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Sixty-eighth Legislative Assembly

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Bismarck, January 18, 2023

The House convened at 1:00 p.m., with Speaker D. Johnson presiding.

The prayer was offered by Pastor Alan Hathaway, Riverdale Community Church, Riverdale.

The roll was called and all members were present except Representatives Grueneich, McLeod, and Warrey.

A quorum was declared by the Speaker.

SIXTH ORDER OF BUSINESS

SPEAKER D. JOHNSON DEEMED approval of the amendments to HB 1050, HB 1052, HB 1122, HB 1152, HB 1154, HB 1168, HB 1173, and HB 1266.

HB 1168, as amended, was rereferred to the **Appropriations Committee**.

HB 1050, HB 1052, HB 1122, HB 1152, HB 1154, HB 1173, and HB 1266, as amended, were placed on the Eleventh order of business on the calendar for the succeeding legislative day.

MOTION

REP. BOSCH MOVED that HB 1069 be returned to the House floor from the **Appropriations Committee** and be placed on the Eleventh order on the calendar, which motion prevailed.

Pursuant to Rep. Bosch's motion, HB 1069 was placed on the Eleventh order on the calendar.

MOTION

REP. BOSCH MOVED that HB 1434 be returned to the House floor from the **Judiciary Committee** and be rereferred to the **Human Services Committee**, which motion prevailed.

Pursuant to Rep. Bosch's motion, HB 1434 was rereferred.

MOTION

REP. BOSCH MOVED that HB 1435 be returned to the House floor from the **Judiciary Committee** and be rereferred to the **Human Services Committee**, which motion prevailed.

Pursuant to Rep. Bosch's motion, HB 1435 was rereferred.

MOTION

REP. BOSCH MOVED that HB 1443 be returned to the House floor from the **Judiciary Committee** and be rereferred to the **Human Services Committee**, which motion prevailed.

Pursuant to Rep. Bosch's motion, HB 1443 was rereferred.

MOTION

REP. BOSCH MOVED that HB 1384 be returned to the House floor from the **Judiciary Committee** and be rereferred to the **Energy and Natural Resources Committee**, which motion prevailed.

Pursuant to Rep. Bosch's motion, HB 1384 was rereferred.

MOTION

REP. BOSCH MOVED that HB 1391 be returned to the House floor from the **Agriculture Committee** and be rereferred to the **Energy and Natural Resources Committee**, which motion prevailed.

Pursuant to Rep. Bosch's motion, HB 1391 was rereferred.

SECOND READING OF HOUSE BILL

HB 1115: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact subsection 1 of section 53-12.1-11 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to confidential lottery sales data.

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 91 YEAS, 0 NAYS, 0 EXCUSED, 3 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING.

YEAS: Anderson, B.; Anderson, D.; Anderson, K.; Bahl; Bellew; Beltz; Bosch; Boschee; Brandenburg; Christensen; Christy; Conmy; Cory; Dakane; Davis; Dobervich; Dockter; Dyk; Fegley; Finley-DeVillie; Fisher; Frelich; Hager; Hagert; Hanson; Hatlestad; Hauck; Headland; Heilman; Heinert; Henderson; Holle; Hoverson; Ista; Johnson, J.; Jonas; Karls; Kasper; Kempenich; Kiefert; Klemin; Koppelman; Kreidt; Lefor; Longmuir; Louser; Marschall; Martinson; Meier; Mitskog; Mock; Monson; Motschenbacher; Murphy; Nathe; Nelson; Novak; O'Brien; Olson, J.; Olson, S.; Ostlie; Porter; Prichard; Pyle; Richter; Rios; Roers Jones; Rohr; Ruby, D.; Ruby, M.; Sanford; Satrom; Schatz; Schauer; Schneider; Schobinger; Schreiber-Beck; Steiner; Stemen; Strinden; Swiontek; Thomas; Timmons; Toman; Tveit; VanWinkle; Vetter; Vigasaa; Wagner; Weisz; Speaker Johnson, D.

ABSENT AND NOT VOTING: Grueneich; McLeod; Warrey

HB 1115 passed.

SECOND READING OF HOUSE BILL

HB 1215: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact subsection 7 of section 6-08.1-02, section 10-30.5-13, subsection 1 of section 17-05-13, and sections 54-17.7-13 and 54-63.1-05 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the filing of business incentive reports; and to repeal chapter 54-60.1 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to business incentives, agreements, and reports administered by the department of commerce.

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 85 YEAS, 6 NAYS, 0 EXCUSED, 3 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING.

YEAS: Anderson, B.; Anderson, D.; Anderson, K.; Bahl; Bellew; Beltz; Bosch; Boschee; Brandenburg; Christy; Conmy; Cory; Dakane; Davis; Dobervich; Dockter; Dyk; Fegley; Finley-DeVillie; Fisher; Frelich; Hager; Hagert; Hanson; Hatlestad; Hauck; Headland; Heinert; Holle; Hoverson; Ista; Johnson, J.; Jonas; Karls; Kasper; Kempenich; Kiefert; Klemin; Koppelman; Kreidt; Lefor; Longmuir; Louser; Marschall; Martinson; Meier; Mitskog; Mock; Monson; Motschenbacher; Murphy; Nathe; Nelson; Novak; O'Brien; Olson, J.; Olson, S.; Ostlie; Porter; Pyle; Richter; Roers Jones; Rohr; Ruby, D.; Ruby, M.; Sanford; Satrom; Schatz; Schauer; Schneider; Schobinger; Schreiber-Beck; Steiner; Stemen; Strinden; Swiontek; Thomas; Timmons; Tveit; VanWinkle; Vetter; Vigasaa; Wagner; Weisz; Speaker Johnson, D.

NAYS: Christensen; Heilman; Henderson; Prichard; Rios; Toman

ABSENT AND NOT VOTING: Grueneich; McLeod; Warrey

HB 1215 passed.

SECOND READING OF HOUSE BILL

HB 1214: A BILL for an Act to repeal section 54-34.3-13 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to department of commerce rural growth incentive program.

ROLL CALL

The question being on the final passage of the bill, which has been read, and has committee recommendation of DO PASS, the roll was called and there were 90 YEAS, 1 NAYS, 0 EXCUSED, 3 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING.

YEAS: Anderson, B.; Anderson, D.; Anderson, K.; Bahl; Bellew; Beltz; Bosch; Boschee; Brandenburg; Christensen; Christy; Conmy; Cory; Dakane; Davis; Dobervich; Dockter; Dyk; Fegley; Finley-DeVillie; Fisher; Frelich; Hager; Hagert; Hanson; Hatlestad; Hauck; Headland; Heilman; Heinert; Henderson; Holle; Hoverson; Ista; Johnson, J.; Jonas; Karls; Kasper; Kempenich; Kiefert; Klemin; Koppelman; Kreidt; Lefor; Longmuir; Louser; Marschall; Martinson; Meier; Mitskog; Mock; Monson; Motschenbacher; Murphy; Nathe; Novak; O'Brien; Olson, J.; Olson, S.; Ostlie; Porter; Prichard; Pyle; Richter; Rios; Roers Jones; Rohr; Ruby, D.; Ruby, M.; Sanford; Satrom; Schatz; Schauer; Schneider; Schobinger; Schreiber-Beck; Steiner; Stemen; Strinden; Swiontek; Thomas; Timmons; Toman; Tveit; VanWinkle; Vetter; Vigesaa; Wagner; Weisz; Speaker Johnson, D.

NAYS: Nelson

ABSENT AND NOT VOTING: Grueneich; McLeod; Warrey

HB 1214 passed.

SECOND READING OF HOUSE BILL

HB 1188: A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new chapter to title 47 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the prohibition of unfair service agreements.

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 91 YEAS, 0 NAYS, 0 EXCUSED, 3 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING.

YEAS: Anderson, B.; Anderson, D.; Anderson, K.; Bahl; Bellew; Beltz; Bosch; Boschee; Brandenburg; Christensen; Christy; Conmy; Cory; Dakane; Davis; Dobervich; Dockter; Dyk; Fegley; Finley-DeVillie; Fisher; Frelich; Hager; Hagert; Hanson; Hatlestad; Hauck; Headland; Heilman; Heinert; Henderson; Holle; Hoverson; Ista; Johnson, J.; Jonas; Karls; Kasper; Kempenich; Kiefert; Klemin; Koppelman; Kreidt; Lefor; Longmuir; Louser; Marschall; Martinson; Meier; Mitskog; Mock; Monson; Motschenbacher; Murphy; Nathe; Nelson; Novak; O'Brien; Olson, J.; Olson, S.; Ostlie; Porter; Prichard; Pyle; Richter; Rios; Roers Jones; Rohr; Ruby, D.; Ruby, M.; Sanford; Satrom; Schatz; Schauer; Schneider; Schobinger; Schreiber-Beck; Steiner; Stemen; Strinden; Swiontek; Thomas; Timmons; Toman; Tveit; VanWinkle; Vetter; Vigesaa; Wagner; Weisz; Speaker Johnson, D.

ABSENT AND NOT VOTING: Grueneich; McLeod; Warrey

HB 1188 passed.

SECOND READING OF HOUSE BILL

HB 1112: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 43-04-03, subsection 5 of section 43-04-12, and section 43-04-41 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to exemptions from regulation of barbers, barber licensure fees, and disciplinary hearings for barbers.

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 91 YEAS, 0 NAYS, 0 EXCUSED, 3 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING.

YEAS: Anderson, B.; Anderson, D.; Anderson, K.; Bahl; Bellew; Beltz; Bosch; Boschee; Brandenburg; Christensen; Christy; Conmy; Cory; Dakane; Davis; Dobervich;

Dockter; Dyk; Fegley; Finley-DeVillie; Fisher; Frelich; Hager; Hagert; Hanson; Hatlestad; Hauck; Headland; Heilman; Heinert; Henderson; Holle; Hoverson; Ista; Johnson, J.; Jonas; Karls; Kasper; Kempenich; Kiefert; Klemin; Koppelman; Kreidt; Lefor; Longmuir; Louser; Marschall; Martinson; Meier; Mitskog; Mock; Monson; Motschenbacher; Murphy; Nathe; Nelson; Novak; O'Brien; Olson, J.; Olson, S.; Ostlie; Porter; Prichard; Pyle; Richter; Rios; Roers Jones; Rohr; Ruby, D.; Ruby, M.; Sanford; Satrom; Schatz; Schauer; Schneider; Schobinger; Schreiber-Beck; Steiner; Stemen; Strinden; Swiontek; Thomas; Timmons; Toman; Tveit; VanWinkle; Vetter; Vigasaa; Wagner; Weisz; Speaker Johnson, D.

ABSENT AND NOT VOTING: Grueneich; McLeod; Warrey

HB 1112 passed.

SECOND READING OF HOUSE BILL

HB 1044: A BILL for an Act to repeal section 50-24.1-32 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the medical assistance primary care provider program; and to provide an effective date.

ROLL CALL

The question being on the final passage of the bill, which has been read, and has committee recommendation of DO PASS, the roll was called and there were 82 YEAS, 9 NAYS, 0 EXCUSED, 3 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING.

YEAS: Anderson, B.; Anderson, D.; Anderson, K.; Bahl; Bellew; Beltz; Bosch; Boschee; Brandenburg; Christy; Conmy; Cory; Dakane; Davis; Dobervich; Dockter; Fegley; Finley-DeVillie; Fisher; Frelich; Hager; Hagert; Hanson; Hatlestad; Hauck; Headland; Heinert; Holle; Hoverson; Ista; Johnson, J.; Jonas; Karls; Kasper; Kempenich; Kiefert; Klemin; Koppelman; Kreidt; Lefor; Longmuir; Louser; Marschall; Martinson; Meier; Mitskog; Mock; Monson; Motschenbacher; Murphy; Nathe; Novak; O'Brien; Olson, J.; Olson, S.; Ostlie; Porter; Pyle; Richter; Roers Jones; Ruby, D.; Ruby, M.; Sanford; Satrom; Schatz; Schauer; Schneider; Schobinger; Schreiber-Beck; Steiner; Stemen; Strinden; Swiontek; Thomas; Toman; Tveit; VanWinkle; Vetter; Vigasaa; Wagner; Weisz; Speaker Johnson, D.

NAYS: Christensen; Dyk; Heilman; Henderson; Nelson; Prichard; Rios; Rohr; Timmons

ABSENT AND NOT VOTING: Grueneich; McLeod; Warrey

HB 1044 passed.

SECOND READING OF HOUSE BILL

HB 1196: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 15-10-18.3 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to free tuition for dependents of disabled veterans or veterans killed in action.

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 91 YEAS, 0 NAYS, 0 EXCUSED, 3 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING.

YEAS: Anderson, B.; Anderson, D.; Anderson, K.; Bahl; Bellew; Beltz; Bosch; Boschee; Brandenburg; Christensen; Christy; Conmy; Cory; Dakane; Davis; Dobervich; Dockter; Dyk; Fegley; Finley-DeVillie; Fisher; Frelich; Hager; Hagert; Hanson; Hatlestad; Hauck; Headland; Heilman; Heinert; Henderson; Holle; Hoverson; Ista; Johnson, J.; Jonas; Karls; Kasper; Kempenich; Kiefert; Klemin; Koppelman; Kreidt; Lefor; Longmuir; Louser; Marschall; Martinson; Meier; Mitskog; Mock; Monson; Motschenbacher; Murphy; Nathe; Nelson; Novak; O'Brien; Olson, J.; Olson, S.; Ostlie; Porter; Prichard; Pyle; Richter; Rios; Roers Jones; Rohr; Ruby, D.; Ruby, M.; Sanford; Satrom; Schatz; Schauer; Schneider; Schobinger; Schreiber-Beck; Steiner; Stemen; Strinden; Swiontek; Thomas; Timmons; Toman; Tveit; VanWinkle; Vetter;

Vigesaa; Wagner; Weisz; Speaker Johnson, D.

ABSENT AND NOT VOTING: Grueneich; McLeod; Warrey

HB 1196 passed.

SECOND READING OF HOUSE BILL

HB 1131: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact subsection 1 of section 15.1-21-02.3 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to optional high school curriculum.

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 91 YEAS, 0 NAYS, 0 EXCUSED, 3 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING.

YEAS: Anderson, B.; Anderson, D.; Anderson, K.; Bahl; Bellew; Beltz; Bosch; Boschee; Brandenburg; Christensen; Christy; Conmy; Cory; Dakane; Davis; Dobervich; Dockter; Dyk; Fegley; Finley-DeVille; Fisher; Frelich; Hager; Hagert; Hanson; Hatlestad; Hauck; Headland; Heilman; Heinert; Henderson; Holle; Hoverson; Ista; Johnson, J.; Jonas; Karls; Kasper; Kempenich; Kiefert; Klemin; Koppelman; Kreidt; Lefor; Longmuir; Louser; Marschall; Martinson; Meier; Mitskog; Mock; Monson; Motschenbacher; Murphy; Nathe; Nelson; Novak; O'Brien; Olson, J.; Olson, S.; Ostlie; Porter; Prichard; Pyle; Richter; Rios; Roers Jones; Rohr; Ruby, D.; Ruby, M.; Sanford; Satrom; Schatz; Schauer; Schneider; Schobinger; Schreiber-Beck; Steiner; Stemen; Strinden; Swiontek; Thomas; Timmons; Toman; Tveit; VanWinkle; Vetter; Vigesaa; Wagner; Weisz; Speaker Johnson, D.

ABSENT AND NOT VOTING: Grueneich; McLeod; Warrey

HB 1131 passed.

SECOND READING OF HOUSE BILL

HB 1210: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact subsection 60 of section 57-39.2-04 and subsection 27 of section 57-40.2-04 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to notification requirements for sales and use tax exemptions for certain sales made to a senior citizen organization.

ROLL CALL

The question being on the final passage of the bill, which has been read, and has committee recommendation of DO PASS, the roll was called and there were 90 YEAS, 0 NAYS, 0 EXCUSED, 4 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING.

YEAS: Anderson, B.; Anderson, D.; Anderson, K.; Bahl; Bellew; Beltz; Bosch; Boschee; Brandenburg; Christensen; Christy; Conmy; Cory; Dakane; Davis; Dobervich; Dockter; Dyk; Fegley; Finley-DeVille; Fisher; Frelich; Hager; Hagert; Hanson; Hatlestad; Hauck; Headland; Heilman; Heinert; Henderson; Holle; Hoverson; Ista; Johnson, J.; Jonas; Karls; Kasper; Kempenich; Kiefert; Klemin; Koppelman; Kreidt; Lefor; Longmuir; Louser; Marschall; Martinson; Meier; Mitskog; Mock; Monson; Motschenbacher; Murphy; Nathe; Nelson; Novak; O'Brien; Olson, J.; Olson, S.; Ostlie; Porter; Prichard; Pyle; Richter; Rios; Roers Jones; Rohr; Ruby, D.; Ruby, M.; Sanford; Satrom; Schatz; Schauer; Schneider; Schobinger; Schreiber-Beck; Steiner; Stemen; Strinden; Thomas; Timmons; Toman; Tveit; VanWinkle; Vetter; Vigesaa; Wagner; Weisz; Speaker Johnson, D.

ABSENT AND NOT VOTING: Grueneich; McLeod; Swiontek; Warrey

HB 1210 passed.

SECOND READING OF HOUSE BILL

HB 1105: A BILL for an Act to create and enact section 43-06-15.1 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to disciplinary records of the state board of chiropractic examiners; and to amend and reenact sections 43-06-14.1 and 43-06-15 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to disciplinary records of the state board of chiropractic examiners.

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 1 YEAS, 89 NAYS, 0 EXCUSED, 4 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING.

YEAS: Hanson

NAYS: Anderson, B.; Anderson, D.; Anderson, K.; Bahl; Bellew; Beltz; Bosch; Boschee; Brandenburg; Christensen; Christy; Conmy; Cory; Dakane; Davis; Dobervich; Dockter; Dyk; Fegley; Finley-DeVillie; Fisher; Frelich; Hager; Hagert; Hatlestad; Hauck; Headland; Heilman; Heinert; Henderson; Holle; Hoverson; Ista; Johnson, J.; Jonas; Karls; Kasper; Kempenich; Kiefert; Klemin; Koppelman; Kreidt; Lefor; Longmuir; Louser; Marschall; Martinson; Meier; Mitskog; Mock; Monson; Motschenbacher; Murphy; Nathe; Nelson; Novak; O'Brien; Olson, J.; Olson, S.; Ostlie; Porter; Prichard; Pyle; Richter; Rios; Roers Jones; Rohr; Ruby, D.; Ruby, M.; Sanford; Satrom; Schatz; Schauer; Schneider; Schobinger; Schreiber-Beck; Steiner; Stemen; Strinden; Thomas; Timmons; Toman; Tveit; VanWinkle; Vetter; Vigesaa; Wagner; Weisz; Speaker Johnson, D.

ABSENT AND NOT VOTING: Grueneich; McLeod; Swiontek; Warrey

HB 1105 failed.

SECOND READING OF HOUSE BILL

HB 1274: A BILL for an Act to create and enact two new subsections to section 51-25-02, subsections 6, 7, 8, 9, and 10 of section 51-25.1-02, and one new subsection to section 51-25.1-06 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to assignment of escrow accounts, sell-through periods after removal of tobacco product manufacturer or brand family from directory, and placing burden on a nonparticipating manufacturer to establish an escrow deposit is not required on certain sales; to amend and reenact subsection 10 of section 51-25-01, subsection 2 of section 51-25.1-02, subsection 4 of section 51-25.1-02, section 51-25.1-05, subsection 2 of section 51-25.1-06, and section 57-36-04 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to definition of the term "units sold" used to determine escrow to be deposited by a nonparticipating manufacturer, and the regulation of tobacco product manufacturers, distributors, and the lawful sale of cigarettes; to provide a penalty; and to declare an emergency.

ROLL CALL

The question being on the final passage of the bill, which has been read, and has committee recommendation of DO PASS, the roll was called and there were 72 YEAS, 18 NAYS, 0 EXCUSED, 4 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING.

YEAS: Anderson, B.; Anderson, D.; Anderson, K.; Bahl; Beltz; Bosch; Boschee; Brandenburg; Christy; Conmy; Cory; Dakane; Davis; Dobervich; Dockter; Fegley; Finley-DeVillie; Fisher; Frelich; Hager; Hagert; Hanson; Hatlestad; Hauck; Headland; Heinert; Ista; Johnson, J.; Jonas; Karls; Kasper; Kempenich; Kiefert; Klemin; Kreidt; Lefor; Longmuir; Louser; Martinson; Meier; Mitskog; Mock; Monson; Motschenbacher; Murphy; Nathe; Nelson; Novak; O'Brien; Olson, J.; Olson, S.; Ostlie; Porter; Pyle; Richter; Roers Jones; Ruby, M.; Sanford; Satrom; Schauer; Schneider; Schobinger; Schreiber-Beck; Steiner; Stemen; Strinden; Thomas; Toman; Vigesaa; Wagner; Weisz; Speaker Johnson, D.

NAYS: Bellew; Christensen; Dyk; Heilman; Henderson; Holle; Hoverson; Koppelman;

Marschall; Prichard; Rios; Rohr; Ruby, D.; Schatz; Timmons; Tveit; VanWinkle; Vetter

ABSENT AND NOT VOTING: Grueneich; McLeod; Swiontek; Warrey

HB 1274 passed and the emergency clause was declared carried.

SECOND READING OF HOUSE BILL

HB 1171: A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new section to chapter 12.1-17 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to prohibiting a forced or coerced abortion; 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 89 YEAS, 1 NAYS, 0 EXCUSED, 4 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING.

YEAS: Anderson, B.; Anderson, D.; Anderson, K.; Bahl; Bellew; Beltz; Bosch; Boschee; Brandenburg; Christensen; Christy; Conmy; Cory; Dakane; Davis; Dobervich; Dockter; Dyk; Fegley; Finley-DeVillie; Fisher; Frelich; Hager; Hagert; Hatlestad; Hauck; Headland; Heilman; Heinert; Henderson; Holle; Hoverson; Ista; Johnson, J.; Jonas; Karls; Kasper; Kempenich; Kiefert; Klemin; Koppelman; Kreidt; Lefor; Longmuir; Louser; Marschall; Martinson; Meier; Mitskog; Mock; Monson; Motschenbacher; Murphy; Nathe; Nelson; Novak; O'Brien; Olson, J.; Olson, S.; Ostlie; Porter; Prichard; Pyle; Richter; Rios; Roers Jones; Rohr; Ruby, D.; Ruby, M.; Sanford; Satrom; Schatz; Schauer; Schneider; Schobinger; Schreiber-Beck; Steiner; Stemen; Strinden; Thomas; Timmons; Toman; Tveit; VanWinkle; Vetter; Vigesaa; Wagner; Weisz; Speaker Johnson, D.

NAYS: Hanson

ABSENT AND NOT VOTING: Grueneich; McLeod; Swiontek; Warrey

HB 1171 passed.

SECOND READING OF HOUSE BILL

HB 1136: A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new section to chapter 14-02.4 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the exercise of religion.

ROLL CALL

The question being on the final passage of the bill, which has been read, and has committee recommendation of DO PASS, the roll was called and there were 90 YEAS, 0 NAYS, 0 EXCUSED, 4 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING.

YEAS: Anderson, B.; Anderson, D.; Anderson, K.; Bahl; Bellew; Beltz; Bosch; Boschee; Brandenburg; Christensen; Christy; Conmy; Cory; Dakane; Davis; Dobervich; Dockter; Dyk; Fegley; Finley-DeVillie; Fisher; Frelich; Hager; Hagert; Hanson; Hatlestad; Hauck; Headland; Heilman; Heinert; Henderson; Holle; Hoverson; Ista; Johnson, J.; Jonas; Karls; Kasper; Kempenich; Kiefert; Klemin; Koppelman; Kreidt; Lefor; Longmuir; Louser; Marschall; Martinson; Meier; Mitskog; Mock; Monson; Motschenbacher; Murphy; Nathe; Nelson; Novak; O'Brien; Olson, J.; Olson, S.; Ostlie; Porter; Prichard; Pyle; Richter; Rios; Roers Jones; Rohr; Ruby, D.; Ruby, M.; Sanford; Satrom; Schatz; Schauer; Schneider; Schobinger; Schreiber-Beck; Steiner; Stemen; Strinden; Thomas; Timmons; Toman; Tveit; VanWinkle; Vetter; Vigesaa; Wagner; Weisz; Speaker Johnson, D.

ABSENT AND NOT VOTING: Grueneich; McLeod; Swiontek; Warrey

HB 1136 passed.

MESSAGE TO THE SENATE FROM THE HOUSE (BUELL J. REICH, CHIEF CLERK)
MADAM PRESIDENT: The House has passed, and your favorable consideration is requested on: HB 1041, HB 1061, HB 1063, HB 1064, HB 1072, HB 1073, HB 1074, HB 1075, HB 1084, HB 1089, HB 1102, HB 1104, HB 1109, HB 1113, HB 1141, HB 1169.

MESSAGE TO THE HOUSE FROM THE SENATE (SHANDA MORGAN, SECRETARY)
MR. SPEAKER: The Senate has passed, and your favorable consideration is requested on: SB 2059, SB 2099, SB 2110, SB 2162.

MESSAGE TO THE HOUSE FROM THE SENATE (SHANDA MORGAN, SECRETARY)
MR. SPEAKER: The Senate has passed, and your favorable consideration is requested on: SCR 4002.

MOTION

REP. BOSCH MOVED that the absent members be excused, which motion prevailed.

MOTION

REP. BOSCH MOVED that the House be on the Fourth, Fifth, and Ninth orders of business and at the conclusion of those orders, the House stand adjourned until 1:00 p.m., Thursday, January 19, 2023, which motion prevailed.

REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE

HB 1030: Education Committee (Rep. Heinert, Chairman) recommends **AMENDMENTS AS FOLLOWS** and when so amended, recommends **DO PASS** (14 YEAS, 0 NAYS, 0 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING). HB 1030 was placed on the Sixth order on the calendar.

Page 1, line 1, after the third comma insert "15-10-59,"

Page 4, line 26, overstrike "and"

Page 7, after line 5, insert:

"SECTION 4. AMENDMENT. Section 15-10-59 of the North Dakota Century Code is amended and reenacted as follows:

15-10-59. Annual report - Scholarships. (Effective through July 31, 20242030)

The state board of higher education shall provide to the legislative management an annual report regarding the number of North Dakota scholarships, North Dakota academic scholarships, and North Dakota career and technical education scholarships provided and demographic information pertaining to the recipients.

Annual report - Scholarships. (Effective after July 31, 20242030) The state board of higher education shall provide to the legislative management an annual report regarding the number of North Dakota scholarships provided and demographic information pertaining to the recipients."

Page 9, line 1, overstrike "**Indian**" and insert immediately thereafter "**Native American**"

Renumber accordingly

REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE

HB 1031: Education Committee (Rep. Heinert, Chairman) recommends **AMENDMENTS AS FOLLOWS** and when so amended, recommends **DO PASS** and **BE REREFERRED** to the **Appropriations Committee** (10 YEAS, 4 NAYS, 0 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING). HB 1031 was placed on the Sixth order on the calendar.

Page 1, line 2, remove "and"

Page 1, line 3, after "transfer" insert "; and to declare an emergency"

Page 2, after line 5, insert:

"SECTION 5. EMERGENCY. Section 1 of this Act is declared to be an emergency measure."

Renumber accordingly

REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE

HB 1032: Education Committee (Rep. Heinert, Chairman) recommends **AMENDMENTS AS FOLLOWS** and when so amended, recommends **DO PASS** and **BE REREFERRED** to the **Appropriations Committee** (9 YEAS, 5 NAYS, 0 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING). HB 1032 was placed on the Sixth order on the calendar.

Page 1, line 18, replace the third "the" with "a"

Page 1, line 18, after "qualifying" insert "certified nursing assistant"

Page 1, line 19, after "program" insert "and up to one thousand five hundred dollars to assist the student with the costs of completing a qualifying commercial driver's license educational program"

Renumber accordingly

REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE

HB 1132: Education Committee (Rep. Heinert, Chairman) recommends **AMENDMENTS AS FOLLOWS** and when so amended, recommends **DO PASS** (14 YEAS, 0 NAYS, 0 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING). HB 1132 was placed on the Sixth order on the calendar.

Page 1, line 8, after "students" insert ", students with a medical condition, or students moving out of state"

Page 1, line 11, after "student" insert ", a student with a medical condition unable to physically attend school, or a student moving out of state"

Page 2, line 10, after "installation" insert ", a student with a medical condition unable to physically attend school, or a student moving out of state"

Renumber accordingly

REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE

HB 1138: Human Services Committee (Rep. Weisz, Chairman) recommends **AMENDMENTS AS FOLLOWS** and when so amended, recommends **DO PASS** (12 YEAS, 2 NAYS, 0 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING). HB 1138 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 amend and reenact subsection 1 of section 12.1-32-02 and sections 19-03.1-23 and 39-08-01.5 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to a mental health court program.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY OF NORTH DAKOTA:

SECTION 1. AMENDMENT. Subsection 1 of section 12.1-32-02 of the North Dakota Century Code is amended and reenacted as follows:

1. Every person convicted of an offense who is sentenced by the court must be sentenced to one or a combination of the following alternatives, unless the sentencing alternatives are otherwise specifically provided in the statute defining the offense or sentencing is deferred under subsection 4:
 - a. Payment of the reasonable costs of the person's prosecution.
 - b. Probation.

- c. A term of imprisonment, including intermittent imprisonment:
 - (1) In a state correctional facility in accordance with section 29-27-07, in a regional corrections center, or in a county jail, if convicted of a felony or a class A misdemeanor.
 - (2) In a county jail or in a regional corrections center, if convicted of a class B misdemeanor.
 - (3) In a facility or program deemed appropriate for the treatment of the individual offender, including available community-based or faith-based programs.
 - (4) In the case of persons convicted of an offense who are under eighteen years of age at the time of sentencing, the court is limited to sentencing the minor defendant to a term of imprisonment in the custody of the department of corrections and rehabilitation.
- d. A fine.
- e. Restitution for damages resulting from the commission of the offense.
- f. Restoration of damaged property or other appropriate work detail.
- g. Commitment to an appropriate licensed public or private institution for treatment of alcoholism, drug addiction, or mental disease or defect.
- h. Commitment to a sexual offender treatment program.
- i. Drug court program. A drug court is a district court supervised treatment program approved by the supreme court which combines judicial supervision with alcohol and drug testing and substance use disorder treatment in a licensed treatment program. The supreme court may adopt rules, including rules of procedure, for drug court programs.
- j. Veterans treatment docket. A veterans treatment docket is a district court supervised docket approved by the supreme court which combines judicial supervision with licensed treatment programs to treat substance use disorders, mental health conditions, behavioral health conditions, traumatic brain injuries, military sexual trauma, and co-occurring disorders. The supreme court may adopt rules, including rules of procedure, for veterans treatment dockets.
- k. Completion of a restorative justice program. For purposes of this section, "restorative justice program" means a system of justice which focuses on the rehabilitation of offenders through reconciliation with victims and the community at large.
- l. Mental health court program. A mental health court is a district court supervised treatment program approved by the supreme court which combines judicial supervision with mental health services and treatment in a licensed treatment program. The supreme court may adopt rules, including rules of procedure, for mental health court programs.

Except as provided by section 12.1-32-06.1, sentences imposed under this subsection may not exceed in duration the maximum sentences of imprisonment provided by section 12.1-32-01, section 12.1-32-09, or as provided specifically in a statute defining an offense. This subsection does not permit the unconditional discharge of an offender following conviction. A sentence under subdivision e or f must be imposed in the

manner provided in section 12.1-32-08. If the person is sentenced to a term of imprisonment, the court may prohibit the person from contacting the victim during the term of imprisonment. For purposes of this subsection, "victim" means victim as defined in section 12.1-34-01.

SECTION 2. AMENDMENT. Section 19-03.1-23 of the North Dakota Century Code is amended and reenacted as follows:

19-03.1-23. Prohibited acts - Penalties.

1. Except as authorized by this chapter, it is unlawful for a person to willfully, as defined in section 12.1-02-02, manufacture, deliver, or possess with intent to manufacture or deliver, a controlled substance, or to deliver, distribute, or dispense a controlled substance by means of the internet, but a person who violates section 12-46-24 or 12-47-21 may not be prosecuted under this subsection. A person who violates this subsection with respect to:
 - a. A controlled substance classified in schedule I or II which is a narcotic drug, or methamphetamine, is guilty of a class B felony.
 - b. Any other controlled substance classified in schedule I, II, or III, or a controlled substance analog, except marijuana or tetrahydrocannabinol is guilty of a class B felony.
 - c. Marijuana, tetrahydrocannabinol, or a substance classified in schedule IV, is guilty of a class C felony.
 - d. A substance classified in schedule V, is guilty of a class A misdemeanor.
2. A prior misdemeanor conviction under subsection 7 or a prior conviction under subsection 3 or 4 of section 19-03.4-03 may not be considered a prior offense under subsection 1.
3. Except as authorized by this chapter, it is unlawful for any person to willfully, as defined in section 12.1-02-02, create, deliver, distribute, or dispense a counterfeit substance by means of the internet or any other means, or possess with intent to deliver, a counterfeit substance by means of the internet or any other means, but any person who violates section 12-46-24 or 12-47-21 may not be prosecuted under this subsection. Any person who violates this subsection with respect to:
 - a. A counterfeit substance classified in schedule I, II, or III, is guilty of a class B felony.
 - b. A counterfeit substance classified in schedule IV, is guilty of a class C felony.
 - c. A counterfeit substance classified in schedule V, is guilty of a class A misdemeanor.
4. A person at least eighteen years of age who solicits, induces, intimidates, employs, hires, or uses a person under eighteen years of age to aid or assist in the manufacture, delivery, or possession with intent to manufacture or deliver a controlled substance for the purpose of receiving consideration or payment for the manufacture or delivery of any controlled substance is guilty of a class B felony. It is not a defense to a violation of this subsection that the defendant did not know the age of a person protected under this subsection.
5. Except for a prior conviction equivalent to a misdemeanor violation of subsection 7 or a prior conviction under subsection 3 or 4 of section 19-03.4-03, a violation of this title or a law of another state or the federal government which is equivalent to an offense with respect to the

manufacture, delivery, or intent to deliver a controlled substance under this title committed while the offender was an adult and which resulted in a plea or finding of guilt must be considered a prior offense under subsection 1. The prior offense must be alleged in the complaint, information, or indictment. The plea or finding of guilt for the prior offense must have occurred before the date of the commission of the offense or offenses charged in the complaint, information, or indictment.

6. It is unlawful for a person to willfully, as defined in section 12.1-02-02:
 - a. Serve as an agent, intermediary, or other entity that causes the internet to be used to bring together a buyer and seller to engage in the delivery, distribution, or dispensing of a controlled substance in a manner not authorized by this chapter; or
 - b. Offer to fill or refill a prescription for a controlled substance based solely on a consumer's completion of an online medical questionnaire.

A person who violates this subsection is guilty of a class C felony.

7.
 - a. It is unlawful for any person to willfully, as defined in section 12.1-02-02, possess a controlled substance or a controlled substance analog unless the substance was obtained directly from, or pursuant to, a valid prescription or order of a practitioner while acting in the course of the practitioner's professional practice, or except as otherwise authorized by this chapter, but any person who violates section 12-46-24 or 12-47-21 may not be prosecuted under this subsection.
 - b. Except as otherwise provided in this subsection, any person who violates this subsection is guilty of a class A misdemeanor for the first offense under this subsection and a class C felony for a second or subsequent offense under this subsection.
 - c. If, at the time of the offense the person is in or on the real property comprising a public or private elementary or secondary school or a public career and technical education school, the person is guilty of a class B felony, unless the offense involves marijuana or tetrahydrocannabinol.
 - d. A person who violates this subsection by possessing:
 - (1) Marijuana:
 - (a) In an amount of less than one-half ounce [14.175 grams] is guilty of an infraction.
 - (b) At least one-half ounce [14.175 grams] but not more than 500 grams of marijuana is guilty of a class B misdemeanor.
 - (c) More than 500 grams of marijuana is guilty of a class A misdemeanor.
 - (2) Tetrahydrocannabinol:
 - (a) In an amount less than two grams is guilty of an infraction.
 - (b) At least two grams but not more than six grams of tetrahydrocannabinol is guilty of a class B misdemeanor.
 - (c) More than six grams of tetrahydrocannabinol is guilty of a class A misdemeanor.

- e. If an individual is sentenced to the legal and physical custody of the department of corrections and rehabilitation under this subsection, the department may place the individual in a drug and alcohol treatment program designated by the department. Upon the successful completion of the drug and alcohol treatment program, the department shall release the individual from imprisonment to begin any court-ordered period of probation.
 - f. If the individual is not subject to any court-ordered probation, the court shall order the individual to serve the remainder of the sentence of imprisonment on supervised probation subject to the terms and conditions imposed by the court.
 - g. Probation under this subsection may include placement in another facility, treatment program, drug court, mental health court, or veterans treatment docket. If an individual is placed in another facility or treatment program upon release from imprisonment, the remainder of the sentence must be considered as time spent in custody.
 - h. An individual incarcerated under this subsection as a result of a second probation revocation is not eligible for release from imprisonment upon the successful completion of treatment.
 - i. A person who violates this subsection regarding possession of five or fewer capsules, pills, or tablets of a schedule II, III, IV, or V controlled substance or controlled substance analog is guilty of a class A misdemeanor.
8. Except as provided by section 19-03.1-45, a court may order a person who violates this chapter or chapter 19-03.4 to undergo a drug addiction evaluation by a licensed addiction counselor. The evaluation must indicate the prospects for rehabilitation and whether addiction treatment is required. If ordered, the evaluation must be submitted to the court before imposing punishment for a felony violation or a misdemeanor violation.
9. If a person pleads guilty or is found guilty of a first offense regarding possession of one ounce [28.35 grams] or less of marijuana or two grams or less of tetrahydrocannabinol and a judgment of guilt is entered, a court, upon motion, shall seal the court record of that conviction if the person is not subsequently convicted within two years of a further violation of this chapter. Once sealed, the court record may not be opened even by order of the court.
10. Upon successful completion of a drug court program, mental health court program, or veterans treatment docket, a person who has been convicted of a felony under this section and sentenced to drug court, mental health court, or veterans treatment docket is deemed to have been convicted of a misdemeanor.
11. If a person convicted of a misdemeanor under this section is sentenced to drug court, mental health court, or veterans treatment docket and successfully completes a drug court program, mental health court, or veterans treatment docket, the court shall dismiss the case and seal the file in accordance with section 12.1-32-07.2.
12. If an individual under the age of twenty-one pleads guilty or is found guilty of a first offense regarding possession of one-half ounce [14.175 grams] or less of marijuana, the court also may sentence the individual to an evidence-based alcohol and drug education program operated under rules adopted by the department of human services under section 50-06-44. For a second or subsequent offense regarding possession of one-half ounce [14.175 grams] or less of marijuana, the court also shall sentence the individual to an evidence-based alcohol and drug education

program operated under rules adopted by the department of health and human services under section 50-06-44.

SECTION 3. AMENDMENT. Section 39-08-01.5 of the North Dakota Century Code is amended and reenacted as follows:

39-08-01.5. Partial suspension of sentence for drug court program, mental health court program, or veterans treatment docket completion.

1. Notwithstanding section 39-08-01, all but ten days of the minimum mandatory sentence required for a defendant charged with a third or subsequent violation of section 39-08-01 may be suspended on the condition the defendant successfully completes a drug court program, mental health court program, or veterans treatment docket approved by the supreme court.
2. Upon successful completion of a drug court program, mental health court program, or veterans treatment docket, a defendant convicted of a felony under section 39-08-01 and sentenced to drug court, mental health court, or veterans treatment docket is deemed to have been convicted of a misdemeanor.
3. If a defendant convicted of a misdemeanor under section 39-08-01 is sentenced to drug court, mental health court, or veterans treatment docket and successfully completes a drug court program, mental health court, or veterans treatment docket, the court shall dismiss the case and seal the file in accordance with section 12.1-32-07.2."

Renumber accordingly

REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE

HB 1150: Education Committee (Rep. Heinert, Chairman) recommends **DO NOT PASS** (10 YEAS, 4 NAYS, 0 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING). HB 1150 was placed on the Eleventh order on the calendar.

REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE

HB 1156: Education Committee (Rep. Heinert, Chairman) recommends **DO PASS** (14 YEAS, 0 NAYS, 0 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING). HB 1156 was placed on the Eleventh order on the calendar.

REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE

HB 1187: Education Committee (Rep. Heinert, Chairman) recommends **DO PASS** (14 YEAS, 0 NAYS, 0 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING). HB 1187 was placed on the Eleventh order on the calendar.

REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE

HB 1213: Judiciary Committee (Rep. Klemin, Chairman) recommends **AMENDMENTS AS FOLLOWS** and when so amended, recommends **DO PASS** (8 YEAS, 3 NAYS, 2 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING). HB 1213 was placed on the Sixth order on the calendar.

Page 1, line 12, after the underscored comma insert "the court may order"

Page 1, line 12, replace "shall" with "to"

Page 1, remove lines 16 through 24

Page 2, remove lines 1 through 3

Renumber accordingly

REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE

HB 1227: Finance and Taxation Committee (Rep. Headland, Chairman) recommends **AMENDMENTS AS FOLLOWS** and when so amended, recommends **DO PASS** (12 YEAS, 0 NAYS, 2 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING). HB 1227 was placed on the Sixth

order on the calendar.

Page 1, line 10, remove the first "measure"

Page 1, line 10, replace the second "or" with "for"

Renumber accordingly

REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE

HB 1228: Industry, Business and Labor Committee (Rep. Louser, Chairman) recommends **DO PASS** (10 YEAS, 0 NAYS, 4 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING). HB 1228 was placed on the Eleventh order on the calendar.

REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE

HB 1238: Education Committee (Rep. Heinert, Chairman) recommends **DO PASS** (14 YEAS, 0 NAYS, 0 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING). HB 1238 was placed on the Eleventh order on the calendar.

REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE

HB 1290: Human Services Committee (Rep. Weisz, Chairman) recommends **DO PASS** (9 YEAS, 3 NAYS, 2 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING). HB 1290 was placed on the Eleventh order on the calendar.

REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE

HB 1294: Human Services Committee (Rep. Weisz, Chairman) recommends **AMENDMENTS AS FOLLOWS** and when so amended, recommends **DO PASS** (12 YEAS, 0 NAYS, 2 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING). HB 1294 was placed on the Sixth order on the calendar.

Page 2, after line 9, insert:

- "5. A response area acquired after April 1, 2022, due to an adjacent ambulance service closure is not calculated in the operations response area for the purpose of the grant calculation."

Renumber accordingly

REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE

HB 1322: Human Services Committee (Rep. Weisz, Chairman) recommends **AMENDMENTS AS FOLLOWS** and when so amended, recommends **DO PASS** (12 YEAS, 0 NAYS, 2 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING). HB 1322 was placed on the Sixth order on the calendar.

Page 1, line 6, remove the overstrike over "~~Adjustments and reconsideration~~"

Page 1, line 6, remove "Reconsideration"

Page 1, remove the overstrike over lines 7 and 8

Page 1, line 9, remove the overstrike over "~~rates paid by private-paying residents.~~"

Page 1, line 13, remove the overstrike over "2."

Renumber accordingly

REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE

HB 1323: Industry, Business and Labor Committee (Rep. Louser, Chairman) recommends **DO PASS** (12 YEAS, 0 NAYS, 2 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING). HB 1323 was placed on the Eleventh order on the calendar.

REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE

HB 1327: Industry, Business and Labor Committee (Rep. Louser, Chairman) recommends **DO PASS** (12 YEAS, 0 NAYS, 2 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING). HB 1327 was placed on the Eleventh order on the calendar.

REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE

HB 1331: Industry, Business and Labor Committee (Rep. Louser, Chairman) recommends **DO PASS** (12 YEAS, 1 NAY, 1 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING). HB 1331 was placed on the Eleventh order on the calendar.

REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE

HB 1335: Industry, Business and Labor Committee (Rep. Louser, Chairman) recommends **DO PASS** (7 YEAS, 3 NAYS, 4 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING). HB 1335 was placed on the Eleventh order on the calendar.

REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE

HB 1338: Human Services Committee (Rep. Weisz, Chairman) recommends **AMENDMENTS AS FOLLOWS** and when so amended, recommends **DO PASS** (14 YEAS, 0 NAYS, 0 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING). HB 1338 was placed on the Sixth order on the calendar.

Page 1, line 9, remove the overstrike over "~~or other body fluids~~"

Page 1, line 9, remove "only"

Renumber accordingly

REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE

HCR 3001: Appropriations Committee (Rep. Vigesaa, Chairman) recommends **DO PASS** (21 YEAS, 0 NAYS, 2 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING). HCR 3001 was placed on the Eleventh order on the calendar.

FIRST READING OF HOUSE BILLS

Rep. Lefor introduced:

HB 1446: A BILL for an Act to create and enact two new sections to chapter 15-10 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to a pilot program for tenured faculty review at institutions of higher education; and to declare an emergency.

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

Reps. Weisz, Lefor, Nelson, Stemen, Vigesaa and Sens. Bekkedahl, Lee introduced:

HB 1447: A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new section to chapter 50-06 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to creation of the opioid settlement fund; to amend and reenact section 5 of chapter 3 of the 2021 Session Laws, relating to the funding of the opioid treatment and prevention program; to provide for a transfer; and to declare an emergency.

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

Reps. Weisz, Dockter, Wagner and Sen. Klein introduced:

HB 1448: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact sections 15-0602 and 54-01-13.2 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the composition of the county board of appraisers and land appraisal requirements.

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

Reps. Mock, Boschee, Louser, Wagner, Warrey and Sens. Kessel, Larsen, Meyer introduced:

HB 1449: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact subsection 2 of section 5-01-14, subsection 2 of section 5-01-17, section 5-01-19, and subsection 3 of section 5-01-21 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to event permits for microbrew pubs, domestic wineries, domestic distilleries, and brewer taproom licensees, and the domestic farm product requirement for domestic distilleries.

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

Reps. Roers Jones, Cory, Dakane, McLeod, Meier, O'Brien, Schneider, Strinden, VanWinkle and Sens. Myrdal, K. Roers introduced:

HB 1450: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact subsection 2 of section 14-02.4-03 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the definition of pregnancy in our discrimination laws.

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

Reps. Ostlie, Jonas, Schreiber-Beck and Sens. Axtman, Conley introduced:

HB 1451: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 15.1-21-02.6 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the North Dakota scholarship; and to provide an appropriation.

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

Reps. Motschenbacher, Bosch, Headland, Heinert, Kasper, Lefor, Monson, J. Olson, Toman and Sens. Dwyer, Larsen, Vedaa introduced:

HB 1452: A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new chapter to title 57 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to imposition of the foreign influence tax and creation of the foreign influence tax fund; and to provide an effective date.

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

Reps. Schneider, Bahl, Conmy, Hanson, Klemin, Roers Jones, Satrom and Sens. Braunberger, Dwyer, Mathern introduced:

HB 1453: A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new section to chapter 29-08 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to a uniform bail schedule initiative; and to provide for a legislative management report.

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

Rep. Thomas and Sen. Luick introduced:

HB 1454: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact subsection 2 of section 6-09.18-01 and sections 6-09.18-02, 6-09.18-03, 6-09.18-04, 6-09.18-05, 6-09.18-06, and 6-09.18-07 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to innovation technology grants.

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

Reps. O'Brien, Hagert, Monson, Roers Jones, Schauer, Schreiber-Beck and Sens. Kreun, Patten, J. Roers, Wanzek introduced:

HB 1455: A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new section to chapter 57-39.2 and a new subdivision to subsection 4 of section 57-40.2-03.3 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to a sales and use tax exemption for materials used in the research and development of bioscience and biotechnology and manufacture of bioscience and biotechnology products; and to provide an effective date.

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

Reps. O'Brien, Grueneich, Hagert and Sen. Patten introduced:

HB 1456: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact subdivision a of subsection 12 of section 57-39.2-01 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the definition of gross receipts for purposes of sales tax calculation.

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

Reps. Prichard, Davis, Finley-DeVill, Fisher, Holle, McLeod, Meier and Sens. Clemens, Lee, Weston introduced:

HB 1457: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 27-20.3-24 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to creating a preference for foster home families in the adoption process.

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

Reps. Vetter, Beltz, Bosch, Cory, Koppelman, Motschenbacher, Rohr, M. Ruby, Satrom and Sens. Barta, Dever, Meyer introduced:

HB 1458: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 14-09-09.7 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to child support guidelines.

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

Reps. Mitskog, Heinert, Schneider and Sen. Larson introduced:

HB 1459: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 19-03.1-23.1 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to increased penalties for drug offenses within three hundred feet of a public park; and to provide a penalty.

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

Reps. Hanson, Christy, Ista, Richter, Schneider, Warrey and Sens. Cleary, Hogan introduced:

HB 1460: A BILL for an Act to create and enact chapter 34-06.2, a new section to chapter 57-38, and a new subdivision to subsection 7 of section 57-38-30.3 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to a paid family medical leave program and an

income tax credit for contributions paid into the paid family medical leave fund on behalf of eligible employees; to provide an appropriation; to provide for a transfer; and to provide an effective date.

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

Reps. Bellew, Dockter, Kasper, Koppelman, Porter and Sens. Clemens, Paulson introduced:

HB 1461: A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new section to chapter 57-15 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to limitations on property tax levies by taxing districts without voter approval; to amend and reenact subdivision a of subsection 4 of section 15.1-27-04.1 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the determination of school district state aid payments; and to provide an effective date.

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

Reps. Schatz, Bellew, Dockter, Hauck, VanWinkle and Sens. Luick, Paulson introduced:

HB 1462: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact sections 28-34-01 and 61-16.1-54 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the procedural requirements governing appeals from a local governing body and water resource board.

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

Reps. Porter, Bosch, D. Johnson, Lefor, Schauer introduced:

HB 1463: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 44-04-21 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to legislative voting requirements.

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

Reps. Longmuir, Heinert, Jonas, Pyle, Richter, Schreiber-Beck, Strinden and Sens. Rust, Schaible introduced:

HB 1464: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact sections 15.1-27-04.1, 15.1-32-01, 15.1-32-14, and 15.1-32-18 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to high-cost students.

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

Reps. Longmuir, Dockter, Fegley, Hatlestad, Richter, Stemen, Vigasaa and Sens. Bekkedahl, Kannianen, Rust, Vedaa introduced:

HB 1465: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact sections 43-03-03 and 43-03-04 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to membership of the state board of architecture and landscape architecture; and to provide for application.

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

Reps. Henderson, D. Anderson, Fisher, Hauck, Headland, Tveit and Sens. Magrum, Weston, Wobbema introduced:

HB 1466: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 32-15-32 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to costs to landowners in eminent domain adjudicative proceedings.

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

Reps. Henderson, K. Anderson, Bellew, Kasper, Koppelman, Louser, S. Olson, Schatz and Sens. Boehm, Clemens, Weston introduced:

HB 1467: A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new section to chapter 16.1-01 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to random audits after the certification of an election.

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

Reps. Dakane, Davis, Dobervich, Mitskog, Roers Jones, Swiontek and Sens. Braunberger, Lee, Mathern introduced:

HB 1468: A BILL for an Act to provide an appropriation to the department of health and human services for mental health awareness services.

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

Reps. Novak, Dyk, J. Olson, S. Olson, Porter, Schauer, Weisz and Sens. Bekkedahl, Rust introduced:

HB 1469: A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new section to chapter 21-06 and two new subsections to section 21-10-02 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the investment and management of public funds.

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

Rep. Hager introduced:

HB 1470: A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new section to chapter 15-10 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to back-to-college grants; and to provide an appropriation.

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

Reps. Hager, Hanson, Schneider and Sens. Braunberger, Hogan, Mathern introduced:

HB 1471: A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new section to chapter 50-06 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to a food insecurity task force; and to provide for a report to the legislative management.

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

Reps. Hager, Boschee, Dobervich, Hanson, Ista, Mock, Schneider and Sens. Braunberger, Hogan, Mathern, Piepkorn introduced:

HB 1472: A BILL for an Act to repeal section 34-06-23 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to prohibition on political subdivision living wage mandates.

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

Reps. S. Olson, Bellew, Henderson, Hoverson, Prichard, Steiner, VanWinkle and Sen. Paulson introduced:

HB 1473: A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new section to chapter 12-44.1, a new section to chapter 12-46, a new section to chapter 12-47, a new section to chapter 14-07.1, a new section to chapter 15-10, and two new sections to chapter 15.1-19 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to participation in school-sponsored athletic events exclusively for males or females, the use of restrooms, locker rooms, and shower rooms in a public school, a dormitory or living facility controlled by the state board of higher education, a correctional facility, a domestic violence sexual assault organization facility, the North Dakota youth correctional center, and the penitentiary exclusively for males and females.

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

Reps. S. Olson, D. Anderson, Christensen, Kasper, Koppelman, Prichard, Steiner and Sen. Boehm introduced:

HB 1474: A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new section to chapter 23-02.1 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to vital statistic collection; and to amend and reenact section 1-01-49 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the definition of father, female, male, mother, and sex.

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

Reps. Koppelman, Grueneich, Louser, Murphy, Pyle, D. Ruby, Schneider, Vetter and Sens. Paulson, K. Roers introduced:

HB 1475: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact subdivision i of subsection 1 of section 39-09-02 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to speed limitations on multilane highways; and to provide a penalty.

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

Reps. Mitskog, Kreidt introduced:

HB 1476: A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new section to chapter 50-24.1 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to a moratorium on contract nursing services.

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

Reps. Hatlestad, B. Anderson, Fegley, Heinert, Longmuir, M. Ruby and Sen. Larson introduced:

HB 1477: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact sections 11-28.3-01 and 11-28.3-09, and subsection 1 of section 11-28.3-15 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to rural ambulance service districts.

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

Reps. Schneider, Beltz, Cory, Dobervich, O'Brien, M. Ruby, Steiner, Vetter and Sens. Braunberger, Mathern, Piepkorn introduced:

HB 1478: A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new section to chapter 19-24.1 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the self-certification of an individual sixty-five years of age or older for the medical use of marijuana.

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

Reps. Cory, Christensen, Dyk, Koppelman, M. Ruby and Sens. Boehm, Clemens, Larsen,

Luick, Magrum, Paulson introduced:

HB 1479: A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new section to chapter 62.1-01 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to restrictions on the possession, use, and manufacture of knives; and to amend and reenact subsection 1 of section 62.1-01-01 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the definition of dangerous weapon.

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

Reps. Boschee, Mitskog, Nelson, O'Brien, M. Ruby, Weisz and Sens. Burckhard, Cleary, Dever, Hogan, Lee, Mathern introduced:

HB 1480: A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new section to chapter 50-06 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to a pay for success fund; to provide for a report; to provide for a continuing appropriation; and to provide for a transfer.

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

Rep. Dobervich introduced:

HB 1481: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact subsection 2 of section 23-02.1-27 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to access to death records.

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

Rep. O'Brien introduced:

HB 1482: A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new section to chapter 43-13 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to optometrists making prescriptions available to patients.

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

Reps. Koppelman, Kasper, Louser, Marschall, M. Ruby, Schatz, Toman, Vetter and Sens. Larsen, Myrdal, K. Roers, Vedaa introduced:

HB 1483: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 62.1-02-05 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to possession of a firearm at a public gathering or in a federal building or courthouse; to repeal section 62.1-02-04 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the possession of a firearm in a liquor establishment; and to provide a penalty.

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

Rep. Toman introduced:

HB 1484: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact subsection 2 of section 53-06.1-03 and subsection 1 of section 53-06.1-06 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to gaming site authorization.

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

Reps. Kasper, Headland, Heinert, Koppelman, Lefor, Louser, Monson, Rohr, Steiner and Sens. Meyer, Paulson, Vedaa introduced:

HB 1485: A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new section to chapter 54-66 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the authority of the ethics commission; and to amend and reenact subsection 5 of section 28-32-08.1 and section 54-66-11 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the rulemaking process of the ethics commission.

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

Reps. Kasper, Dockter, Kempenich, Koppelman, D. Ruby, M. Ruby and Sens. Clemens, Larsen, Paulson introduced:

HB 1486: A BILL for an Act to create and enact sections 54-52-02.15, 54-52.2-09, 54-52.6-02.1, 54-52.6-05.1, 54-52.6-09.5, 54-52.6-09.6, and 54-52.6-22 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the closure of the public employees retirement system main plan, the deferred compensation program, and expansion of the defined contribution retirement plan; to amend and reenact section 6-09.4-10.1, paragraph 1 of subdivision a of subsection 1 of section 15-39.1-10.3, sections 21-10-13, 54-52-01, 54-52-02.5, 54-52-02.9, 54-52-02.11, and 54-52-02.12, subsection 2 of section 54-52-05, sections 54-52-06 and 54-52-14.3, subdivision b of subsection 1 of section 54-52-17.2, and sections 54-52.6-01, 54-52.6-02, 54-52.6-03, 54-52.6-05, 54-52.6-08, 54-52.6-09, 54-52.6-10, 54-52.6-13, 54-52.6-15, and 54-52.6-19 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to a transfer from the legacy earnings fund to the public employees retirement system main plan and the public employees retirement system defined benefit and defined contribution

retirement plans; to repeal section 54-52-06.5 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to public employees retirement system retirement plan contribution rates upon reaching full funding; to provide an appropriation; to provide for a transfer; to provide for application; and to provide an effective date.

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

Reps. Koppelman, Hauck, Heinert, Kasper, Louser, Novak, Tveit and Sens. Larsen, Magrum, Wobbema introduced:

HB 1487: A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new section to chapter 6-03 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to financial institutions use of merchant codes to track firearm and ammunition-related purchases; and to provide a penalty.

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

Reps. Marschall, Heilman, Hoverson, Koppelman, Longmuir, Wagner and Sens. Clemens, Magrum, Wobbema introduced:

HB 1488: A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new section to chapter 15.1-19 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to permission for a student to participate in extracurricular activities, cocurricular activities, and clubs.

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

Reps. Koppelman, Louser, Meier, Novak, S. Olson, Steiner, VanWinkle and Sens. Estenson, Myrdal, Paulson, Wobbema introduced:

HB 1489: A BILL for an Act to create and enact chapter 15-10.6 and a new section to chapter 44-08 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to requiring institutions of higher education designating athletic teams and sports for male, female, or coed participation and limitations on use of governmental property for athletic events.

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

Reps. Ista, Hagert, Heinert, Louser, O'Brien, Schauer, Schreiber-Beck and Sen. Dwyer introduced:

HB 1490: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 12.1-32-07.4 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to presumptive probation; and to provide a penalty.

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

Reps. Hager, Hanson, Ista, Schneider, Schreiber-Beck and Sens. Hogan, Mathern introduced:

HB 1491: A BILL for an Act to provide an appropriation to the superintendent of public instruction to provide grants to schools for lunch for students.

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

Reps. Ista, Cory, Mitskog, Mock, O'Brien, Roers Jones, M. Ruby, Schauer, Schneider and Sens. Hogan, Kreun, Lee introduced:

HB 1492: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 14-09-22 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to defining mental injury for the crime of child abuse; and to provide a penalty.

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

Reps. Heilman, K. Anderson, Christensen, Dyk, Hauck, Kasper, D. Ruby, Timmons and Sens. Clemens, Paulson introduced:

HB 1493: A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new subsection to section 39-06-03 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to who may not receive an operator's license; to amend and reenact section 39-01-01, subsection 2 of section 39-06-02, sections 39-06-03.1 and 39-06-07.1, subsection 5 of section 39-06-14, and section 39-06-19 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to motor vehicle definitions, nondriver photo identification cards, operator's license applications, and expiration of operator's licenses; and to declare an emergency.

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

Reps. Ista, Beltz, Hager, Heinert, Jonas, Mock, Murphy, O'Brien, Richter and Sens. Barta, Braunberger, Hogan introduced:

HB 1494: A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new section to chapter 15.1-07 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to school meal policies.

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

Reps. Wagner, Bosch, Dockter, Hauck, Headland, Louser, McLeod, Nathe, Pyle, D. Ruby

and Sens. Meyer, Sorvaag introduced:

HB 1495: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact subsection 4 of section 40-05-24 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to requirements for cities granting property tax incentives.

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

Reps. Mitskog, Boschee, Mock, Nelson and Sen. Vedaa introduced:

HB 1496: A BILL for an Act to provide an appropriation to the department of commerce for rural workforce housing grants.

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

Reps. Kempenich, Klemin, Lefor, Nathe, Schauer and Sens. Hogue, Klein, Schaible introduced:

HB 1497: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 53-06.1-03 and subsection 1 of section 53-06.1-14 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to gaming site number limits, electronic pull tab device limits, and manufacturing and distributing license fees.

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

Rep. Dockter introduced:

HB 1498: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact subsection 60 of section 57-39.2-04 and subsection 27 of section 57-40.2-04 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to a sales and use tax exemption for certain sales made to senior citizen organizations; and to provide an effective date.

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

Reps. Roers Jones, Conmy, Cory, Hanson, Mitskog, O'Brien, Pyle, Schreiber-Beck, Strinden, VanWinkle and Sens. Axtman, K. Roers introduced:

HB 1499: A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new section to chapter 6-09 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to a primary residence revolving loan fund; to provide a continuing appropriation; and to provide a transfer.

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

Reps. Schatz, Hanson introduced:

HB 1500: A BILL for an Act to create and enact sections 16.1-08.1-09, 16.1-08.1-10, 16.1-08.1-11, and 16.1-08.1-12 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to reporting the ultimate and true source of funds; to amend and reenact sections 16.1-08.1-01 and 16.1-10-04.1 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to political advertisements and reporting the ultimate and true sources of funds; to repeal section 16.1-08.1-08 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to identifying the ultimate and true source of funds; and to provide a penalty.

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

Rep. Beltz introduced:

HB 1501: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact subsection 1 of section 4.1-11-01 and sections 4.1-11-08, 4.1-11-10, 4.1-11-11, 4.1-11-12, 4.1-11-13, 4.1-11-14, and 4.1-11-15 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the North Dakota soybean council; and to provide an effective date.

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

Reps. Hoverson, Bellew, Dyk, Fisher, Heilman, Henderson, Marschall, Meier, D. Ruby and Sens. Paulson, Weston introduced:

HB 1502: A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new section to chapter 23-02.1 and two new sections to chapter 23-16 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to medical certification requirements, prohibitions on hospitals and health care facilities requiring employees receive certain vaccinations, and access to hospital care.

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

Reps. Hoverson, Timmons and Sen. Paulson introduced:

HB 1503: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 47-01-09 and subsection 1 of section 47-10.1-02 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to prohibition of foreign ownership of real property; and to provide for retroactive application.

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

Reps. Hagert, D. Anderson, Christensen, Mock, Ostlie and Sens. Conley, Larsen introduced:

HB 1504: A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new section to chapter 5-03 and a new section to chapter 57-38 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to an alcoholic beverage tax credit for qualified microbrew pubs and brewer taproom licensees for barley purchases and an income tax credit for qualified brewers for barley purchases; to provide an effective date; and to provide an expiration date.

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

Reps. Louser, Christensen, Kasper, Rohr, D. Ruby, M. Ruby, Steiner and Sens. Larsen, Paulson, Vedaa introduced:

HB 1505: A BILL for an Act to create and enact section 23-07-17.2 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to a prohibition on requiring a vaccination; and to provide a penalty.

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

Reps. Roers Jones, Frelich, Mock, Motschenbacher, D. Ruby, Wagner and Sens. Barta, Myrdal introduced:

HB 1506: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 39-07-01 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to a bicycle and a ridden animal being deemed a vehicle.

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

Reps. Hager, Schneider and Sens. Mathern, Piepkorn introduced:

HB 1507: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact subsection 1 of section 34-06-22 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the state minimum wage.

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

Reps. O'Brien, Lefor, Nathe, Sanford, Schreiber-Beck and Sens. Kreun, Meyer introduced:

HB 1508: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact sections 54-10-01, 54-10-14, and 54-10-27 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to audit fees of state institutions, political subdivisions, and occupational and professional boards; and to provide for retroactive application.

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

Reps. Conmy, Dakane, Dobervich, Hanson, Ista and Sen. Hogan introduced:

HB 1509: A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new section to chapter 23-12 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to pregnancy counseling services.

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

Reps. Klemin, Cory, Karls, J. Olson and Sen. Sickler introduced:

HB 1510: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 38-11.1-09 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to legal fees and costs a surface owner or mineral developer may be awarded in cases relating to the development of minerals.

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

Reps. Novak, Bosch, Hagert, Headland, Ista, Mock, Porter and Sens. Kannianen, Kreun, Patten introduced:

HB 1511: A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new section to chapter 57-39.2 and a new subdivision to subsection 3 of section 57-40.2-03.3 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to a sales and use tax exemption for materials used to construct or expand a coal processing facility that utilizes coal as a feedstock; and to provide an effective date.

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

Reps. Novak, Fisher, Heinert, Koppelman, Strinden and Sens. Beard, Boehm, Kessel, Magrum, Patten introduced:

HB 1512: A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new subsection to section 49-22-08, a new subsection to section 49-22-09, and two new subsections to section 49-22-16 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to exclusion areas and factors to consider when evaluating applications and designation of electric energy conversion facility sites, and public hearings; and to amend and reenact subsection 4 of section 49-22-05.1 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to electric energy conversion facility exclusion areas.

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

Reps. Schreiber-Beck, Dobervich, O'Brien, Pyle, Roers Jones, Strinden, Swiontek and Sen. Hogan introduced:

HB 1513: A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new subdivision to subsection 3 of section 57-40.2-03.3 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to payment of use tax by contractors; to amend and reenact subsection 24 of section 57-39.2-04 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to a sales tax exemption for sales to an eligible facility when used for the benefit of the facility's patient or occupant; and to provide an effective date.

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

Reps. Toman, Christensen, Motschenbacher, Rios and Sen. Larsen introduced:

HB 1514: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 21-03-07 and subsection 3 of section 21-03-10.1 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the threshold for passing a bond within a municipality.

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

Reps. Holle, Christensen, Dakane, Henderson, Hoverson, Prichard, Rios, Toman, Tveit and Sens. Myrdal, Schaible introduced:

HB 1515: A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new section to chapter 4.1-25 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the sale of raw milk directly to a consumer.

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

Rep. Weisz introduced:

HB 1516: A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new section to chapter 26.1-45 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to requirements of stand-alone long-term care insurance policies; and to amend and reenact section 26.1-45-01 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to definitions relating to long-term care insurance.

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

Reps. D. Ruby, Kasper, Koppelman, Prichard, Tveit, Weisz and Sens. Estenson, Larsen introduced:

HB 1517: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact subsection 7 of section 43-06-14.1 and subsection 7 of section 43-06-15 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to disciplinary proceedings of the state board of chiropractic examiners.

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

Reps. Richter, Brandenburg, Ista, Meier, Roers Jones, Rohr, Steiner, Weisz and Sens. Davison, Kannianen, Myrdal introduced:

HB 1518: A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new section to chapter 12.1-34 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to rights of a sexual assault survivor.

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

Reps. Hagert, Nathe, O'Brien, Porter, Stemen and Sens. Bekkedahl, Meyer, Weber introduced:

HB 1519: A BILL for an Act to provide appropriations to the department of transportation, department of health and human services, department of career and technical education, department of agriculture, and industrial commission for unmanned aircraft system grants; and to provide a report.

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

Reps. B. Anderson, Dyk, Hatlestad, Kempenich, Longmuir, J. Olson and Sens. Bekkedahl, Rust introduced:

HB 1520: A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new subsection to section 38-08-04 and sections 38-08-06.5 and 38-08-06.6 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to jurisdiction of the industrial commission and payment for production from wells; to amend and reenact sections 38-08-02, 38-08-06.3, 47-16-39.1, 47-16-39.2, and 47-16-39.4 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to royalties; and to provide a penalty.

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

Reps. Murphy, Dyk, Longmuir, Sanford and Sen. Meyer introduced:

HB 1521: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 15.1-07-35 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to alternative curriculum outside of a classroom.

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

Reps. Dyk, Christensen, Timmons, VanWinkle and Sens. Beard, Weston introduced:

HB 1522: A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new section to chapter 15.1-06 of the North

Dakota Century Code, relating to providing accommodations to a transgender student; to provide a penalty; and to declare an emergency.
Was read the first time and referred to the **Human Services Committee**.

Rep. Henderson and Sen. Weston introduced:

HB 1523: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact sections 16.1-03-01, 16.1-03-07, 16.1-03-08, and 16.1-03-11 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to political committee organizations; and to repeal sections 16.1-03-03, 16.1-03-05, and 16.1-03-17 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to committeemen and political party reorganization after redistricting.

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

Reps. Kempenich, Lefor and Sen. Hogue introduced:

HB 1524: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 53-06.1-08.2 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to electronic pull tab device requirements.

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

Reps. Murphy, Bahl, Cory, Grueneich, Schauer, Vetter and Sen. Barta introduced:

HB 1525: A BILL for an Act to provide an appropriation to the university of North Dakota and to North Dakota state university.

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

Reps. Dyk, Hoverson, Prichard, Rios, Timmons and Sen. Beard introduced:

HB 1526: A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new section to chapter 14-02.4, a new section to chapter 15.1-07, and three new sections to chapter 15.1-21 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to school discrimination, parental rights and involvement in school, curbing of social emotional learning, required curriculum, and the review and recommendation of instructional materials; to amend and reenact subsection 6 of section 14-02.4-02 and section 15.1-21-24 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the definition of a discriminatory practice and reproductive health education requirements; and to provide a penalty.

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

Rep. Heilman introduced:

HB 1527: A BILL for an Act to create and enact chapter 34-16 of the North Dakota Century Code, related to illegal aliens and private employment; and to provide a penalty.

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

Reps. Mock, Bosch, Ista, Kempenich, Louser, Roers Jones, Toman, Weisz and Sens. Davison, Paulson, K. Roers, Wanzek introduced:

HB 1528: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 54-46-08 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the final disposition of records.

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

Reps. Prichard, Bahl, Hoverson, J. Johnson, Koppelman, McLeod, Vetter and Sens. Barta, Braunberger, Estenson, Magrum introduced:

HB 1529: A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new section to chapter 16.1-08.1 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to statewide political party campaign finance disclosures; to amend and reenact subsection 7 of section 16.1-08.1-01 and sections 16.1-08.1-02.3 and 16.1-08.1-02.4 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to reporting of expenditures for political purposes; to provide a penalty; and to provide an appropriation.

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

Reps. Schobinger, Mitskog, Nelson, O'Brien, Stemen and Sens. Dever, Hogan, Lee introduced:

HB 1530: A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new section to chapter 50-24.1 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to covered services for medical assistance.

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

Reps. Prichard, Dyk, Heilman, Rios, Schatz, Timmons, VanWinkle and Sen. Paulson introduced:

HB 1531: A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new section to chapter 15-10 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to prohibiting institutions of higher education from waiving application fees based on certain characteristics of the applicant.

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

Reps. Cory, Kasper, Kempenich, Lefor, Nathe, Porter, Strinden and Sens. Beard, Burckhard, Hogue, Meyer, Wobbema introduced:

HB 1532: A BILL for an Act to create and enact chapter 15.1-39 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the establishment of an educational reimbursement program; to provide an appropriation; and to provide an effective date.

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

Reps. Boschee, Hanson, Ista, Klemin, Pyle, Roers Jones, Schneider and Sen. Braunberger introduced:

HB 1533: A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new chapter to title 14 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to protecting survivors of domestic abuse from abusive litigation.

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

Reps. Prichard, K. Anderson, Fegley, Fisher, Frelich, Kiefert and Sens. Cleary, Clemens, Larson, Weston introduced:

HB 1534: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 14-15-11 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to waiver of certain adoption requirements for licensed foster care providers.

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

Reps. Boschee, Dakane and Sen. Braunberger introduced:

HB 1535: A BILL for an Act to create and enact two new sections to chapter 47-16 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to residential leases and evictions.

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

Reps. Davis, Conmy, Finley-DeVille, Hager, Henderson, Klemin, Pyle, Rohr, Weisz and Sen. Luick introduced:

HB 1536: A BILL for an Act to create and enact sections 27-20.3-19.1, 27-20.3-19.2, 27-20.3-19.3, 27-20.3-19.4, and 27-20.3-19.5 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to adopting a state Indian child welfare act; and to amend and reenact section 27-20.3-19 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to Indian child welfare.

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

Reps. Schneider, Boschee, Conmy, Dakane, Davis, Dobervich, Finley-DeVille, Hanson and Sens. Braunberger, Mathern, Piepkorn introduced:

HB 1537: A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new section to chapter 54-12 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the data collection and reporting of bias crimes; to amend and reenact sections 12-63-04, 12.1-17-02, 12.1-17-07, and 12.1-21-05 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the duty of the peace officer standards and training board to provide training on bias crimes, aggravated assault, harassment, and criminal mischief; to provide for a report to the legislative management; and to provide a penalty.

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

Rep. Porter introduced:

HB 1538: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact subsection 20 of section 20.1-02-05 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the powers of the director of the game and fish department; and to create and enact a new section to chapter 20.1-02 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to fishing contests.

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

FIRST READING OF HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

Reps. Mock, K. Anderson, Beltz, Dakane, Grueneich, Hagert, Murphy, D. Ruby and Sens. Clemens, Conley, Paulson, Rummel introduced:

HCR 3009: A concurrent resolution designating the second week in May of 2023-24 as "North Dakota Share the Road Safety Week".

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

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

Buell J. Reich, Chief Clerk