

## JOURNAL OF THE SENATE

## Sixty-eighth Legislative Assembly

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Bismarck, January 12, 2023

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

The prayer was offered by Pastor Randy Upgren, Inspire Family Fellowship, Bismarck.

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

A quorum was declared by the President.

## REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE

**SB 2038: Industry and Business Committee (Sen. Larsen, Chairman)** recommends **DO PASS** (5 YEAS, 0 NAYS, 0 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING). SB 2038 was placed on the Eleventh order on the calendar. This bill does not affect workforce development.

## REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE

**SB 2040: Industry and Business Committee (Sen. Larsen, Chairman)** recommends **DO PASS** (5 YEAS, 0 NAYS, 0 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING). SB 2040 was placed on the Eleventh order on the calendar. This bill does not affect workforce development.

## MOTION

**SEN. KLEIN MOVED** that SB 2038, which is on the Eleventh order, be laid over one legislative day, and that SB 2040, which is on the Eleventh order, be laid over one legislative day, which motion prevailed.

## REPORT OF PROCEDURAL COMMITTEE

**MADAM PRESIDENT:** Your procedural **Rules Committee (Sen. Klein, Chairman)**

**SECTION 1. AMENDMENT.** Senate Rule 102 is amended as follows:

**102. Absence and presence.** As used in these rules, "absent" means not present, and "present" means being physically in the chamber or room where the session or meeting is being held, ~~and for purposes of a committee meeting, includes participation or participating in the session or meeting~~ by means of interactive video or teleconference call. ~~No A member present and participating remotely has the same rights, privileges, and duties as a member physically present, is deemed to be "on the floor" for purposes of floor sessions, and may vote remotely. A member may not participate on the floor remotely unless the Majority Leader has determined circumstances dictate remote participation is necessitated. A member or officer of the Senate, unless unable to attend due to illness or other cause, may not be absent from a session of the Senate, during an entire day, without first having obtained leave from the Senate, and no one is entitled to draw pay while absent more than one day without leave.~~

**SECTION 2. AMENDMENT.** Senate Rule 303 is amended as follows:

**303. Call of the Senate.**

1. Eight members of the Senate may cause a call of the Senate to be ordered and absent members to be sent for, but a call may not be ordered while a vote is being taken.
2. The call being requested, the presiding officer shall require those desiring the call to rise or raise their hands, and if eight or more members rise or raise their hands, the call must be ordered.
3. The call being ordered, the Sergeant-at-Arms shall close the door and allow no members to leave the chamber. A member present and participating remotely may not leave the remote proceeding.

4. The Secretary shall then call the roll and furnish the Sergeant-at-Arms with a list of those members absent without leave, and that officer shall proceed to find and bring in those absentees or compel the absentees' remote participation.
5. While the Senate is under call, no business can be transacted except to receive and act on the report of the Sergeant-at-Arms, and no motion is in order except a motion to suspend further proceedings under the call, and the motion may not be adopted unless a majority of all members-elect vote in favor of the motion.
6. Upon a report of the Sergeant-at-Arms showing that all members who were absent without leave, naming them, are present, the call is at an end, the door must be opened, and the Senate shall proceed with the business pending at the time the call was made.

**SECTION 3. AMENDMENT.** Senate Rule 305 is amended as follows:

**305. Recognition by the presiding officer.** Every member who is present physically desiring to speak shall rise and respectfully so indicate by pressing the "speak" button on the member's desk. If the "speak" button does not work, the member may rise, respectfully address the presiding officer, and shall remain standing in place before proceeding to speak until recognized by the presiding officer. Every member who is present and participating remotely who wishes to speak shall so indicate by the means designated by the presiding officer and shall wait to speak until recognized by the presiding officer. When two or more members rise at the same time to speak, the presiding officer shall designate the member who is to speak first, but in all other cases the member who rises first and addresses the presiding officer must be the first recognized.

**SECTION 4. AMENDMENT.** Senate Rule 321 is amended as follows:

**321. Vote by members.** Every member who is present, before the vote is announced from the chair, shall vote for or against the question before the Senate, unless the Senate excuses the member. If the member has not voted before the key is closed, the member shall vote before the vote is announced. A member cannot cast a vote on behalf of another member unless the vote is cast according to verbal instructions announced to the Senate by that other member while in the chamber present. However, any member who has a personal or private interest in any measure or bill shall disclose the fact to the Senate and may not vote thereon without the consent of the Senate. A "personal or private interest" is an interest that affects the member directly, individually, uniquely, and substantially.

**SECTION 5. AMENDMENT.** Senate Rule 360 is amended as follows:

**360. Electrical voting system and remote voting.** Unless otherwise ordered, any vote may be taken by means of the electrical voting system, which is under the control of the presiding officer. A member who is present and participating remotely may vote using a system established for that purpose. The system must provide means to record and make public the member's roll call votes.

**SEN. KLEIN MOVED** that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed on a verification vote.

#### CONSIDERATION OF AMENDMENTS

**SB 2026: SEN. CLEARY (Human Services Committee) MOVED** that the amendments on SJ page 179 be adopted and then be placed on the Eleventh order with **DO PASS**, which motion prevailed on a voice vote.

#### CONSIDERATION OF AMENDMENTS

**SB 2041: SEN. BRAUNBERGER (Judiciary Committee) MOVED** that the amendments on SJ page 179 be adopted and then be placed on the Eleventh order with **DO PASS**, which motion prevailed on a voice vote.

#### CONSIDERATION OF AMENDMENTS

**SB 2047: SEN. SICKLER (Judiciary Committee) MOVED** that the amendments on SJ pages 179-180 be adopted and then be placed on the Eleventh order with **DO PASS**, which motion prevailed on a voice vote.

**CONSIDERATION OF AMENDMENTS**

**SB 2084: SEN. CLEARY (Human Services Committee) MOVED** that the amendments on SJ page 180 be adopted and then be placed on the Eleventh order with **DO PASS**, which motion prevailed on a voice vote.

**CONSIDERATION OF AMENDMENTS**

**SCR 4001: SEN. K. ROERS (Human Services Committee) MOVED** that the amendments on SJ page 180 be adopted and then be placed on the Eleventh order with **DO PASS**, which motion prevailed on a voice vote.

**CONSIDERATION OF AMENDMENTS**

**SB 2104: SEN. LEE (Human Services Committee) MOVED** that the amendments on SJ page 180 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 2049:** A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact sections 15-04-09, 15-04-19, 15-08-19.1, and 15-08-19.4 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the leasing and administration of lands managed by the board of university and school lands; and to repeal section 15-04-18 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the leasing and administration of lands managed by the board of university and school lands.

**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:** Axtman; Barta; Beard; Bekkedahl; Boehm; Braunberger; Burckhard; Cleary; Clemens; Conley; Davison; Dever; Dwyer; Elkin; Estenson; Hogan; Hogue; Kannianen; Kessel; Klein; Krebsbach; Kreun; Larsen; Larson; Lee; Lemm; Luick; Mathern; Meyer; Myrdal; Patten; Paulson; Piepkorn; Roers, J.; Roers, K.; Rummel; Rust; Schaible; Sickler; Sorvaag; Vedaa; Wanzek; Weber; Weston; Wobbema

**NAYS:** Magrum

**ABSENT AND NOT VOTING:** Erbele

Engrossed SB 2049 passed and the emergency clause was declared carried.

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**SECOND READING OF SENATE BILL**

**SB 2113:** A BILL for an Act to create and enact section 24-02-37.3 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the creation of a flexible transportation fund.

**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:** Axtman; Barta; Beard; Bekkedahl; Boehm; Braunberger; Burckhard; Cleary; Clemens; Conley; Davison; Dever; Dwyer; Elkin; Estenson; Hogan; Hogue; Kannianen; Kessel; Klein; Krebsbach; Kreun; Larsen; Larson; Lee; Lemm; Luick; Magrum; Mathern; Meyer; Myrdal; Patten; Paulson; Piepkorn; Roers, J.; Roers, K.; Rummel; Rust; Schaible; Sickler; Sorvaag; Vedaa; Wanzek; Weber; Weston; Wobbema

**ABSENT AND NOT VOTING:** Erbele

Engrossed SB 2113 passed.

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**SECOND READING OF SENATE BILL**

**SB 2029:** A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact sections 54-16-04.1 and 54-16-04.2 of the

North Dakota Century Code, relating to emergency commission and budget section approval to accept and disburse federal funds and state special funds; 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:** Axtman; Barta; Beard; Bekkedahl; Boehm; Braunberger; Burckhard; Cleary; Clemens; Conley; Davison; Dever; Dwyer; Elkin; Estenson; Hogan; Kannianen; Kessel; Klein; Krebsbach; Kreun; Larsen; Larson; Lee; Lemm; Luick; Magrum; Mathern; Meyer; Myrdal; Patten; Paulson; Piepkorn; Roers, J.; Roers, K.; Rummel; Rust; Schaible; Sickler; Sorvaag; Vedaa; Wanzek; Weber; Weston; Wobbema

**NAYS:** Hogue

**ABSENT AND NOT VOTING:** Erbele

Engrossed SB 2029 passed and the emergency clause was declared carried.

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#### MOTION

**SEN. KLEIN MOVED** that SB 2026 be rereferred to the **Appropriations Committee**, which motion prevailed. Pursuant to Sen. Klein's motion, SB 2026 was rereferred.

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

**MR. SPEAKER:** The Senate has passed, and your favorable consideration is requested on: SB 2045, SB 2046, SB 2051, SB 2053, SB 2054, SB 2068, SB 2091, SB 2097, SB 2111, SB 2112, SB 2121.

#### 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 2083, SB 2120.

#### 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 1170.

#### 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: HCR 3003.

#### 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, and Ninth orders of business and at the conclusion of those orders, the Senate stand adjourned until 12:30 p.m., Friday, January 13, 2023, which motion prevailed.

#### REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE

**SB 2039: Industry and Business Committee (Sen. Larsen, Chairman)** recommends **DO PASS** (5 YEAS, 0 NAYS, 0 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING). SB 2039 was placed on the Eleventh order on the calendar. This bill does not affect workforce development.

#### REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE

**SB 2043: Judiciary Committee (Sen. Larson, Chairman)** recommends **AMENDMENTS AS FOLLOWS** and when so amended, recommends **DO PASS** (7 YEAS, 0 NAYS, 0 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING). SB 2043 was placed on the Sixth order on the calendar. This bill does not affect workforce development.

Page 1, line 3, after "29-29.1-03" insert a comma

Page 1, line 4, replace "insurance" with "issuance"

Page 1, line 9, remove "Definitions."

Page 1, line 9, remove the underscored colon

Page 1, remove lines 10 through 12

Page 1, line 13, replace "b." with an underscored comma

Page 1, line 16, after the first "the" insert "target"

Page 1, line 16, replace "recipients" with "target recipient"

Page 2, line 3, remove "judge or"

Page 2, after line 8, insert:

**"SECTION 2. AMENDMENT.** Subsection 1 of section 29-29.1-02 of the North Dakota Century Code is amended and reenacted as follows:

1. The one seeking the warrant shall establish under oath or affirmation that the property or electronic communication information to be searched or inspected is to be searched or inspected as a part of a legally authorized program of inspection which naturally includes that property or electronic communication information, or that there is probable cause for believing that there is a condition, object, activity, or circumstance which legally justifies such a search or inspection of that property or electronic communication information,"

Page 2, line 11, remove "judge or"

Page 2, line 12, remove "judge's or"

Renumber accordingly

#### REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE

**SB 2057: Energy and Natural Resources Committee (Sen. Patten, Chairman)** recommends **DO PASS** (6 YEAS, 0 NAYS, 0 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING). SB 2057 was placed on the Eleventh order on the calendar. This bill does not affect workforce development.

#### REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE

**SB 2093: Judiciary Committee (Sen. Larson, Chairman)** recommends **AMENDMENTS AS FOLLOWS** and when so amended, recommends **DO PASS** (7 YEAS, 0 NAYS, 0 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING). SB 2093 was placed on the Sixth order on the calendar. This bill does not affect workforce development.

Page 2, line 19, after "1H" insert an underscored hyphen

Page 3, line 27, replace "N-pyrrolidino, etonitazene, and etonitazepyne" with "N-Pyrrolidino, Etonitazene, and Etonitazepyne"

Page 9, line 24, after the underscored semicolon insert "or"

Page 9, line 27, after the underscored semicolon insert "or"

Page 23, after line 11, insert:

"L. Diclazepam."

Page 26, after line 6, insert:

"o. Methiopropamine (Also known as N-methyl-1-(thiophen-2-yl)propan-2-amine)."

Page 28, overstrike lines 29 and 30

Page 29, overstrike lines 1 and 2

Page 29, line 3, overstrike "6." and insert immediately thereafter "5."

Page 29, line 21, overstrike "7." and insert immediately thereafter "6."

Page 29, line 29, overstrike "8." and insert immediately thereafter "7."

Renumber accordingly

#### REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE

**SB 2101: Energy and Natural Resources Committee (Sen. Patten, Chairman)** recommends **DO PASS** (6 YEAS, 0 NAYS, 0 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING). SB 2101 was placed on the Eleventh order on the calendar. This bill does not affect workforce development.

#### REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE

**SB 2109: State and Local Government Committee (Sen. K. Roers, Chairman)** recommends **DO PASS** (6 YEAS, 0 NAYS, 0 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING). SB 2109 was placed on the Eleventh order on the calendar. This bill does not affect workforce development.

#### REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE

**SB 2130: State and Local Government Committee (Sen. K. Roers, Chairman)** recommends **DO PASS** (6 YEAS, 0 NAYS, 0 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING). SB 2130 was placed on the Eleventh order on the calendar. This bill does not affect workforce development.

#### FIRST READING OF SENATE BILLS

Sens. Vedaa, Hogue, Kannianen and Reps. Bosch, Dockter, Lefor introduced:

**SB 2217:** A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new section to chapter 51-07 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the calculation of interchange fees for electronic payment transactions; and to provide a penalty.

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

Sen. Vedaa and Reps. D. Anderson, Louser, Thomas introduced:

**SB 2218:** A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact subsection 1 of section 65-05-08 and section 65-05-09.3 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the workers' compensation disability benefits and retirement presumption; and to repeal sections 65-05-09.4 and 65-05-09.5 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to workers' compensation additional benefits payable; and to provide for application.

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

Sens. Hogue, Clemens, Conley and Reps. Fegley, D. Ruby, Thomas introduced:

**SB 2219:** A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 14-08.1-07, subsection 6 of section 39-06-19, section 39-06-32, subsection 4 of section 39-06-33, subdivision i of subsection 2 of section 39-06-49, subsection 5 of section 39-06.1-11, and subsection 2 of section 39-16-03.1 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to suspension of an operator's license for nonpayment of child support, the issuance of a temporary permit, authority to suspend an operator's license for failure to pay a fine, hearings on suspension or revocation of license, license reinstatement fees, temporary restricted licenses, and entries on driver's record abstract; and to provide a penalty.

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

Sens. Kreun, Barta, Hogan, Mathern and Reps. Ista, O'Brien introduced:

**SB 2220:** A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact subsection 4 of section 21-10-13 and subsections 3 and 4 of section 54-17-40 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to an allocation from the legacy earnings fund and eligible projects under the housing incentive fund; to provide an effective date; and to declare an emergency.

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

Sens. Dwyer, Hogue, K. Roers and Reps. Lefor, Rohr, Weisz introduced:

**SB 2221:** A BILL for an Act to create and enact section 43-58-08.1 and three new sections to chapter 43-58 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the regulation of the practice of naturopathic medicine; to amend and reenact section 43-17-03, subsection 2 of section 43-57-01, section 43-57-03, subsection 1 of section 43-57-06, subsection 2 of section 43-57-07, section 43-57-11, subsection 2 of section 43-58-01, and sections 43-58-05, 43-58-08, and 43-58-09 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the regulation of the practice of naturopathic medicine; and to provide a penalty.

Was read the first time and referred to the **Workforce Development Committee**.

Sens. Dwyer, Lee, Sickler and Reps. Klemin, Nelson, Schneider introduced:

**SB 2222:** A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new section to chapter 30.1-29 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to emergency conservators; to amend and reenact section 30.1-03-02, subsection 1 of section 30.1-29-05, sections 30.1-29-07 and 30.1-29-08, subsection 1 of section 30.1-29-09, and sections 30.1-29-18, 30.1-29-19, 30.1-29-22, 30.1-29-24, and 30.1-29-25 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to a conservatorship.

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

Sens. Meyer, Burckhard, Kreun and Reps. Hagert, Heinert, M. Ruby introduced:

**SB 2223:** A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 15.1-08-02 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the residency requirement for military installation school board members.

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

Sens. Dwyer, Lee, Sickler and Reps. Klemin, Nelson, Schneider introduced:

**SB 2224:** A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new section to chapter 30.1-28 and a new subsection to section 30.1-28-10.1 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to guardianship proceedings for minors becoming incapacitated adults and emergency guardianship; to amend and reenact section 27-20.1-02, subsection 1 of section 27-20.1-09, subsection 2 of section 27-20.1-17, subsection 60 of section 30.1-01-06, subsection 1 of section 30.1-26-01, subsection 2 of section 30.1-27-05, sections 30.1-28-03, 30.1-28-04, and 30.1-28-07, subsection 2 of section 30.1-28-09, and subsection 7 of section 30.1-28-12 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to guardianship of minors, sale of property by a guardian, termination of a guardianship, waiver of notice, and guardians ad litem.

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

Sens. Dwyer, Lee, Sickler and Reps. Klemin, Nelson, Schneider introduced:

**SB 2225:** A BILL for an Act to create and enact sections 30.1-28-16, 30.1-28-17, 30.1-28-18, and 30.1-28-19 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to court-authorized involuntary treatment of a ward; to amend and reenact sections 25-03.1-18.2 and 30.1-26-01, subsection 2 of section 30.1-28-03, and sections 30.1-28-04, 30.1-28-12, and 30.1-28-14 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to involuntary treatment of a ward with prescribed medication.

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

Sens. Myrdal, Burckhard, Hogue, Klein and Reps. Lefor, Louser introduced:

**SB 2226:** A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 16.1-06-09 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the required form for measures to amend the constitution and the manner of placing the measures on ballots.

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

Sens. Lee, Dever, Hogan and Reps. Nelson, M. Ruby, Weisz introduced:

**SB 2227:** A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact sections 23-01-02 and 23-01-03 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the membership and duties of the health council.

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

Sen. Magrum introduced:

**SB 2228:** A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 38-22-08 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to permit requirements for pore space storage; to repeal

section 38-22-10 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to amalgamation property interests; and to declare an emergency.

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

Sens. Cleary, Lee, Meyer and Reps. Dockter, Rohr introduced:

**SB 2229:** A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new section to chapter 54-02 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to designating curling as the official state sport.

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

Sens. Clemens, Burckhard, Erbele and Rep. Christensen introduced:

**SB 2230:** A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new section to chapter 50-06 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to establishing an adoption assistance program for costs associated with the home study process; and to provide an appropriation.

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

Sens. Luick, Meyer and Reps. Cory, Karls introduced:

**SB 2231:** A BILL for an Act to create and enact sections 14-02.4-03.1 and 15.1-06-21 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to preferred pronoun discriminatory practices and school policies on expressed gender; and to amend and reenact section 14-02.4-02 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to preferred pronoun and discriminatory practice definitions.

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

Sens. Luick, Larson and Rep. Strinden introduced:

**SB 2232:** A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new subsection to section 44-04-18.7 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to exempting crime scene images of minors; and to amend and reenact section 44-04-06, subsection 5 of section 44-04-19.1, subsection 4 of section 44-04-20, and subsection 1 of section 44-04-21.1 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to law violations and open record and open meeting laws.

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

Sens. Klein, Bekkedahl, Hogue and Reps. Lefor, Vigesaa introduced:

**SB 2233:** A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact subsection 3 of section 4.1-01.1-07, subsection 6 of section 6-09-15.5, section 6-09-29, subsection 4 of section 6-09-46.2, subsection 5 of section 6-09-49.2, sections 6-09.8-03, 6-09.13-04, 6-09.14-02, 6-09.15-02, 6-09.16-03, and 6-09.18-05, subsection 6 of section 15.1-36-08, section 17-03-02, and subsection 2 of section 54-63.1-07 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the audit of loan programs administered by the Bank of North Dakota.

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

Sen. Beard introduced:

**SB 2234:** A BILL for an Act to provide an appropriation to the adjutant general for architecture and engineering costs for a new national guard training center.

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

Sen. Braunberger and Reps. Davis, Finley-DeVilleville introduced:

**SB 2235:** A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact sections 1-03-01 and 1-03-02 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to recognizing Juneteenth and Native American Heritage Day as holidays; and to repeal section 1-03-18 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to Juneteenth.

Was read the first time and referred to the **State and Local Government Committee**.

Sens. Hogan, Braunberger, Kreun, Lee introduced:

**SB 2236:** A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 32-03.3-02 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the personal liability of charitable organization employees; and to provide for application.

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

Sens. Hogan, Cleary, Piepkorn and Reps. Conmy, Dakane introduced:

**SB 2237:** A BILL for an Act to create and enact 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 child care income tax credit; and to provide an effective date.

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



Sens. Hogan, Braunberger, Kreun, Weber and Rep. Mitskog introduced:

**SB 2238:** A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 50-11.1-06.2 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to criminal history record checks for early childhood services providers; and to provide for a legislative management study.

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

Sens. Cleary, Dever and Rep. Boschee introduced:

**SB 2239:** A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact subsection 1 of section 54-52-06, subsection 3 of section 54-52.6-01, and subsection 3 of section 54-52.6-02 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to public employees retirement system main system plan employer contribution rates and participation in the public employees retirement system defined contribution plan; to provide an appropriation; and to provide for application.

Was read the first time and referred to the **State and Local Government Committee**.

Sen. Klein introduced:

**SB 2241:** A BILL for an Act to repeal section 32-03-30 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating damages for wrongful injuries to timber.

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

#### **FIRST READING OF SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTIONS**

Sens. Veda, Hogue, J. Roers and Reps. Kreidt, Lefor, Nathe introduced:

**SCR 4005:** A concurrent resolution urging Congress and the Director of the United States Mint to issue commemorative silver and gold coins to commemorate Theodore Roosevelt and the opening of the Theodore Roosevelt Presidential Library.

Was read the first time and referred to the **State and Local Government Committee**.

Sens. Magrum, Beard, Paulson and Reps. Klemin, S. Olson, Prichard introduced:

**SCR 4006:** A concurrent resolution to amend and reenact section 8 of article I of the Constitution of North Dakota, relating to search and seizure protections.

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

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

**Shanda Morgan, Secretary**

