdivision y of subsection 2 of section 12-60-24, subdivision f of subsection 1 of section 15.1-06-06, and subdivision e of subsection 1 of section 15.1-06-06.1 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to verification of criminal history background checks for public and nonpublic school employees.

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 6 YEAS, 40 NAYS, 0 EXCUSED, 1 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING.

YEAS: Bakke; Clemens; Heckaman; Marcellais; Mathern; Piepkorn

NAYS: Anderson; Bekkedahl; Burckhard; Conley; Davison; Dever; Dwyer; Elkin; Erbele; Fors; Heitkamp; Hogan; Hogue; Holmberg; Kannianen; Klein; Krebsbach; Kreun; Larsen, D.; Larsen, O.; Larson, D.; Lee; Lemm; Luick; Meyer; Myrdal; Oban; Oehlke; Patten; Poolman; Roers, J.; Roers, K.; Rust; Sorvaag; Unruh Bell; Vedaa; Wanzek; Wardner; Weber; Wobbema

ABSENT AND NOT VOTING: Schaible

SB 2186 failed.

SECOND READING OF SENATE BILL

SB 2273: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 19-03.1-22.1 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the inhalation of vapors; and to provide a penalty.

ROLL CALL

The question being on the final passage of the bill, which has been read, and has committee recommendation of DO PASS, the roll was called and there were 37 YEAS, 9 NAYS, 0 EXCUSED, 1 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING.

YEAS: Anderson; Bakke; Bekkedahl; Burckhard; Clemens; Conley; Dever; Dwyer; Erbele; Fors; Heckaman; Heitkamp; Hogan; Hogue; Kannianen; Klein; Krebsbach; Kreun; Larson, D.; Lee; Lemm; Luick; Marcellais; Mathern; Meyer; Myrdal; Oehlke; Patten; Poolman; Roers, J.; Roers, K.; Rust; Sorvaag; Wanzek; Wardner; Weber; Wobbema

NAYS: Davison; Elkin; Holmberg; Larsen, D.; Larsen, O.; Oban; Piepkorn; Unruh Bell; Vedaa

ABSENT AND NOT VOTING: Schaible

SB 2273 passed.

SECOND READING OF SENATE BILL

SB 2182: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 29-05-20 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to attorney visitation.

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; Bakke; Bekkedahl; Burckhard; Clemens; Conley; Davison; Dever; Dwyer; Elkin; Erbele; Fors; Heckaman; Heitkamp; Hogan; Hogue; Holmberg; Kannianen; Klein; Krebsbach; Kreun; Larsen, D.; Larsen, O.; Larson, D.; Lee; Lemm; Luick; Marcellais; Mathern; Meyer; Myrdal; Oban; Oehlke; Patten; Piepkorn; Poolman; Roers, J.; Roers, K.; Rust; Sorvaag; Unruh Bell; Vedaa; Wanzek; Wardner; Weber; Wobbema

ABSENT AND NOT VOTING: Schaible

SB 2182 passed.

SECOND READING OF SENATE BILL

SB 2178: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact subsection 2 of section 12-48.1-02 and section 12-59-02 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to eligibility for release programs and parole board compensation.

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

YEAS: Anderson; Bakke; Bekkedahl; Burckhard; Clemens; Conley; Davison; Dever; Dwyer; Elkin; Erbele; Fors; Heckaman; Heitkamp; Hogan; Hogue; Holmberg; Kannianen; Klein; Krebsbach; Kreun; Larsen, D.; Larson, D.; Lee; Lemm; Luick; Marcellais; Mathern; Meyer; Myrdal; Oban; Oehlke; Patten; Piepkorn; Poolman; Roers, J.; Roers, K.; Rust; Sorvaag; Unruh Bell; Vedaa; Wanzek; Wardner; Weber; Wobbema

NAYS: Larsen, O.

ABSENT AND NOT VOTING: Schaible

SB 2178 passed.

SECOND READING OF SENATE BILL

SB 2222: A BILL for an Act to create and enact chapter 26.1-36.8 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to requirements of health insurance policies; to amend and reenact section 50-24.1-37 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to continuation of Medicaid Expansion; to repeal sections 40 and 41 of chapter 11 of the 2017 Session Laws, relating to repeal of the Medicaid Expansion program; to provide for application; and to provide a contingent effective date.

REQUEST

SEN. MATHERN REQUESTED that the Senate divide SB 2222, which request was granted.

DIVISION A: Sections 1, 3, 4, and 5 of the bill

DIVISION B: Section 2 of the bill

ROLL CALL

The question being on the final adoption of Division A of SB 2222, the roll was called and there were 7 YEAS, 39 NAYS, 0 EXCUSED, 1 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING.

YEAS: Bakke; Heckaman; Hogan; Marcellais; Mathern; Oban; Piepkorn

NAYS: Anderson; Bekkedahl; Burckhard; Clemens; Conley; Davison; Dever; Dwyer; Elkin; Erbele; Fors; Heitkamp; Hogue; Holmberg; Kannianen; Klein; Krebsbach; Kreun;

Larsen, D.; Larsen, O.; Larson, D.; Lee; Lemm; Luick; Meyer; Myrdal; Oehlke; Patten; Poolman; Roers, J.; Roers, K.; Rust; Sorvaag; Unruh Bell; Vedaa; Wanzek; Wardner; Weber; Wobbema

ABSENT AND NOT VOTING: Schaible

Division A of SB 2222 failed on a recorded roll call vote.

ROLL CALL

The question being on the final adoption of Division B of SB 2222, the roll was called and there were 7 YEAS, 39 NAYS, 0 EXCUSED, 1 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING.

YEAS: Bakke; Heckaman; Hogan; Marcellais; Mathern; Oban; Piepkorn

NAYS: Anderson; Bekkedahl; Burckhard; Clemens; Conley; Davison; Dever; Dwyer; Elkin; Erbele; Fors; Heitkamp; Hogue; Holmberg; Kannianen; Klein; Krebsbach; Kreun; Larsen, D.; Larsen, O.; Larson, D.; Lee; Lemm; Luick; Meyer; Myrdal; Oehlke; Patten; Poolman; Roers, J.; Roers, K.; Rust; Sorvaag; Unruh Bell; Vedaa; Wanzek; Wardner; Weber; Wobbema

ABSENT AND NOT VOTING: Schaible

Division B of SB 2222 failed on a recorded roll call vote.

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 7 YEAS, 39 NAYS, 0 EXCUSED, 1 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING.

YEAS: Bakke; Heckaman; Hogan; Marcellais; Mathern; Oban; Piepkorn

NAYS: Anderson; Bekkedahl; Burckhard; Clemens; Conley; Davison; Dever; Dwyer; Elkin; Erbele; Fors; Heitkamp; Hogue; Holmberg; Kannianen; Klein; Krebsbach; Kreun; Larsen, D.; Larsen, O.; Larson, D.; Lee; Lemm; Luick; Meyer; Myrdal; Oehlke; Patten; Poolman; Roers, J.; Roers, K.; Rust; Sorvaag; Unruh Bell; Vedaa; Wanzek; Wardner; Weber; Wobbema

ABSENT AND NOT VOTING: Schaible

SB 2222 failed.

SECOND READING OF SENATE BILL

SB 2134: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact sections 25-01.3-01, 25-01.3-06, and 25-01.3-08 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to duties of the protection and advocacy project.

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 43 YEAS, 3 NAYS, 0 EXCUSED, 1 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING.

YEAS: Anderson; Bakke; Bekkedahl; Burckhard; Clemens; Conley; Davison; Dever; Dwyer; Elkin; Erbele; Fors; Heckaman; Hogan; Hogue; Holmberg; Kannianen; Klein; Krebsbach; Kreun; Larson, D.; Lee; Lemm; Luick; Marcellais; Mathern; Meyer; Myrdal; Oban; Oehlke; Patten; Piepkorn; Poolman; Roers, J.; Roers, K.; Rust; Sorvaag; Unruh Bell; Vedaa; Wanzek; Wardner; Weber; Wobbema

NAYS: Heitkamp; Larsen, D.; Larsen, O.

ABSENT AND NOT VOTING: Schaible

Engrossed SB 2134 passed.

SECOND READING OF SENATE BILL

SB 2128: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 43-17-42 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the corporate practice of medicine by nonprofit entities and charitable trusts; and to declare an emergency.

ROLL CALL

The question being on the final passage of the amended bill, which has been read, and has committee recommendation of DO PASS, the roll was called and there were 45 YEAS, 1 NAYS, 0 EXCUSED, 1 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING.

YEAS: Anderson; Bakke; Bekkedahl; Burckhard; Clemens; Conley; Davison; Dever; Dwyer; Elkin; Erbele; Fors; Heckaman; Heitkamp; Hogan; Hogue; Holmberg; Kannianen; Klein; Krebsbach; Kreun; Larsen, D.; Larson, D.; Lee; Lemm; Luick; Marcellais; Mathern; Meyer; Myrdal; Oban; Oehlke; Patten; Piepkorn; Poolman; Roers, J.; Roers, K.; Rust; Sorvaag; Unruh Bell; Vedaa; Wanzek; Wardner; Weber; Wobbema

NAYS: Larsen, O.

ABSENT AND NOT VOTING: Schaible

Engrossed SB 2128 passed and the emergency clause was declared carried.

SECOND READING OF SENATE BILL

SB 2083: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact sections 50-25.1-02, 50-25.1-03, 50-25.1-03.1, 50-25.1-04, 50-25.1-04.1, 50-25.1-04.2, 50-25.1-04.3, 50-25.1-05, 50-25.1-05.1, 50-25.1-05.2, 50-25.1-05.3, 50-25.1-05.4, 50-25.1-05.5, 50-25.1-05.6, 50-25.1-06, 50-25.1-07, 50-25.1-09.1, 50-25.1-11, 50-25.1-13, 50-25.1-14, 50-25.1-15, 50-25.1-16, 50-25.1-18, 50-25.1-19, 50-25.1-20, 50-25.1-21, 50-25.1-22, and 50-25.1-23 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to child abuse and neglect; and to provide a penalty.

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; Bakke; Bekkedahl; Burckhard; Clemens; Conley; Davison; Dever; Dwyer; Elkin; Erbele; Fors; Heckaman; Heitkamp; Hogan; Hogue; Holmberg; Kannianen; Klein; Krebsbach; Kreun; Larsen, D.; Larsen, O.; Larson, D.; Lee; Lemm; Luick; Marcellais; Mathern; Meyer; Myrdal; Oban; Oehlke; Patten; Piepkorn; Poolman; Roers, J.; Roers, K.; Rust; Sorvaag; Unruh Bell; Vedaa; Wanzek; Wardner; Weber; Wobbema

ABSENT AND NOT VOTING: Schaible

Engrossed SB 2083 passed.

SECOND READING OF SENATE BILL

SB 2130: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 54-03-28 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to a cost-benefit analysis for mandated health insurance coverage measures.

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

YEAS: Anderson; Bakke; Bekkedahl; Burckhard; Clemens; Conley; Davison; Dever; Dwyer; Elkin; Erbele; Fors; Heckaman; Heitkamp; Hogan; Hogue; Holmberg; Kannianen;

Klein; Krebsbach; Kreun; Larsen, D.; Larson, D.; Lee; Lemm; Luick; Marcellais; Mathern; Meyer; Myrdal; Oban; Oehlke; Patten; Piepkorn; Poolman; Roers, J.; Roers, K.; Rust; Sorvaag; Unruh Bell; Vedaa; Wanzek; Wardner; Weber; Wobbema

NAYS: Larsen, O.

ABSENT AND NOT VOTING: Schaible

Engrossed SB 2130 passed.

SECOND READING OF SENATE BILL

SB 2132: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 14-09-09.38 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the child support obligation of an incarcerated parent.

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; Bakke; Bekkedahl; Burckhard; Clemens; Conley; Davison; Dever; Dwyer; Elkin; Erbele; Fors; Heckaman; Heitkamp; Hogan; Hogue; Holmberg; Kannianen; Klein; Krebsbach; Kreun; Larsen, D.; Larsen, O.; Larson, D.; Lee; Lemm; Luick; Marcellais; Mathern; Meyer; Myrdal; Oban; Oehlke; Patten; Piepkorn; Poolman; Roers, J.; Roers, K.; Rust; Sorvaag; Unruh Bell; Vedaa; Wanzek; Wardner; Weber; Wobbema

ABSENT AND NOT VOTING: Schaible

Engrossed SB 2132 passed.

SECOND READING OF SENATE BILL

SB 2261: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact sections 43-10.1-01 and 43-10.1-03.1 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to irrevocable itemized funeral contracts and Medicaid assets exempt for funeral expenses; and to declare an emergency.

ROLL CALL

The question being on the final passage of the amended bill, which has been read, and has committee recommendation of DO PASS, the roll was called and there were 46 YEAS, 0 NAYS, 0 EXCUSED, 1 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING.

YEAS: Anderson; Bakke; Bekkedahl; Burckhard; Clemens; Conley; Davison; Dever; Dwyer; Elkin; Erbele; Fors; Heckaman; Heitkamp; Hogan; Hogue; Holmberg; Kannianen; Klein; Krebsbach; Kreun; Larsen, D.; Larsen, O.; Larson, D.; Lee; Lemm; Luick; Marcellais; Mathern; Meyer; Myrdal; Oban; Oehlke; Patten; Piepkorn; Poolman; Roers, J.; Roers, K.; Rust; Sorvaag; Unruh Bell; Vedaa; Wanzek; Wardner; Weber; Wobbema

ABSENT AND NOT VOTING: Schaible

Engrossed SB 2261 passed and the emergency clause was declared carried.

SECOND READING OF SENATE BILL

SB 2060: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact sections 43-06-01, 43-06-02, 43-06-04, 43-06-04.1, 43-06-05, 43-06-08, 43-06-09, 43-06-10.1, 43-06-11, 43-06-13, 43-06-15, 43-06-16.1, and 43-06-18 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the state board of chiropractic examiners and the practice of chiropractic; and to repeal sections 43-06-10 and 43-06-12 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the state board of chiropractic examiners and the practice of chiropractic.

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 43 YEAS, 3 NAYS, 0 EXCUSED, 1 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING.

YEAS: Anderson; Bakke; Bekkedahl; Burckhard; Clemens; Conley; Davison; Dever; Dwyer; Elkin; Erbele; Fors; Heckaman; Heitkamp; Hogan; Hogue; Holmberg; Kannianen; Krebsbach; Kreun; Larsen, D.; Larsen, O.; Larson, D.; Lee; Lemm; Luick; Mathern; Meyer; Myrdal; Oban; Oehlke; Patten; Piepkorn; Roers, J.; Roers, K.; Rust; Sorvaag; Unruh Bell; Vedaa; Wanzek; Wardner; Weber; Wobbema

NAYS: Klein; Marcellais; Poolman

ABSENT AND NOT VOTING: Schaible

Engrossed SB 2060 passed.

SECOND READING OF SENATE BILL

SB 2034: A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new section to chapter 54-66 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to written advisory opinions regarding ethics.

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 42 YEAS, 4 NAYS, 0 EXCUSED, 1 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING.

YEAS: Anderson; Bakke; Bekkedahl; Burckhard; Clemens; Conley; Davison; Dever; Dwyer; Erbele; Fors; Heckaman; Heitkamp; Hogan; Hogue; Holmberg; Kannianen; Klein; Krebsbach; Larson, D.; Lee; Lemm; Luick; Marcellais; Mathern; Meyer; Myrdal; Oban; Oehlke; Patten; Piepkorn; Poolman; Roers, J.; Roers, K.; Rust; Sorvaag; Unruh Bell; Vedaa; Wanzek; Wardner; Weber; Wobbema

NAYS: Elkin; Kreun; Larsen, D.; Larsen, O.

ABSENT AND NOT VOTING: Schaible

Engrossed SB 2034 passed.

MOTION

SEN. KLEIN MOVED that SB 2180 be returned to the Senate floor from the **Human Services Committee** for the purpose of withdrawal, which motion prevailed.

REQUEST

SEN. KLEIN REQUESTED the unanimous consent of the Senate to withdraw SB 2180. There being no objection, it was so ordered by the President.

MESSAGE TO THE HOUSE FROM THE SENATE (SHANDA MORGAN, SECRETARY)

MR. SPEAKER: The Senate has passed, and your favorable consideration is requested on: SB 2041, SB 2147, SB 2159, SB 2181, SB 2210, SB 2243, SB 2246, SB 2248, SB 2259, SB 2264.

MESSAGE TO THE HOUSE FROM THE SENATE (SHANDA MORGAN, SECRETARY)

MR. SPEAKER: The Senate has passed, the emergency clause carried, and your favorable consideration is requested on: SB 2165.

MESSAGE TO THE SENATE FROM THE HOUSE (BUELL J. REICH, CHIEF CLERK)

MR. PRESIDENT: The House has passed, and your favorable consideration is requested on: HB 1158, HB 1167, HB 1170, HB 1290, HB 1310, HB 1325.

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., Monday, February 1, 2021, which motion prevailed.

REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE

SB 2216: Agriculture Committee (Sen. Luick, Chairman) recommends **DO PASS** (6 YEAS, 0 NAYS, 0 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING). SB 2216 was placed on the Eleventh order on the calendar.

REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE

SB 2228: Government and Veterans Affairs Committee (Sen. Vedaa, Chairman) recommends **DO NOT PASS** (6 YEAS, 1 NAY, 0 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING). SB 2228 was placed on the Eleventh order on the calendar.

REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE

SB 2231: Government and Veterans Affairs Committee (Sen. Vedaa, Chairman) recommends **DO NOT PASS** (5 YEAS, 2 NAYS, 0 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING). SB 2231 was placed on the Eleventh order on the calendar.

REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE

SB 2240: Political Subdivisions Committee (Sen. Burckhard, Chairman) recommends **DO PASS** (7 YEAS, 0 NAYS, 0 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING). SB 2240 was placed on the Eleventh order on the calendar.

REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE

SB 2247: Political Subdivisions Committee (Sen. Burckhard, Chairman) recommends **DO PASS** (7 YEAS, 0 NAYS, 0 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING). SB 2247 was placed on the Eleventh order on the calendar.

REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE

SB 2250: Government and Veterans Affairs Committee (Sen. Vedaa, Chairman) recommends **DO PASS** (7 YEAS, 0 NAYS, 0 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING). SB 2250 was placed on the Eleventh order on the calendar.

REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE

SB 2270: Finance and Taxation Committee (Sen. Bell, Chairman) recommends **DO NOT PASS** (7 YEAS, 0 NAYS, 0 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING). SB 2270 was placed on the Eleventh order on the calendar.

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

Shanda Morgan, Secretary