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The House convened at 8:00 a.m., with Speaker Weisz presiding.

The prayer was offered by Pastor Bruce Irwin, Gospel Home Church, Bismarck.

The roll was called and all members were present except Representatives Bahl, C. Brown, Heilman, Kasper, and Marschall.

A quorum was declared by the Speaker.

CONSIDERATION OF MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE

REP. BOSCH MOVED that the House do not concur in the following Senate amendments and that a conference committee be appointed to meet with a like committee from the Senate, which motion prevailed on a voice vote.

Reengrossed HB 1535 ([25.1040.04006](#))

APPOINTMENT OF CONFERENCE COMMITTEE

THE SPEAKER APPOINTED as a Conference Committee on:

Reengrossed HB 1535: Reps. Karls, Christianson, Wolff.

APPOINTMENT OF CONFERENCE COMMITTEE

REP. BOSCH MOVED that the Speaker appoint a committee of three to act with a like committee from the Senate as a Conference Committee on Engrossed SB 2093, Engrossed SB 2225, and Engrossed SB 2256, which motion prevailed.

THE SPEAKER APPOINTED as a Conference Committee on:

Engrossed SB 2093: Reps. Hagert, Grueneich, Steiner

Engrossed SB 2225: Reps. Louser, B. Anderson, Motschenbacher

Engrossed SB 2256: Reps. Stemen, Fisher, Schauer

CONSIDERATION OF CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT

REP. MONSON MOVED that the conference committee report on Reengrossed HB 1524 as printed on HJ page 1405 be adopted, which motion prevailed on a voice vote.

Reengrossed HB 1524, as amended, was placed on the Eleventh order of business.

SECOND READING OF HOUSE BILL

HB 1524: A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new section to chapter 54-60 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to regional planning council grants from the department of commerce.

ROLL CALL

The question being on the final passage of the amended bill, which has been read, the roll was called and there were 70 YEAS, 20 NAYS, 4 ABSENT OR EXCUSED AND NOT VOTING.

YEAS: Anderson, B.; Anderson, D.; Anderson, K.; Beltz; Berg; Bolinske; Bosch; Brandenburg; Conmy; Davis; Dobervich; Dockter; Dressler; Fegley; Finley-DeVile; Fisher; Foss; Frelich; Grindberg; Grueneich; Hager; Hagert; Hanson; Hatlestad; Hauck; Headland; Heinert; Hendrix; Ista; Johnston, D.; Jonas; Karls; Kempenich; Kiefert; Klemin; Lefor; Longmuir; Louser; Maki; Martinson; McLeod; Meier; Mitskog; Monson; Motschenbacher; Murphy; Nathe; Nelson; Novak; O'Brien; Olson, J.; Ostlie; Porter; Pyle; Richter; Ruby, D.; Ruby, M.; Sanford; Satrom; Schauer; Schneider; Schreiber-Beck; Stemen; Swiontek; Toman; Tveit; Vigasaa; Wagner; Warrey; Weisz

NAYS: Brown, T.; Christianson; Heilman; Henderson; Holle; Hoverson; Johnson, J.; Koppelman; Morton; Nehring; Olson, S.; Osowski; Rios; Rohr; Schatz; Steiner; VanWinkle; Vetter; Vollmer; Wolff

ABSENT OR EXCUSED AND NOT VOTING: Bahl; Brown, C.; Kasper; Marschall

Reengrossed HB 1524 passed.

CONSIDERATION OF CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT

REP. T. BROWN MOVED that the conference committee report on Reengrossed SB 2265 as printed on HJ page 1405 be adopted, which motion prevailed on a voice vote.

Reengrossed SB 2265, as amended, was placed on the Fourteenth order of business.

SECOND READING OF SENATE BILL

SB 2265: A BILL for an Act to provide an appropriation to the department of veterans' affairs for a veterans' national cemetery grant; to authorize a line of credit; and to provide for a report.

ROLL CALL

The question being on the final passage of the amended bill, which has been read, the roll was called and there were 88 YEAS, 1 NAYS, 5 ABSENT OR EXCUSED AND NOT VOTING.

YEAS: Anderson, B.; Anderson, D.; Anderson, K.; Beltz; Berg; Bolinske; Brandenburg; Brown, T.; Christianson; Conmy; Davis; Dobervich; Dockter; Dressler; Fegley; Finley-DeVille; Fisher; Foss; Frelich; Grindberg; Grueneich; Hager; Hagert; Hanson; Hatlestad; Hauck; Headland; Heilman; Heinert; Henderson; Hendrix; Holle; Hoverson; Ista; Johnson, J.; Johnston, D.; Jonas; Karls; Kempenich; Kiefert; Klemin; Koppelman; Lefor; Longmuir; Louser; Maki; Martinson; McLeod; Meier; Mitskog; Monson; Morton; Motschenbacher; Murphy; Nathe; Nehring; Nelson; Novak; O'Brien; Olson, J.; Olson, S.; Osowski; Ostlie; Porter; Pyle; Richter; Rios; Rohr; Ruby, D.; Ruby, M.; Sanford; Satrom; Schatz; Schauer; Schneider; Schreiber-Beck; Steiner; Stemen; Swiontek; Toman; Tveit; VanWinkle; Vetter; Vigasaa; Vollmer; Wagner; Warrey; Weisz

NAYS: Wolff

ABSENT OR EXCUSED AND NOT VOTING: Bahl; Bosch; Brown, C.; Kasper; Marschall

Reengrossed SB 2265, as amended, passed.

MOTION

REP. BOSCH MOVED that SB 2308, which is on the Seventh order, be laid over one legislative day, which motion prevailed on a voice vote.

CONSIDERATION OF CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT

REP. BRANDENBURG MOVED that the conference committee report on Engrossed HB 1009 as printed on HJ page 1418 be adopted, which motion prevailed on a voice vote.

Engrossed HB 1009, as amended, was placed on the Eleventh order of business.

SECOND READING OF HOUSE BILL

HB 1009: A BILL for an Act to provide an appropriation for defraying the expenses of the agriculture commissioner; to amend and reenact section 4.1-01-02 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the salary of the agriculture commissioner; to provide for a transfer; to provide for a report; to provide an exemption; and to declare an emergency.

ROLL CALL

The question being on the final passage of the amended bill, which has been read, the roll

was called and there were 76 YEAS, 13 NAYS, 5 ABSENT OR EXCUSED AND NOT VOTING.

YEAS: Anderson, B.; Anderson, D.; Anderson, K.; Beltz; Berg; Bosch; Brandenburg; Conmy; Davis; Dobervich; Dockter; Fegley; Finley-DeVile; Fisher; Foss; Frelich; Grindberg; Grueneich; Hager; Hagert; Hanson; Hatlestad; Hauck; Headland; Heilman; Heinert; Hendrix; Ista; Johnson, J.; Johnston, D.; Jonas; Karls; Kempenich; Kiefert; Klemin; Lefor; Longmuir; Louser; Maki; Martinson; McLeod; Meier; Mitskog; Monson; Motschenbacher; Murphy; Nathe; Nelson; Novak; O'Brien; Olson, J.; Olson, S.; Osowski; Ostlie; Porter; Pyle; Richter; Rohr; Ruby, M.; Sanford; Satrom; Schatz; Schauer; Schneider; Schreiber-Beck; Steiner; Stemen; Swiontek; Toman; Tveit; Vetter; Vigasaa; Vollmer; Wagner; Warrey; Weisz

NAYS: Bolinske; Brown, T.; Christianson; Henderson; Holle; Hoverson; Koppelman; Morton; Nehring; Rios; Ruby, D.; VanWinkle; Wolff

ABSENT OR EXCUSED AND NOT VOTING: Bahl; Brown, C.; Dressler; Kasper; Marschall

Reengrossed HB 1009 passed and the emergency clause was declared carried.

CONSIDERATION OF CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT

REP. MEIER MOVED that the conference committee report on Engrossed HB 1010 as printed on HJ page 1418 be adopted, which motion prevailed on a voice vote.

Engrossed HB 1010, as amended, was placed on the Eleventh order of business.

SECOND READING OF HOUSE BILL

HB 1010: A BILL for an Act to provide an appropriation for defraying the expenses of the insurance commissioner; to create and enact a new section to chapter 26.1-23.1 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to a government self-insurance pool report; to amend and reenact subsection 8 of section 10-04-10 and section 26.1-01-09 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to fees charged by the securities division and the salary of the insurance commissioner; and to provide for a legislative management report.

ROLL CALL

The question being on the final passage of the amended bill, which has been read, the roll was called and there were 81 YEAS, 8 NAYS, 5 ABSENT OR EXCUSED AND NOT VOTING.

YEAS: Anderson, B.; Anderson, K.; Beltz; Berg; Bolinske; Bosch; Brandenburg; Brown, T.; Conmy; Davis; Dobervich; Dockter; Dressler; Fegley; Finley-DeVile; Fisher; Foss; Frelich; Grindberg; Grueneich; Hager; Hagert; Hanson; Hatlestad; Hauck; Headland; Heilman; Heinert; Hendrix; Holle; Ista; Johnson, J.; Johnston, D.; Jonas; Karls; Kempenich; Kiefert; Klemin; Koppelman; Lefor; Longmuir; Louser; Maki; Martinson; McLeod; Meier; Mitskog; Monson; Motschenbacher; Murphy; Nathe; Nelson; Novak; O'Brien; Olson, J.; Osowski; Ostlie; Porter; Pyle; Richter; Rios; Rohr; Ruby, D.; Ruby, M.; Sanford; Satrom; Schatz; Schauer; Schneider; Schreiber-Beck; Steiner; Stemen; Swiontek; Toman; Tveit; Vetter; Vigasaa; Vollmer; Wagner; Warrey; Weisz

NAYS: Christianson; Henderson; Hoverson; Morton; Nehring; Olson, S.; VanWinkle; Wolff

ABSENT OR EXCUSED AND NOT VOTING: Anderson, D.; Bahl; Brown, C.; Kasper; Marschall

Reengrossed HB 1010 passed.

CONSIDERATION OF CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT

REP. WARREY MOVED that the conference committee report on Engrossed HB 1448 as printed on HJ page 1419 be adopted, which motion prevailed on a voice vote.

CONSIDERATION OF CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT

REP. KOPPELMAN MOVED that the conference committee report on Engrossed HB 1229 as printed on HJ page 1418 be adopted, which motion prevailed on a voice vote.

Engrossed HB 1229, as amended, was placed on the Eleventh order of business.

SECOND READING OF HOUSE BILL

HB 1229: A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new subdivision to subsection 2 of section 39-06.1-06, a new paragraph to subdivision a of subsection 3 of section 39-06.1-10, and section 39-10-71.1 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to statutory fees for traffic offenses, points assigned to driving records, and a motor vehicle owner's responsibility regarding a driver who flees a peace officer; to amend and reenact subsection 1 of section 39-06.1-10 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to entries against a driving record; and to provide a penalty.

ROLL CALL

The question being on the final passage of the amended bill, which has been read, the roll was called and there were 75 YEAS, 14 NAYS, 5 ABSENT OR EXCUSED AND NOT VOTING.

YEAS: Anderson, B.; Anderson, K.; Beltz; Berg; Bolinske; Bosch; Brandenburg; Brown, T.; Conmy; Davis; Dobervich; Dockter; Fegley; Finley-DeVile; Fisher; Foss; Grindberg; Grueneich; Hager; Hagert; Hanson; Hatlestad; Hauck; Headland; Heilman; Heinert; Hendrix; Holle; Ista; Johnston, D.; Jonas; Karls; Kempenich; Kiefert; Klemin; Koppelman; Lefor; Longmuir; Louser; Maki; Martinson; McLeod; Meier; Mitskog; Monson; Motschenbacher; Murphy; Nathe; Nelson; Novak; O'Brien; Olson, J.; Olson, S.; Osowski; Ostlie; Porter; Pyle; Richter; Rohr; Ruby, D.; Ruby, M.; Sanford; Satrom; Schauer; Schneider; Schreiber-Beck; Steiner; Stemen; Swiontek; Tveit; Vigasaa; Vollmer; Wagner; Warrey; Wolff

NAYS: Christianson; Dressler; Frelich; Henderson; Hoverson; Johnson, J.; Morton; Nehring; Rios; Schatz; Toman; VanWinkle; Vetter; Weisz

ABSENT OR EXCUSED AND NOT VOTING: Anderson, D.; Bahl; Brown, C.; Kasper; Marschall

Reengrossed HB 1229 passed.

CONSIDERATION OF CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT

REP. FRELICH MOVED that the conference committee report on Engrossed HB 1144 as printed on HJ page 1418 be adopted, which motion prevailed on a voice vote.

Engrossed HB 1144, as amended, was placed on the Eleventh order of business.

SECOND READING OF HOUSE BILL

HB 1144: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 15.1-06-21 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to transgender student accommodations and restroom use in public schools; to provide a penalty; and to declare an emergency.

ROLL CALL

The question being on the final passage of the amended bill, which has been read, the roll was called and there were 75 YEAS, 14 NAYS, 5 ABSENT OR EXCUSED AND NOT VOTING.

YEAS: Anderson, B.; Anderson, K.; Beltz; Berg; Bolinske; Bosch; Brandenburg; Brown, T.; Christianson; Dockter; Dressler; Fegley; Fisher; Frelich; Grindberg; Grueneich; Hagert; Hauck; Headland; Heilman; Heinert; Henderson; Hendrix; Holle; Hoverson; Johnson, J.; Johnston, D.; Jonas; Karls; Kempenich; Kiefert; Klemin; Koppelman; Lefor; Longmuir; Louser; Maki; Martinson; McLeod; Meier; Monson; Morton; Motschenbacher; Nathe; Nehring; Nelson; Novak; O'Brien; Olson, J.; Olson, S.; Osowski; Ostlie; Porter; Pyle; Richter; Rios; Rohr; Ruby, D.; Ruby, M.; Sanford; Satrom; Schatz; Schauer; Steiner; Stemen; Swiontek; Toman; Tveit; VanWinkle; Vetter; Vigasaa; Vollmer; Wagner; Weisz; Wolff

NAYS: Conmy; Davis; Dobervich; Finley-DeVile; Foss; Hager; Hanson; Hatlestad; Ista; Mitskog; Murphy; Schneider; Schreiber-Beck; Warrey

ABSENT OR EXCUSED AND NOT VOTING: Anderson, D.; Bahl; Brown, C.; Kasper; Marschall

Reengrossed HB 1144 passed and the emergency clause was declared carried.

CONSIDERATION OF CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT

REP. ROHR MOVED that the conference committee report on HB 1300 as printed on HJ page 1419 be adopted, which motion prevailed on a voice vote.

HB 1300, as amended, was placed on the Eleventh order of business.

SECOND READING OF HOUSE BILL

HB 1300: A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new section to chapter 54-03 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to legislative term limits.

ROLL CALL

The question being on the final passage of the amended bill, which has been read, the roll was called and there were 28 YEAS, 61 NAYS, 5 ABSENT OR EXCUSED AND NOT VOTING.

YEAS: Anderson, B.; Anderson, K.; Dressler; Grindberg; Hauck; Holle; Johnson, J.; Kiefert; Klemin; Longmuir; Louser; McLeod; Motschenbacher; Nelson; Olson, J.; Ostlie; Rohr; Ruby, D.; Ruby, M.; Satrom; Schatz; Schauer; Schreiber-Beck; Steiner; Tveit; VanWinkle; Wagner; Weisz

NAYS: Beltz; Berg; Bolinske; Bosch; Brandenburg; Brown, T.; Christianson; Conmy; Davis; Dobervich; Dockter; Fegley; Finley-DeVile; Fisher; Foss; Frelich; Grueneich; Hager; Hagert; Hanson; Hatlestad; Headland; Heilman; Heinert; Henderson; Hendrix; Hoverson; Ista; Johnston, D.; Jonas; Karls; Kempenich; Koppelman; Lefor; Maki; Martinson; Meier; Mitskog; Monson; Morton; Murphy; Nathe; Nehring; Novak; O'Brien; Olson, S.; Osowski; Porter; Pyle; Richter; Rios; Sanford; Schneider; Stemen; Swiontek; Toman; Vetter; Vigesaa; Vollmer; Warrey; Wolff

ABSENT OR EXCUSED AND NOT VOTING: Anderson, D.; Bahl; Brown, C.; Kasper; Marschall

Engrossed HB 1300 failed.

CONSIDERATION OF CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT

REP. HENDRIX MOVED that the conference committee report on Engrossed SB 2370 as printed on HJ page 1420 be adopted, which motion prevailed on a voice vote.

Engrossed SB 2370, as amended, was placed on the Fourteenth order of business.

SECOND READING OF SENATE BILL

SB 2370: A BILL for an Act to provide for a legislative management study regarding prescription drug transparency reporting under the federal drug discount program.

ROLL CALL

The question being on the final passage of the amended bill, which has been read, the roll was called and there were 77 YEAS, 12 NAYS, 5 ABSENT OR EXCUSED AND NOT VOTING.

YEAS: Anderson, B.; Anderson, K.; Beltz; Berg; Bosch; Brandenburg; Brown, T.; Christianson; Conmy; Davis; Dobervich; Dockter; Dressler; Fegley; Finley-DeVile; Fisher; Foss; Frelich; Grueneich; Hager; Hagert; Hanson; Hatlestad; Hauck; Headland; Heilman; Heinert; Hendrix; Holle; Hoverson; Ista; Johnston, D.; Jonas; Karls; Kempenich; Kiefert; Klemin; Lefor; Longmuir; Louser; Maki; Martinson; Meier;

Mitskog; Monson; Morton; Motschenbacher; Murphy; Nathe; Nehring; Nelson; Novak; O'Brien; Olson, J.; Olson, S.; Osowski; Ostlie; Porter; Pyle; Richter; Rios; Rohr; Ruby, M.; Sanford; Satrom; Schneider; Schreiber-Beck; Steiner; Stemen; Swiontek; Tveit; VanWinkle; Vetter; Vigasaa; Wagner; Warrey; Weisz

NAYS: Bolinske; Grindberg; Henderson; Johnson, J.; Koppelman; McLeod; Ruby, D.; Schatz; Schauer; Toman; Vollmer; Wolff

ABSENT OR EXCUSED AND NOT VOTING: Anderson, D.; Bahl; Brown, C.; Kasper; Marschall

Engrossed SB 2370, as amended, passed.

CONSIDERATION OF CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT

REP. RICHTER MOVED that the conference committee report on SB 2147 as printed on HJ page 1419 be adopted, which motion prevailed on a voice vote.

SB 2147, as amended, was placed on the Fourteenth order of business.

SECOND READING OF SENATE BILL

SB 2147: A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new subsection to section 15-10-38.4, a new subsection to section 15-62.4-03, a new section to chapter 15-62.4, and a new subsection to section 15-62.5-04 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to student financial assistance grants, dual-credit tuition scholarships, and the scholars program; to amend and reenact sections 15-10-38.1, 15-10-38.2, 15-63-05, and 15.1-21-02.6 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the skilled workforce student loan repayment and scholarship programs, Native American scholarships, and the North Dakota scholarship; and to provide an appropriation.

ROLL CALL

The question being on the final passage of the amended bill, which has been read, the roll was called and there were 63 YEAS, 26 NAYS, 5 ABSENT OR EXCUSED AND NOT VOTING.

YEAS: Anderson, B.; Anderson, K.; Beltz; Bosch; Brandenburg; Brown, T.; Conmy; Davis; Dobervich; Dockter; Fegley; Finley-DeVillie; Fisher; Foss; Grindberg; Grueneich; Hager; Hagert; Hanson; Hatlestad; Headland; Heinert; Ista; Jonas; Karls; Kempenich; Kiefert; Klemin; Lefor; Longmuir; Louser; Martinson; McLeod; Meier; Mitskog; Monson; Motschenbacher; Murphy; Nathe; Nelson; Novak; O'Brien; Olson, J.; Osowski; Ostlie; Porter; Pyle; Richter; Sanford; Satrom; Schauer; Schneider; Schreiber-Beck; Steiner; Stemen; Swiontek; Toman; Tveit; Vigasaa; Vollmer; Wagner; Warrey; Weisz

NAYS: Berg; Bolinske; Christianson; Dressler; Frelich; Hauck; Heilman; Henderson; Hendrix; Holle; Hoverson; Johnson, J.; Johnston, D.; Koppelman; Maki; Morton; Nehring; Olson, S.; Rios; Rohr; Ruby, D.; Ruby, M.; Schatz; VanWinkle; Vetter; Wolff

ABSENT OR EXCUSED AND NOT VOTING: Anderson, D.; Bahl; Brown, C.; Kasper; Marschall

SB 2147, as amended, passed.

CONSIDERATION OF CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT

REP. STEMEN MOVED that the conference committee report on Reengrossed SB 2113 as printed on HJ page 1419 be adopted, which motion prevailed on a voice vote.

Reengrossed SB 2113, as amended, was placed on the Fourteenth order of business.

SECOND READING OF SENATE BILL

SB 2113: A BILL for an Act to create and enact two new sections to chapter 50-06 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to certified community behavioral health clinics

and the financing of health and human services; to amend and reenact section 12.1-04-06, subsection 4 of section 20.1-03-04, sections 25-03.1-03.1 and 25-03.1-04, subsection 3 of section 25-03.1-08, section 25-03.1-10, subsection 3 of section 25-03.1-11, subsection 1 of section 25-03.1-19, subsection 2 of section 25-03.1-26, subdivision b of subsection 2 of section 26.1-36-08, subdivisions c and d of subsection 2 of section 26.1-36-09, subsection 9 of section 43-12.1-04, subsection 6 of section 43-41-02, subdivision b of subsection 1 of section 44-04-18.30, sections 50-06-01, 50-06-01.4, 50-06-01.7, 50-06-05.1, 50-06-05.2, 50-06-05.3, 50-06-05.4, 50-06-05.5, 50-06-06.2, 50-06-06.5, and 50-06-06.13, subsections 1 and 3 of section 50-06-15, sections 50-06-33 and 50-06-41.3, subsection 1 of section 50-06-42, subsection 1 of section 50-06-42.1, and sections 50-06-46, 50-06.2-01, 50-06.2-02, 50-06.2-03, 50-06.3-02, and 50-06.3-04 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the powers and duties of the department of health and human services, treatment hearing timelines, and membership of the cross disability advisory council; to provide for a legislative management study; and to provide an expiration date.

ROLL CALL

The question being on the final passage of the amended bill, which has been read, the roll was called and there were 83 YEAS, 6 NAYS, 5 ABSENT OR EXCUSED AND NOT VOTING.

YEAS: Anderson, B.; Anderson, K.; Beltz; Berg; Bolinske; Bosch; Brandenburg; Brown, T.; Conmy; Davis; Dobervich; Dockter; Dressler; Fegley; Finley-DeVillie; Fisher; Foss; Frellich; Grindberg; Grueneich; Hager; Hagert; Hanson; Hatlestad; Hauck; Headland; Heilman; Heinert; Hendrix; Holle; Hoverson; Ista; Johnson, J.; Johnston, D.; Jonas; Karls; Kempenich; Kiefert; Klemin; Koppelman; Lefor; Longmuir; Louser; Maki; Martinson; McLeod; Meier; Mitskog; Monson; Motschenbacher; Murphy; Nathe; Nelson; Novak; O'Brien; Olson, J.; Olson, S.; Osowski; Ostlie; Porter; Pyle; Richter; Rios; Rohr; Ruby, D.; Ruby, M.; Sanford; Satrom; Schatz; Schauer; Schneider; Schreiber-Beck; Steiner; Stemen; Swiontek; Toman; Tveit; VanWinkle; Vigasaa; Vollmer; Wagner; Warrey; Weisz

NAYS: Christianson; Henderson; Morton; Nehring; Vetter; Wolff

ABSENT OR EXCUSED AND NOT VOTING: Anderson, D.; Bahl; Brown, C.; Kasper; Marschall

Reengrossed SB 2113, as amended, passed.

CONSIDERATION OF CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT

REP. BRANDENBURG MOVED that the conference committee report on Engrossed SB 2020 as printed on HJ page 1419 be adopted.

CONFLICT OF INTEREST

REP. SATROM STATED that he had a personal or private interest in Engrossed SB 2020.

MOTION

REP. BOSCH MOVED that Rep. Satrom be excused from voting on Engrossed SB 2020, which motion prevailed on a voice vote.

The motion to adopt the conference committee report to Engrossed SB 2020 prevailed on a voice vote.

Engrossed SB 2020, as amended, was placed on the Fourteenth order of business.

SECOND READING OF SENATE BILL

SB 2020: A BILL for an Act to provide an appropriation for defraying the expenses of the North Dakota state university extension service, northern crops institute, upper great plains transportation institute, main research center, branch research centers, and agronomy seed farm; to provide for a report; to provide an exemption; and to declare an emergency.

ROLL CALL

The question being on the final passage of the amended bill, which has been read, the roll was called and there were 70 YEAS, 18 NAYS, 6 ABSENT OR EXCUSED AND NOT VOTING.

YEAS: Anderson, B.; Anderson, K.; Beltz; Berg; Bosch; Brandenburg; Conmy; Davis; Dobervich; Dockter; Dressler; Fegley; Finley-DeVillie; Fisher; Foss; Grindberg; Grueneich; Hager; Hagert; Hanson; Hatlestad; Hauck; Headland; Heinert; Henderson; Ista; Johnson, J.; Jonas; Karls; Kempenich; Kiefert; Klemin; Koppelman; Lefor; Longmuir; Louser; Maki; Martinson; McLeod; Meier; Mitskog; Monson; Murphy; Nathe; Nelson; Novak; O'Brien; Olson, J.; Olson, S.; Ostlie; Porter; Pyle; Richter; Rios; Ruby, D.; Ruby, M.; Sanford; Schatz; Schauer; Schneider; Schreiber-Beck; Steiner; Stemen; Swiontek; Tveit; Vigasaa; Vollmer; Wagner; Warrey; Weisz

NAYS: Bolinske; Brown, T.; Christianson; Frelich; Heilman; Hendrix; Holle; Hoverson; Johnston, D.; Morton; Motschenbacher; Nehring; Osowski; Rohr; Toman; VanWinkle; Vetter; Wolff

ABSENT OR EXCUSED AND NOT VOTING: Anderson, D.; Bahl; Brown, C.; Kasper; Marschall; Satrom

Engrossed SB 2020, as amended, passed and the emergency clause was declared carried.

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

MR. SPEAKER: The Senate has amended, subsequently passed, and the emergency clause carried: HB 1005 ([25.0149.02004](#)).

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

MADAM PRESIDENT: The House does not concur in the Senate amendments to HB 1535, and the Speaker has appointed as a conference committee to act with a like committee from the Senate on:

HB 1535: Reps. Karls; Christianson; Wolff

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

MR. SPEAKER: The Senate has concurred in the House amendments and subsequently passed: SB 2323.

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

MADAM PRESIDENT: The House has appointed as a conference committee to act with a like committee from the Senate on:

SB 2093: Reps. Hagert; Grueneich; Steiner

SB 2225: Reps. Louser; B. Anderson; Motschenbacher

SB 2256: Reps. Stemen; Fisher; Schauer

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

MADAM PRESIDENT: The House has adopted the conference committee report on: HB 1448.

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

MADAM PRESIDENT: The House has adopted the conference committee report and subsequently passed: HB 1010, HB 1229, HB 1524.

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

MADAM PRESIDENT: The House has adopted the conference committee report and subsequently passed: SB 2113, SB 2147, SB 2265, SB 2370.

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

MADAM PRESIDENT: The House has adopted the conference committee report, subsequently passed, and the emergency clause carried: HB 1009, HB 1144.

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

MADAM PRESIDENT: The House has adopted the conference committee report, subsequently passed, and the emergency clause carried: SB 2020.

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

MADAM PRESIDENT: The House has adopted the conference committee report and subsequently failed to pass: HB 1300.

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

MR. SPEAKER: The Senate has adopted the conference committee report and subsequently passed: HB 1022, HB 1218, HB 1454, HB 1485.

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

MR. SPEAKER: The Senate has adopted the conference committee report, subsequently passed, and the emergency clause carried: HB 1199.

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

MADAM PRESIDENT: Your signature is respectfully requested on: HB 1216.

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

MR. SPEAKER: Your signature is respectfully requested on: SB 2001, SB 2007, SB 2011, SB 2013, SB 2070, SB 2112, SB 2133, SB 2180, SB 2213, SB 2271, SB 2282, SB 2330, SB 2374, SB 2396, SB 2399.

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

MR. SPEAKER: Your signature is respectfully requested on: SCR 4007.

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

MR. SPEAKER: The President has signed: HB 1216.

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

MADAM PRESIDENT: The Speaker has signed: HB 1417.

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

MR. SPEAKER: The President has signed: SB 2129, SB 2200, SB 2262, SB 2291, SB 2294, SB 2297, SB 2342.

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

MR. SPEAKER: The President has signed: SCR 4017.

DELIVERY OF ENROLLED BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

The following bill was delivered to the Governor for approval on April 28, 2025: HB 1417.

ANNOUNCEMENT

SPEAKER WEISZ ANNOUNCED that the House will stand in recess until 12:00 p.m.

THE HOUSE RECONVENED pursuant to recess taken, with Speaker Weisz presiding.

MOTION

REP. BOSCH MOVED that Rep. Lefor replace Rep. Bosch on the Conference Committee on HB 1015, which motion prevailed on a voice vote.

CONSIDERATION OF MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE

REP. BOSCH MOVED that the House do not concur in the following Senate amendments and that a conference committee be appointed to meet with a like committee from the Senate, which motion prevailed on a voice vote.

Engrossed HB 1005 ([25.0149.02004](#))

APPOINTMENT OF CONFERENCE COMMITTEE

THE SPEAKER APPOINTED as a Conference Committee on:

Engrossed HB 1005: Reps. Kempenich, Brandenburg, Monson.

CONSIDERATION OF CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT

REP. FEGLEY MOVED that the conference committee report on Engrossed SB 2033 as

printed on HJ page 1419 be adopted, which motion prevailed on a voice vote.

Engrossed SB 2033, as amended, was placed on the Fourteenth order of business.

SECOND READING OF SENATE BILL

SB 2033: A BILL for an Act to create and enact chapter 23-27.2 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the distressed ambulance service program; to provide for a legislative management report; and to provide a continuing appropriation.

ROLL CALL

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

YEAS: Anderson, B.; Anderson, D.; Anderson, K.; Bahl; Beltz; Berg; Bolinske; Bosch; Brandenburg; Brown, T.; Christianson; Conmy; Davis; Dobervich; Dockter; Dressler; Fegley; Finley-DeVile; Fisher; Foss; Frelich; Grindberg; Grueneich; Hager; Hagert; Hanson; Hatlestad; Hauck; Headland; Heilman; Heinert; Hendrix; Holle; Ista; Johnson, J.; Jonas; Karls; Kempenich; Kiefert; Klemin; Koppelman; Lefor; Longmuir; Louser; Maki; Martinson; McLeod; Meier; Mitskog; Monson; Morton; Motschenbacher; Murphy; Nathe; Nelson; Novak; O'Brien; Olson, J.; Olson, S.; Ostlie; Pyle; Richter; Rios; Rohr; Ruby, D.; Ruby, M.; Sanford; Satrom; Schatz; Schauer; Schneider; Schreiber-Beck; Steiner; Stemen; Swiontek; Tveit; Vetter; Vigasaa; Vollmer; Wagner; Warrey; Weisz

NAYS: Henderson; Hoverson; Johnston, D.; Nehring; Osowski; Porter; Toman; VanWinkle; Wolff

ABSENT OR EXCUSED AND NOT VOTING: Brown, C.; Kasper; Marschall

Engrossed SB 2033, as amended, passed.

CONSIDERATION OF CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT

REP. FRELICH MOVED that the conference committee report on Reengrossed SB 2029 as printed on HJ page 1419 be adopted, which motion prevailed on a voice vote.

Reengrossed SB 2029, as amended, was placed on the Fourteenth order of business.

SECOND READING OF SENATE BILL

SB 2029: A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new subsection to section 30.1-28-07 and chapter 54-68 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to an office of guardianship and conservatorship and the removal of a guardian; to amend and reenact section 30.1-29-15 and subsection 1 of section 50-24.1-07 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the removal of a conservator and the recovery of medical assistance expenses; to repeal chapter 27-27 and section 54-68-02.1 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the task force on guardianship monitoring and transition requirements; to provide a penalty; to provide for a report; to provide an appropriation; to provide a continuing appropriation; to provide for a transfer; and to provide an effective date.

ROLL CALL

The question being on the final passage of the amended bill, which has been read, the roll was called and there were 91 YEAS, 0 NAYS, 3 ABSENT OR EXCUSED AND NOT VOTING.

YEAS: Anderson, B.; Anderson, D.; Anderson, K.; Bahl; Beltz; Berg; Bolinske; Bosch; Brandenburg; Brown, T.; Christianson; Conmy; Davis; Dobervich; Dockter; Dressler; Fegley; Finley-DeVile; Fisher; Foss; Frelich; Grindberg; Grueneich; Hager; Hagert; Hanson; Hatlestad; Hauck; Headland; Heilman; Heinert; Henderson; Hendrix; Holle; Hoverson; Ista; Johnson, J.; Johnston, D.; Jonas; Karls; Kempenich; Kiefert; Klemin; Koppelman; Lefor; Longmuir; Louser; Maki; Martinson; McLeod; Meier; Mitskog; Monson; Morton; Motschenbacher; Murphy; Nathe; Nehring; Nelson; Novak; O'Brien; Olson, J.; Olson, S.; Osowski; Ostlie; Porter; Pyle; Richter; Rios; Rohr;

Ruby, D.; Ruby, M.; Sanford; Satrom; Schatz; Schauer; Schneider; Schreiber-Beck; Steiner; Stemen; Swiontek; Toman; Tveit; VanWinkle; Vetter; Vigasaa; Vollmer; Wagner; Warrey; Weisz; Wolff

ABSENT OR EXCUSED AND NOT VOTING: Brown, C.; Kasper; Marschall

Reengrossed SB 2029, as amended, passed.

MESSAGE TO THE SENATE FROM THE HOUSE (BUELL J. REICH, CHIEF CLERK)
MADAM PRESIDENT: The House does not concur in the Senate amendments to HB 1005, and the Speaker has appointed as a conference committee to act with a like committee from the Senate on:

HB 1005: Reps. Kempenich; Brandenburg; Monson

MESSAGE TO THE HOUSE FROM THE SENATE (SHANDA MORGAN, SECRETARY)
MR. SPEAKER: The Senate has appointed as a conference committee to act with a like committee from the House on:

HB 1535: Sens. Roers; Braunberger; Walen

MESSAGE TO THE SENATE FROM THE HOUSE (BUELL J. REICH, CHIEF CLERK)
MADAM PRESIDENT: The Speaker has appointed Rep. Lefor to replace Rep. Bosch on the Conference Committee on HB 1015.

MESSAGE TO THE HOUSE FROM THE SENATE (SHANDA MORGAN, SECRETARY)
MR. SPEAKER: The President has appointed Sen. Sickler to replace Sen. Erbele on the Conference Committee on SB 2225.

MESSAGE TO THE SENATE FROM THE HOUSE (BUELL J. REICH, CHIEF CLERK)
MADAM PRESIDENT: The House has adopted the conference committee report and subsequently passed: SB 2029, SB 2033.

MESSAGE TO THE HOUSE FROM THE SENATE (SHANDA MORGAN, SECRETARY)
MR. SPEAKER: The Senate has adopted the conference committee report on: HB 1229.

MESSAGE TO THE HOUSE FROM THE SENATE (SHANDA MORGAN, SECRETARY)
MR. SPEAKER: The Senate has adopted the conference committee report and subsequently passed: SB 2010, SB 2188.

MESSAGE TO THE HOUSE FROM THE SENATE (SHANDA MORGAN, SECRETARY)
MR. SPEAKER: The Senate has adopted the conference committee report and subsequently passed: HB 1010.

MESSAGE TO THE HOUSE FROM THE SENATE (SHANDA MORGAN, SECRETARY)
MR. SPEAKER: The Senate has adopted the conference committee report, subsequently passed, and the emergency clause carried: HB 1009, HB 1144.

MESSAGE TO THE SENATE FROM THE HOUSE (BUELL J. REICH, CHIEF CLERK)
MADAM PRESIDENT: Your signature is respectfully requested on: HB 1022, HB 1029, HB 1143, HB 1199, HB 1218, HB 1363, HB 1454, HB 1485.

MESSAGE TO THE SENATE FROM THE HOUSE (BUELL J. REICH, CHIEF CLERK)
MADAM PRESIDENT: The Speaker has signed: HB 1216.

MESSAGE TO THE SENATE FROM THE HOUSE (BUELL J. REICH, CHIEF CLERK)
MADAM PRESIDENT: The Speaker has signed: SB 2001, SB 2007, SB 2011, SB 2013, SB 2070, SB 2112, SB 2133, SB 2180, SB 2213, SB 2271, SB 2282, SB 2330, SB 2374, SB 2396, SB 2399.

MESSAGE TO THE SENATE FROM THE HOUSE (BUELL J. REICH, CHIEF CLERK)
MADAM PRESIDENT: The Speaker has signed: SCR 4007.

DELIVERY OF ENROLLED BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

The following bill was delivered to the Governor for approval on April 28, 2025: HB 1216.

MOTION

REP. BOSCH MOVED that the absent members be excused, which motion prevailed on a voice vote.

MOTION

REP. BOSCH MOVED that the House be on the Fourth, Fifth, and Sixteenth orders of business and at the conclusion of those orders, the House stand adjourned until 8:00 a.m., Tuesday, April 29, 2025, which motion prevailed on a voice vote.

REPORT OF CONFERENCE COMMITTEE
ENGROSSED HB 1018

Your conference committee (Sens. Meyer, Conley, Thomas and Reps. Louser, Martinson, Hanson) recommends that in place of amendment [25.0162.02002](#) adopted by the Senate, Engrossed HB 1018 is amended by amendment [25.0162.02004](#).

Engrossed HB 1018 was placed on the Seventh order of business on the calendar.

REPORT OF CONFERENCE COMMITTEE
ENGROSSED HB 1214

Your conference committee (Sens. Schaible, Conley, Meyer and Reps. Richter, Hanson, Schreiber-Beck) recommends that in place of amendment [25.0752.02001](#) adopted by the Senate, Engrossed HB 1214 is amended by amendment [25.0752.02003](#).

Engrossed HB 1214 was placed on the Seventh order of business on the calendar.

REPORT OF CONFERENCE COMMITTEE
ENGROSSED SB 2010

Your conference committee (Sens. Magrum, Davison, Mathern and Reps. Murphy, B. Anderson, Mitskog) recommends that in place of amendment [25.0177.02001](#) adopted by the House, Engrossed SB 2010 is amended by amendment [25.0177.02004](#).

Engrossed SB 2010 was placed on the Seventh order of business on the calendar.

REPORT OF CONFERENCE COMMITTEE
REENGROSSED SB 2188

Your conference committee (Sens. Patten, Kessel, Beard and Reps. Bosch, J. Olson, J. Johnson) recommends that in place of amendment [25.0563.03002](#) adopted by the House, Reengrossed SB 2188 is amended by amendment [25.0563.03003](#).

Reengrossed SB 2188 was placed on the Seventh order of business on the calendar.

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

Buell J. Reich, Chief Clerk