

STATE OF MINNESOTA

Journal of the Senate

EIGHTY-SECOND LEGISLATURE

SEVENTEENTH DAY

St. Paul, Minnesota, Monday, February 26, 2001

The Senate met at 2:30 p.m. and was called to order by the President.

CALL OF THE SENATE

Senator Betzold imposed a call of the Senate. The Sergeant at Arms was instructed to bring in the absent members.

Prayer was offered by the Chaplain, Dr. Paul Dovre.

The members of the Senate gave the pledge of allegiance to the flag of the United States of America.

The roll was called, and the following Senators answered to their names:

| | | | | |
|-----------|-----------------|-----------|------------|-------------|
| Anderson | Frederickson | Knutson | Orfield | Sams |
| Bachmann | Higgins | Krentz | Ourada | Samuelson |
| Belanger | Hottinger | Langseth | Pappas | Scheevel |
| Berg | Johnson, Dave | Lesewski | Pariseau | Scheid |
| Berglin | Johnson, Dean | Lessard | Pogemiller | Schwab |
| Betzold | Johnson, Debbie | Limmer | Price | Stevens |
| Chaudhary | Johnson, Doug | Lourey | Ranum | Stumpf |
| Cohen | Kelley, S.P. | Marty | Reiter | Terwilliger |
| Day | Kelly, R.C. | Moe, R.D. | Rest | Tomassoni |
| Dille | Kierlin | Murphy | Ring | Vickerman |
| Fischbach | Kinkel | Neuville | Robertson | Wiener |
| Foley | Kiscaden | Oliver | Robling | Wiger |
| Fowler | Kleis | Olson | Sabo | |

The President declared a quorum present.

The reading of the Journal was dispensed with and the Journal, as printed and corrected, was approved.

MEMBERS EXCUSED

Senators Larson, Metzen and Solon were excused from the Session of today.

MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE

Mr. President:

I have the honor to announce the passage by the House of the following Senate File, herewith returned: S.F. No. 43.

Edward A. Burdick, Chief Clerk, House of Representatives

Returned February 22, 2001

Mr. President:

I have the honor to announce the passage by the House of the following House Files, herewith transmitted: H.F. Nos. 556 and 656.

Edward A. Burdick, Chief Clerk, House of Representatives

Transmitted February 22, 2001

FIRST READING OF HOUSE BILLS

The following bills were read the first time and referred to the committees indicated.

H.F. No. 556: A bill for an act relating to peace officers; authorizing federal law enforcement officers to exercise their arrest authority in this state under certain circumstances; amending Minnesota Statutes 2000, section 626.77.

Referred to the Committee on Rules and Administration for comparison with S.F. No. 756.

H.F. No. 656: A bill for an act relating to legislation; correcting erroneous, ambiguous, and omitted text and obsolete references; eliminating certain redundant, conflicting, and superseded provisions; making miscellaneous technical corrections to statutes and other laws; amending Minnesota Statutes 2000, sections 3.85, subdivision 6; 6.76; 12.31, subdivision 1; 13.06, subdivision 4; 13.51, subdivision 3; 13.54, subdivision 5; 15.059, subdivision 5a; 16B.126; 16B.55, subdivision 4; 16B.61, subdivision 3; 16E.04, subdivision 2; 18B.36, subdivision 1; 60B.03, subdivision 6; 62G.20, subdivision 4; 62L.02, subdivision 24; 65B.05; 69.021, subdivision 5; 80C.01, subdivision 4; 80C.147; 84.965, subdivision 2; 84.98, subdivision 5; 85.055, subdivision 1; 86B.331, subdivision 1; 103G.201; 103G.2242, subdivision 12; 103G.2243, subdivision 2; 115.49, subdivision 4; 116J.994, subdivision 6; 116J.995; 116L.01, subdivision 1; 116P.08, subdivision 2; 124D.892, subdivision 3; 145.61, subdivision 5; 148.511; 148.6402, subdivisions 14 and 16; 148.6420, subdivisions 2 and 4; 148.6425, subdivisions 2 and 3; 148.6448, subdivision 1; 153A.20, subdivision 1; 168.012, subdivision 1; 171.173; 204D.25, subdivision 1; 216B.2424, subdivision 6; 237.065, subdivision 1; 237.763; 237.764, subdivision 3; 237.773, subdivision 1; 256B.50, subdivision 1; 260B.007, subdivision 16; 268.022, subdivision 1; 268.6715; 270.67, subdivision 4; 289A.18, subdivision 4; 289A.40, by adding a subdivision; 289A.50, subdivision 7; 289A.60, subdivisions 12 and 21; 297I.60, subdivision 2; 299C.67, subdivision 2; 299N.02, subdivision 2; 322B.960, subdivision 1; 356.371, subdivision 1; 356.62; 356.65, subdivision 1; 401.06; 462.352, subdivisions 5, 7, 9, 10, and 15; 462.358, subdivision 2a; 469.126, subdivision 2; 469.301, subdivision 1; 469.304, subdivision 1; 471.59, subdivision 11; 473.901, subdivision 1; 504B.181, subdivision 4; 504B.365, subdivision 3; 515B.1-102; 515B.2-105; 517.08, subdivision 1c; 518.131, subdivision 10; 541.023, subdivision 6; 609.596, subdivision 3; 626.556, subdivision 11; and 628.26; repealing Minnesota Statutes 2000, sections 13.485, subdivision 2; 13.99, subdivision 1; 115B.22, subdivision 8; 148.6402, subdivision 18; 168.54, subdivision 6; 181B.01; 181B.02; 181B.03; 181B.04; 181B.05; 181B.06; 181B.07; 181B.08; 181B.09; 181B.10; 181B.101; 181B.11; 181B.12; 181B.13; 181B.14; 181B.15; 181B.16; 181B.17; 383.001; 462.352, subdivision 17; 469.301, subdivisions 6, 7, and 8; and 566.18; Laws 1997, chapter 85, article 4, section 29; Laws 2000, chapter 254, section 30; and Laws 2000, chapter 444, article 2, sections 9 and 10.

Referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

Senator Moe, R.D. moved that the Committee Reports at the Desk be now adopted. The motion prevailed.

Senator Anderson from the Committee on Jobs, Housing and Community Development, to which was referred

S.F. No. 601: A bill for an act relating to appropriations; appropriating money for a regional sludge management demonstration project.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be amended as follows:

Page 1, line 8, delete "the" and insert "several" and delete the second "of" and insert ", including, but not limited to,"

Page 1, line 13, delete "a report" and insert "reports"

Page 1, line 19, delete "2001" and insert "2002, and January 31, 2003"

And when so amended the bill do pass and be re-referred to the Committee on Environment and Natural Resources. Amendments adopted. Report adopted.

Senator Anderson from the Committee on Jobs, Housing and Community Development, to which was referred

S.F. No. 664: A bill for an act relating to housing; housing finance agency; providing funding for and creating a senior assisted housing grant program; authorizing bonds; appropriating money; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 462A.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass and be re-referred to the Committee on Finance. Report adopted.

Senator Anderson from the Committee on Jobs, Housing and Community Development, to which was referred

S.F. No. 564: A bill for an act relating to employment; providing for access to employee assistance records; requiring employee assistance records to be kept separate from personnel records; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 181.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be amended as follows:

Page 1, line 17, delete "They" and insert "Services"

Page 1, after line 21, insert:

"(c) "Employer" means a person or entity located or doing business in the state and having one or more employees, but does not include a state agency, statewide system, political subdivision, or advisory board or commission that is subject to chapter 13."

Page 1, line 22, delete "(c)" and insert "(d)"

Page 1, line 24, delete "(d)" and insert "(e)"

Page 2, line 4, after "provider" insert "and an employer"

And when so amended the bill be re-referred to the Committee on Judiciary without recommendation. Amendments adopted. Report adopted.

Senator Murphy from the Committee on Agriculture, General Legislation and Veterans Affairs, to which was referred

S.F. No. 326: A bill for an act relating to motor fuels; requiring that diesel fuel sold in the state contain a minimum of five percent biodiesel fuel oil by weight; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 239.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be amended as follows:

Page 1, line 16, delete "weight" and insert "volume"

Page 1, line 19, delete "weight" and insert "volume"

Amend the title as follows:

Page 1, line 4, delete "weight" and insert "volume"

And when so amended the bill do pass and be re-referred to the Committee on Environment and Natural Resources. Amendments adopted. Report adopted.

Senator Marty from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was re-referred

S.F. No. 333: A bill for an act relating to veterinary medicine; authorizing certain cease and desist orders; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 156.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass. Report adopted.

Senator Vickerman from the Committee on State and Local Government Operations, to which was referred

S.F. No. 453: A bill for an act relating to bleacher safety; providing an exemption for bleachers owned by the Minnesota amateur sports commission; amending Minnesota Statutes 2000, section 16B.616, subdivision 3.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be amended as follows:

Page 2, line 7, after the period, insert "This subdivision does not apply to temporary bleacher seating installed in the Hubert H. Humphrey Metrodome for national collegiate athletic association events."

Amend the title as follows:

Page 1, line 2, delete "an exemption" and insert "exemptions"

Page 1, line 4, before the semicolon, insert "and bleachers temporarily erected in the Hubert H. Humphrey Metrodome for certain events"

And when so amended the bill do pass. Amendments adopted. Report adopted.

Senator Vickerman from the Committee on State and Local Government Operations, to which was referred

S.F. No. 433: A bill for an act relating to local government; increasing the amount for which a township may contract for health, social, and recreational services; amending Minnesota Statutes 2000, section 365.10, subdivision 14.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass and be placed on the Consent Calendar. Report adopted.

Senator Vickerman from the Committee on State and Local Government Operations, to which was referred

S.F. No. 407: A bill for an act relating to the state building code; directing the department of administration to adopt a building code for rehabilitation of historic structures; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 16B.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass. Report adopted.

Senator Vickerman from the Committee on State and Local Government Operations, to which was referred

S.F. No. 408: A bill for an act relating to preservation of historic structures; creating a historic preservation grant program; appropriating money; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 138.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass and be re-referred to the Committee on Finance. Report adopted.

Senator Kelly, R.C. from the Committee on Transportation, to which was referred

S.F. No. 681: A bill for an act relating to highways; designating a route as the King of Trails; amending Minnesota Statutes 2000, section 161.14, by adding a subdivision.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be amended as follows:

Page 1, line 18, after "(b)" insert "Notwithstanding section 161.139,"

Page 1, line 19, delete ", subject to" and insert a period

Page 1, line 20, delete "section 161.139."

And when so amended the bill do pass and be re-referred to the Committee on Finance. Amendments adopted. Report adopted.

Senator Anderson from the Committee on Jobs, Housing and Community Development, to which was referred

S.F. No. 867: A bill for an act relating to housing; housing finance agency; appropriating money for supportive housing for adults with disabilities.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass and be re-referred to the Committee on Finance. Report adopted.

Senator Anderson from the Committee on Jobs, Housing and Community Development, to which was referred

S.F. No. 816: A bill for an act relating to community development; providing management and technical assistance to nonprofit organizations; appropriating money; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 116J.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass and be re-referred to the Committee on Finance. Report adopted.

Senator Kelly, R.C. from the Committee on Transportation, to which was referred

S.F. No. 444: A bill for an act relating to state government; extending the life of Mississippi river parkway commission and changing its membership; amending Minnesota Statutes 2000, sections 15.059, subdivision 5a; and 161.1419, subdivisions 2 and 8.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be amended as follows:

Page 5, delete line 23

And when so amended the bill do pass and be re-referred to the Committee on State and Local Government Operations. Amendments adopted. Report adopted.

Senator Kelly, R.C. from the Committee on Transportation, to which was referred

S.F. No. 585: A bill for an act relating to transportation; creating a local road improvement fund; specifying uses for the fund; providing for transfers to the fund; establishing an advisory

committee; appropriating money; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 174.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass and be re-referred to the Committee on Finance. Report adopted.

Senator Moe, R.D. from the Committee on Rules and Administration, to which was referred

H.F. No. 149 for comparison with companion Senate File, reports the following House File was found not identical with companion Senate File as follows:

| GENERAL ORDERS | | CONSENT CALENDAR | | CALENDAR | |
|-----------------------|----------|-------------------------|----------|-----------------|----------|
| H.F. No. | S.F. No. | H.F. No. | S.F. No. | H.F. No. | S.F. No. |
| 149 | 505 | | | | |

Pursuant to Rule 49, the Committee on Rules and Administration recommends that H.F. No. 149 be amended as follows:

Delete all the language after the enacting clause of H.F. No. 149 and insert the language after the enacting clause of S.F. No. 505, the first engrossment; further, delete the title of H.F. No. 149 and insert the title of S.F. No. 505, the first engrossment.

And when so amended H.F. No. 149 will be identical to S.F. No. 505, and further recommends that H.F. No. 149 be given its second reading and substituted for S.F. No. 505, and that the Senate File be indefinitely postponed.

Pursuant to Rule 49, this report was prepared and submitted by the Secretary of the Senate on behalf of the Committee on Rules and Administration. Amendments adopted. Report adopted.

SECOND READING OF SENATE BILLS

S.F. Nos. 333, 453, 433 and 407 were read the second time.

SECOND READING OF HOUSE BILLS

H.F. No. 149 was read the second time.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS

Senator Berglin moved that the name of Senator Limmer be added as a co-author to S.F. No. 161. The motion prevailed.

Senator Johnson, Dean moved that the name of Senator Fischbach be added as a co-author to S.F. No. 361. The motion prevailed.

Senator Neuville moved that the name of Senator Bachmann be added as a co-author to S.F. No. 750. The motion prevailed.

Senator Tomassoni moved that the name of Senator Fowler be added as a co-author to S.F. No. 942. The motion prevailed.

Senator Price moved that S.F. No. 811 be withdrawn from the Committee on State and Local Government Operations and re-referred to the Committee on Judiciary. The motion prevailed.

Senator Anderson, for Senator Solon, moved that S.F. No. 919 be withdrawn from the Committee on Education and re-referred to the Committee on Finance. The motion prevailed.

Remaining on the Order of Business of Motions and Resolutions, Senator Moe, R.D. moved that the Senate proceed to the Order of Business of Introduction and First Reading of Senate Bills. The motion prevailed.

INTRODUCTION AND FIRST READING OF SENATE BILLS

The following bills were read the first time and referred to the committees indicated.

Senators Tomassoni, Pappas, Stumpf and Solon introduced--

S.F. No. 1014: A bill for an act relating to education finance; extending the school district levy for retired employee health benefits; amending Minnesota Statutes 2000, section 126C.41, subdivision 2.

Referred to the Committee on Education.

Senators Lesewski, Sams and Vickerman introduced--

S.F. No. 1015: A bill for an act relating to taxation; extending the exemption for the construction of an agricultural processing facility by one year; amending Laws 2000, chapter 490, article 8, section 17, the effective date.

Referred to the Committee on Taxes.

Senators Lesewski, Vickerman and Belanger introduced--

S.F. No. 1016: A bill for an act relating to taxes; sales and use; exempting materials used in constructing a regional emergency response and fire training center; amending Minnesota Statutes 2000, sections 297A.71, by adding a subdivision; and 297A.75.

Referred to the Committee on Taxes.

Senators Terwilliger; Johnson, Dean; Robling and Langseth introduced--

S.F. No. 1017: A bill for an act relating to traffic regulations; authorizing statutory cities, home rule charter cities, and urban towns to develop and implement programs for peace officers to detect and cite traffic signal violations by use of photographic evidence; appropriating money; providing penalties; amending Minnesota Statutes 2000, sections 169.06, by adding a subdivision; and 171.12, subdivision 6; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 169.

Referred to the Committee on Transportation.

Senators Higgins, Hottinger, Lourey, Pariseau and Tomassoni introduced--

S.F. No. 1018: A bill for an act relating to human services; increasing medical assistance reimbursement for mileage; amending Minnesota Statutes 2000, section 256B.0625, subdivision 18a.

Referred to the Committee on Health and Family Security.

Senators Higgins, Sabo, Pogemiller, Berglin and Tomassoni introduced--

S.F. No. 1019: A bill for an act relating to the Minnesota historical society; providing funding for operation of the Mill City museum; appropriating money.

Referred to the Committee on Finance.

Senators Robertson, Stumpf, Pappas, Kiscaden and Knutson introduced--

S.F. No. 1020: A bill for an act relating to education; requiring that school district contracts with teachers be structurally balanced; amending Minnesota Statutes 2000, section 179A.20, by adding a subdivision.

Referred to the Committee on Education.

Senators Dille; Johnson, Dean and Robling introduced--

S.F. No. 1021: A bill for an act relating to marriage; changing the license fee; providing for a reduced fee for couples who obtain premarital education; providing for disposition of the fee; modifying funding mechanisms for parenting time centers and the MN ENABL program; appropriating money; amending Minnesota Statutes 2000, section 517.08, subdivisions 1b and 1c.

Referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Senators Johnson, Dave and Ourada introduced--

S.F. No. 1022: A bill for an act relating to commerce; regulating securities; modifying certain fees for securities issued by open-end management companies and unit investment trusts; amending Minnesota Statutes 2000, section 80A.28, subdivision 1.

Referred to the Committee on Commerce.

Senator Oliver introduced--

S.F. No. 1023: A bill for an act relating to taxation; sales and use; exempting certain food sold in vending machines; amending Minnesota Statutes 2000, sections 297A.61, subdivision 3; and 297A.68, by adding a subdivision.

Referred to the Committee on Taxes.

Senators Murphy, Belanger, Higgins and Fischbach introduced--

S.F. No. 1024: A bill for an act relating to taxes; sales and use tax; exempting vitamins and minerals; amending Minnesota Statutes 2000, section 297A.67, subdivision 7.

Referred to the Committee on Taxes.

Senators Murphy, Hottinger, Pariseau and Day introduced--

S.F. No. 1025: A bill for an act relating to appropriations; appropriating money for the Cannon River joint powers board.

Referred to the Committee on Finance.

Senators Tomassoni and Lessard introduced--

S.F. No. 1026: A bill for an act relating to education finance; authorizing a capital loan for independent school district No. 698, Floodwood; appropriating money.

Referred to the Committee on Education.

Senators Higgins; Kelley, S.P.; Robertson; Sabo and Ring introduced--

S.F. No. 1027: A bill for an act relating to economic development; providing for technical assistance to support microenterprise development; appropriating money.

Referred to the Committee on Jobs, Housing and Community Development.

Senators Higgins, Hottinger, Pariseau, Foley and Wiener introduced--

S.F. No. 1028: A bill for an act relating to human services; increasing funding for crisis nurseries; appropriating money.

Referred to the Committee on Finance.

Senators Kinkel; Johnson, Doug and Samuelson introduced--

S.F. No. 1029: A bill for an act relating to taxation; property; providing for valuation and deferment of taxes on certain homestead resorts; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 273.

Referred to the Committee on Taxes.

Senators Wiger and Johnson, Dean introduced--

S.F. No. 1030: A bill for an act relating to government data; providing for a National Crime Prevention and Privacy Compact; providing for an electronic information sharing system between the federal government and the state to access criminal history data; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 299C.

Referred to the Committee on Crime Prevention.

Senators Wiger and Murphy introduced--

S.F. No. 1031: A bill for an act relating to veterans; changing certain educational assistance provisions; amending Minnesota Statutes 2000, section 197.75, subdivisions 1 and 2.

Referred to the Committee on Agriculture, General Legislation and Veterans Affairs.

Senators Sabo, Chaudhary, Wiger, Schwab and Johnson, Debbie introduced--

S.F. No. 1032: A bill for an act relating to economic security; exempting certain advisory councils from expiration; modifying requirements for the rehabilitation council for the blind; amending Minnesota Statutes 2000, sections 15.059, subdivision 5a; 248.10; and 268A.02, subdivision 2.

Referred to the Committee on State and Local Government Operations.

Senators Wiener; Moe, R.D.; Larson; Knutson and Fowler introduced--

S.F. No. 1033: A bill for an act relating to public employment; Minnesota state colleges and universities; merging unions for technical and community college employees; amending Minnesota Statutes 2000, sections 43A.06, subdivision 1; 179A.10, subdivision 2; 354B.21, subdivision 1; 354B.25, subdivision 1a; and 354C.11, subdivision 2.

Referred to the Committee on Education.

Senators Murphy, Ring, Lesewski and Fischbach introduced--

S.F. No. 1034: A bill for an act relating to motor vehicles; authorizing special motorcycle license plate for combat wounded veteran; amending Minnesota Statutes 2000, section 168.123, subdivision 1.

Referred to the Committee on Agriculture, General Legislation and Veterans Affairs.

Senators Ourada; Belanger; Sams; Johnson, Dave and Johnson, Dean introduced--

S.F. No. 1035: A bill for an act relating to transportation; regulating professional and technical services contracts for state transportation projects; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 161.

Referred to the Committee on Transportation.

Senators Frederickson and Vickerman introduced--

S.F. No. 1036: A bill for an act relating to human services; providing a rate increase for a nursing facility in Brown county; appropriating money; amending Minnesota Statutes 2000, section 256B.431, by adding a subdivision.

Referred to the Committee on Health and Family Security.

Senators Tomassoni; Johnson, Doug; Krentz, Chaudhary and Reiter introduced--

S.F. No. 1037: A bill for an act relating to natural resources; appropriating money for the Laurentian environmental learning center.

Referred to the Committee on Finance.

Senators Pogemiller, Betzold, Terwilliger and Johnson, Dean introduced--

S.F. No. 1038: A bill for an act relating to retirement; providing coverage under the local government correctional service retirement plan for certain probation officers and 911 dispatchers; amending Minnesota Statutes 2000, sections 353.01, subdivision 2b; and 353E.02, subdivision 1.

Referred to the Committee on State and Local Government Operations.

Senators Lesewski, Limmer, Pariseau and Vickerman introduced--

S.F. No. 1039: A bill for an act relating to elections; regulating fees charged to candidates for certain events; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 211B.

Referred to the Committee on Rules and Administration.

Senators Knutson, Olson, Scheevel and Sabo introduced--

S.F. No. 1040: A bill for an act relating to education; reinstating funding for summer school; appropriating money; amending Minnesota Statutes 2000, section 126C.05, by adding a subdivision.

Referred to the Committee on Education.

Senators Hottinger, Samuelson, Fowler and Kierlin introduced--

S.F. No. 1041: A bill for an act relating to tax increment financing; modifying the local contribution to avoid the state aid offset; amending Minnesota Statutes 2000, section 273.1399, subdivision 6, and by adding a subdivision.

Referred to the Committee on Taxes.

Senator Rest introduced--

S.F. No. 1042: A bill for an act relating to taxation; making clarifying and technical changes to sales and use taxes; amending Minnesota Statutes 2000, sections 289A.31, subdivision 7;

289A.50, subdivision 2; 297A.61, subdivisions 2, 3, 4, 6, 10, 14, 17, 19, 22, and 23; 297A.66, subdivisions 1 and 3; 297A.67, subdivisions 8, 23, 24, and 25; 297A.68, subdivisions 2, 3, 5, 11, 13, 14, 18, and 25; 297A.69, subdivision 2; 297A.70, subdivisions 1, 2, 4, 7, 8, 10, 13, and 14; 297A.75; 297A.77, subdivision 1; 297A.80; 297A.82, subdivision 3; 297A.89, subdivision 1; 297A.90, subdivision 1; 297A.91, subdivision 1; 297A.92, subdivision 2; 297A.94; and 297A.99, subdivision 7; repealing Minnesota Statutes 2000, sections 297A.61, subdivision 16; 297A.68, subdivision 21; and 297A.71, subdivision 21.

Referred to the Committee on Taxes.

Senators Chaudhary; Kelly, R.C.; Kleis; Ranum and Fowler introduced--

S.F. No. 1043: A bill for an act relating to peace officers; prescribing grounds for license revocation, suspension, or denial; removing the requirement that the peace officer standards and training board report to the legislature on the activities of the minority recruiter; repealing the law empowering council members of certain cities to act as peace officers to suppress riotous or disorderly conduct; amending Laws 1997, chapter 239, article 1, section 9; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 626; repealing Minnesota Statutes 2000, section 412.101.

Referred to the Committee on Crime Prevention.

Senators Sams; Stevens; Lourey; Johnson, Dean and Samuelson introduced--

S.F. No. 1044: A bill for an act relating to health; appropriating money for the comprehensive advanced life support educational program.

Referred to the Committee on Finance.

Senator Vickerman introduced--

S.F. No. 1045: A bill for an act relating to environment; regulating ash disposal from fire training exercises; amending Minnesota Statutes 2000, section 116.07, by adding a subdivision.

Referred to the Committee on Environment and Natural Resources.

Senators Fischbach, Vickerman, Tomassoni, Stevens and Kleis introduced--

S.F. No. 1046: A bill for an act relating to natural resources; permitting the harvesting of farmed cervidae on licensed shooting preserves; appropriating money; amending Minnesota Statutes 2000, sections 17.451, subdivision 2; and 17.452, subdivisions 5 and 8; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 84.

Referred to the Committee on Environment and Natural Resources.

Senators Knutson and Robertson introduced--

S.F. No. 1047: A bill for an act relating to data practices; apartment manager background checks; requiring certain checks to be performed on individuals who have resided in Minnesota less than ten years; amending Minnesota Statutes 2000, section 299C.68, subdivisions 2 and 3.

Referred to the Committee on Crime Prevention.

Senators Moe, R.D.; Kinkel; Lourey; Anderson and Pogemiller introduced--

S.F. No. 1048: A bill for an act relating to taxation; providing that certain housing projects within an Indian reservation are exempt from property taxes; amending Minnesota Statutes 2000, section 469.040, subdivision 5.

Referred to the Committee on Taxes.

Senator Cohen introduced--

S.F. No. 1049: A bill for an act relating to commerce; regulating the sale and rental of paint ball guns; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 325F.

Referred to the Committee on Commerce.

Senators Fowler, Robertson, Stumpf, Ranum and Sabo introduced--

S.F. No. 1050: A bill for an act relating to taxation; exempting admissions to events sponsored by the state high school league from the sales tax; amending Minnesota Statutes 2000, section 297A.70, subdivision 11.

Referred to the Committee on Taxes.

Senators Kelly, R.C. and Wiger introduced--

S.F. No. 1051: A bill for an act relating to transportation; providing for expansion of the advanced parking information system to the downtown area of the city of St. Paul; appropriating money.

Referred to the Committee on Finance.

Senators Lourey, Ranum and Ring introduced--

S.F. No. 1052: A bill for an act relating to health; requiring a risk evaluation for certain safe drinking water standards; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 144.

Referred to the Committee on Health and Family Security.

Senator Lourey introduced--

S.F. No. 1053: A bill for an act relating to state lands; authorizing public and private sales of certain tax-forfeited land that borders public water and certain tax-forfeited land within a consolidated conservation area in Aitkin county.

Referred to the Committee on Environment and Natural Resources.

Senators Scheid, Wiener, Hottinger, Larson and Oliver introduced--

S.F. No. 1054: A bill for an act relating to insurance; regulating insurers, agents, coverages and benefits, costs, claims, investments, and notifications and disclosures; prescribing powers and duties of the commissioner; eliminating the regulation of nonprofit legal services plans; amending Minnesota Statutes 2000, sections 60A.06, subdivision 3; 60A.08, subdivision 13; 60A.11, subdivision 10; 60A.129, subdivision 2; 60A.14, subdivision 1; 60A.16, subdivision 1; 60A.23, subdivision 8; 60K.14, subdivision 2; 61A.072, by adding subdivisions; 61A.08; 61A.09, subdivision 1; 62A.021, subdivision 3; 62A.023; 62A.04, subdivision 2; 62A.105, subdivision 2; 62A.17, subdivision 1; 62A.20, subdivision 1; 62A.21, subdivision 2a; 62A.30, subdivision 2; 62A.302; 62A.3093; 62A.31, subdivisions 1a, 1i, and 3; 62A.65, subdivision 8; 62E.04, subdivision 4; 62E.06, subdivision 1; 62J.60, subdivision 3; 62L.05, subdivisions 1 and 2; 62M.01, subdivision 2; 62M.02, subdivisions 6, 12, 21, and by adding a subdivision; 62M.05, subdivision 5; 62Q.01, subdivision 6; 62Q.68, subdivision 1; 62Q.72, subdivision 1; 62Q.73, subdivision 3; 65A.01, subdivision 3b; 65A.29, subdivision 7; 65A.30; 65B.04, subdivision 3; 65B.06, subdivisions 1 and 4; 65B.16; 65B.19, subdivision 2; 65B.44, subdivision 3; 65B.49, subdivision 5a; 67A.20, by adding a subdivision; 70A.07; 72A.125, subdivision 3; 72A.201, subdivision 3; 72C.06, subdivision 2; 79A.02, subdivision 1; 79A.03, subdivision 7; and 471.617, subdivision 1;

proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 62Q; repealing Minnesota Statutes 2000, sections 13.7191, subdivision 11; 60A.111; 62G.01; 62G.02; 62G.03; 62G.04; 62G.05; 62G.06; 62G.07; 62G.08; 62G.09; 62G.10; 62G.11; 62G.12; 62G.13; 62G.14; 62G.15; 62G.16; 62G.17; 62G.18; 62G.19; 62G.20; 62G.21; 62G.22; 62G.23; 62G.24; and 62G.25.

Referred to the Committee on Commerce.

Senators Sabo, Lourey, Anderson, Chaudhary and Higgins introduced--

S.F. No. 1055: A bill for an act relating to early childhood; appropriating money for child care resource and referral programs.

Referred to the Committee on Education.

Senators Sabo; Murphy; Chaudhary; Kelly, R.C. and Day introduced--

S.F. No. 1056: A bill for an act relating to drivers' licenses; modifying certain annual requirements relating to school bus drivers; amending Minnesota Statutes 2000, section 171.321, subdivision 5.

Referred to the Committee on Transportation.

Senators Sabo; Kelly, R.C.; Schwab; Chaudhary and Pappas introduced--

S.F. No. 1057: A bill for an act relating to public safety; appropriating money for neighborhood-based crime victim and witness services.

Referred to the Committee on Crime Prevention.

Senators Sabo, Robertson, Higgins, Schwab and Pappas introduced--

S.F. No. 1058: A bill for an act relating to children; directing local advisory councils to develop outcomes and implement plans for the prevention and early identification, referral, and treatment of children's mental health disorders; expanding the role of school preassessment teams to include responsibility for addressing reports of students' mental health disorders; providing school grants for developing guidelines, goals, and plans to manage secondary students' mental health disorders; appropriating money; amending Minnesota Statutes 2000, sections 121A.17, subdivision 3; 121A.25, by adding a subdivision; 121A.26; 121A.27; 121A.29, subdivision 1; 124D.23, subdivision 1; 245.487, subdivision 3; 245.4873, subdivision 3; 245.4875, subdivisions 2, 5, and by adding subdivisions; 245.493, subdivision 2; 626.556, subdivision 2; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 121A.

Referred to the Committee on Education.

Senators Anderson; Wiger; Kelly, R.C. and Vickerman introduced--

S.F. No. 1059: A bill for an act relating to the city of St. Paul; authorizing the issuance of general obligation bonds to finance and implement improvements to the city's technology infrastructure.

Referred to the Committee on State and Local Government Operations.

Senators Fowler, Sams, Day, Frederickson and Vickerman introduced--

S.F. No. 1060: A bill for an act relating to health; modifying reimbursement provisions for volunteer ambulance attendant training; providing for grants to volunteer ambulance services; requiring a study; appropriating money; amending Minnesota Statutes 2000, sections 144E.35, subdivision 1; 144E.42, subdivision 2; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 144E.

Referred to the Committee on Health and Family Security.

Senators Johnson, Doug; Kinkel; Berg; Johnson, Dean and Robling introduced--

S.F. No. 1061: A bill for an act relating to medical assistance; abolishing the hospital surcharge for certain medical assistance costs; appropriating money; repealing Minnesota Statutes 2000, sections 256.9657, subdivision 2; and 256B.19, subdivision 1b.

Referred to the Committee on Health and Family Security.

Senators Berglin, Hottinger, Samuelson, Sams and Fischbach introduced--

S.F. No. 1062: A bill for an act relating to human services; establishing annual rate increases for certain facilities and programs; amending Minnesota Statutes 2000, sections 256B.435, subdivision 3; 256B.5012, subdivision 2; and 256B.765.

Referred to the Committee on Health and Family Security.

Senators Stumpf, Robertson, Olson and Pappas introduced--

S.F. No. 1063: A bill for an act relating to education; families and early childhood education; kindergarten through grade 12; providing for early childhood programs, prevention, self-sufficiency and lifelong learning, general education, education excellence, special education, facilities and technology, nutrition programs, libraries, and state agencies; appropriating money; amending Minnesota Statutes 2000, sections 119A.12, by adding subdivisions; 119A.13, subdivision 4; 119A.21; 119A.22; 119B.011, subdivisions 7, 19, and by adding a subdivision; 119B.02, subdivisions 1 and 2; 119B.03, subdivisions 3, 9, and 10; 119B.05, subdivision 5; 119B.08; 119B.09, subdivisions 1, 2, and 7; 119B.10; 119B.11, subdivision 1; 119B.12, subdivision 2; 119B.13, subdivisions 1 and 6; 119B.15; 120B.30, subdivision 1; 120B.35; 123B.53, subdivisions 2, 4, and 5; 123B.54; 124D.531, subdivision 3; 124D.74, subdivisions 1, 2, 3, 4, and 6; 124D.75, subdivision 6; 124D.76; 124D.78, subdivision 1; 124D.81, subdivisions 1, 3, 5, 6, and 7; 125B.20, subdivision 1; 126C.05, subdivision 1; 126C.10, subdivisions 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 7, 8, 9, 13, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, and by adding a subdivision; 126C.12, subdivision 1; 126C.16, by adding a subdivision; 126C.17, subdivision 2; 126C.63, by adding a subdivision; 126C.69, subdivisions 3, 9, and 12; 126C.72, by adding a subdivision; 127A.45, subdivision 12, and by adding a subdivision; and 475.53, subdivision 4; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapters 119A; 122A; 124D; and 134; repealing Minnesota Statutes 2000, sections 119A.13, subdivisions 1, 2, and 3; 119A.14, subdivision 2; 119A.23; 119B.011, subdivision 20; 119B.03, subdivisions 1, 2, 4, 5, 6, 6a, and 8; 119B.05, subdivision 1; 119B.061; 119B.07; 119B.09, subdivision 3; 119B.11, subdivision 4; 124D.1155; 124D.33; 124D.331; 124D.85; 125B.20, subdivision 3; 126C.10, subdivisions 9, 10, 11, 12, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, and 28; 126C.11; and 127A.50.

Referred to the Committee on Education.

Senators Rest, Vickerman, Stumpf, Stevens and Robertson introduced--

S.F. No. 1064: A bill for an act relating to public contracts; specifying procedures to be followed for certain professional service contracts; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 16C.

Referred to the Committee on State and Local Government Operations.

Senator Schwab introduced--

S.F. No. 1065: A bill for an act relating to education finance; extending the disabled access levy for independent school district No. 500, Southland.

Referred to the Committee on Education.

Senators Metzen, Belanger, Scheid, Pappas and Larson introduced--

S.F. No. 1066: A bill for an act relating to financial institutions; modifying investment authority and recordkeeping requirements; regulating certain rates, charges, fees, and disclosures; exempting certain unstaffed after-hour drop boxes from detached facilities regulation; amending Minnesota Statutes 2000, sections 47.10, subdivision 1; 47.51; 48.03, subdivisions 1 and 2; 48.61, subdivision 7; 56.04; 58.02, by adding a subdivision; 58.14, subdivision 5; and 58.15, subdivision 1; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 58; repealing Minnesota Statutes 2000, section 48.03, subdivision 3; and 58.135.

Referred to the Committee on Commerce.

Senators Kelly, R.C.; Pariseau; Higgins; Berglin and Chaudhary introduced--

S.F. No. 1067: A bill for an act relating to public safety; appropriating money for Asian-American juvenile crime intervention and prevention grants.

Referred to the Committee on Finance.

Senators Betzold, Orfield, Limmer and Kiscaden introduced--

S.F. No. 1068: A bill for an act relating to government data; providing for classification of certain data; amending Minnesota Statutes 2000, section 13.719, by adding a subdivision; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 13.

Referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Senator Terwilliger introduced--

S.F. No. 1069: A bill for an act relating to human services; providing a rate increase for a nursing facility in Hennepin county; appropriating money; amending Minnesota Statutes 2000, section 256B.431, by adding a subdivision.

Referred to the Committee on Health and Family Security.

Senators Berglin, Kiscaden, Stevens, Samuelson and Hottinger introduced--

S.F. No. 1070: A bill for an act relating to long-term care; expanding the availability of information for consumers; expanding the capacity of the community-based system; establishing a process for voluntary nursing facility closure; expanding respite care options; providing a wage increase for employees; modifying workforce provisions; proposing a health insurance subsidy; regulating nursing pools; appropriating money; amending Minnesota Statutes 2000, sections 116L.11, subdivision 4; 116L.12, subdivisions 4 and 5; 116L.13, subdivision 1; 144.057; 144.1464; 144.1496, subdivision 3; 245A.04, subdivisions 3, 3a, 3b, and 3d; 256.975, by adding subdivisions; 256B.0911, subdivisions 1, 3, 5, 6, 7, and by adding subdivisions; 256B.0913, subdivision 14; 256B.0915, subdivision 3; 256B.431, by adding a subdivision; 256B.434, subdivision 4; and 256B.5012, by adding a subdivision; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapters 116L; 144; 144A; and 256B; repealing Minnesota Statutes 2000, sections 116L.10; 116L.12, subdivisions 2 and 7; 256B.0911, subdivisions 2, 2a, 4, 8, and 9; 256B.0913, subdivisions 15a, 15b, and 15c; and 256B.0915, subdivisions 3a, 3b, and 3c.

Referred to the Committee on Health and Family Security.

Senator Berglin introduced--

S.F. No. 1071: A bill for an act relating to health; modifying MinnesotaCare eligibility

requirements for persons with continuation coverage; amending Minnesota Statutes 2000, section 256L.07, by adding a subdivision.

Referred to the Committee on Health and Family Security.

Senator Lessard introduced--

S.F. No. 1072: A bill for an act relating to state government; designating the photograph "Grace" as the state picture; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 1.

Referred to the Committee on Agriculture, General Legislation and Veterans Affairs.

Senators Solon; Johnson, Doug; Terwilliger; Pappas and Robertson introduced--

S.F. No. 1073: A bill for an act relating to education; establishing a grant program for UnCommon schools; appropriating money.

Referred to the Committee on Education.

Senators Johnson, Dave; Vickerman; Larson and Knutson introduced--

S.F. No. 1074: A bill for an act relating to economic development; modifying the Minnesota investment fund; amending Minnesota Statutes 2000, section 116J.8731, subdivisions 4, 5, and 7.

Referred to the Committee on Jobs, Housing and Community Development.

Senators Johnson, Dave; Vickerman; Johnson, Doug; Larson and Knutson introduced--

S.F. No. 1075: A bill for an act relating to appropriations; appropriating money for the Minnesota investment fund.

Referred to the Committee on Finance.

Senators Ring and Stevens introduced--

S.F. No. 1076: A bill for an act relating to health; providing an exception to the moratorium on nursing facility beds for a facility located in Pine City; amending Minnesota Statutes 2000, section 144A.071, subdivision 4a.

Referred to the Committee on Health and Family Security.

Senators Berglin, Sams, Ring, Hottinger and Moe, R.D. introduced--

S.F. No. 1077: A bill for an act relating to health; establishing the long-term care employee health insurance assistance program; appropriating money; amending Minnesota Statutes 2000, sections 62D.04, subdivision 5; and 256L.07, subdivision 2; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 256.

Referred to the Committee on Health and Family Security.

Senator Pappas introduced--

S.F. No. 1078: A bill for an act relating to transit; appropriating money for transit improvements in the University Avenue corridor in St. Paul.

Referred to the Committee on Transportation.

Senators Cohen; Pappas; Anderson; Kelly, R.C. and Wiger introduced--

S.F. No. 1079: A bill for an act relating to community development; providing a grant to the city of St. Paul for planning, predesign, and design of the new Roy Wilkins auditorium and exhibit hall; appropriating money.

Referred to the Committee on Finance.

Senator Berglin introduced--

S.F. No. 1080: A bill for an act relating to human services; extending medical assistance eligibility temporarily; amending Minnesota Statutes 2000, section 256B.057, subdivision 9.

Referred to the Committee on Health and Family Security.

Senators Sams, Samuelson, Day, Fischbach and Solon introduced--

S.F. No. 1081: A bill for an act relating to insurance; requiring an affirmative provider consent to participate in a network under a category of coverage; requiring disclosure of changes in a provider's contract; amending Minnesota Statutes 2000, section 62Q.74, subdivisions 2, 3, and 4; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 62Q.

Referred to the Committee on Commerce.

Senators Frederickson; Johnson, Doug; Moe, R.D.; Tomassoni and Johnson, Dean introduced--

S.F. No. 1082: A bill for an act relating to natural resources; adding to and deleting from state parks and state recreation areas; redescribing a state park boundary and administration; modifying administration of certain boathouse lot leases in Soudan underground mine state park; amending Minnesota Statutes 2000, section 85.012, subdivision 17; Laws 2000, chapter 486, section 4.

Referred to the Committee on Environment and Natural Resources.

Senators Hottinger, Solon, Larson, Kiscaden and Wiener introduced--

S.F. No. 1083: A bill for an act relating to insurance; revising certain provisions involving state regulation of private health coverage; transferring certain regulatory control; establishing requirements for managed care plans; amending Minnesota Statutes 2000, sections 61B.19, subdivision 2; 61B.20, subdivisions 10 and 13; 62A.021, subdivision 1; 62A.041, subdivisions 1 and 2; 62A.042; 62A.043, subdivision 1; 62A.105; 62A.14; 62A.149, subdivision 1; 62A.15, subdivision 1; 62A.152, subdivision 1; 62A.153; 62A.20; 62A.21; 62A.615; 62A.616; 62A.65, subdivision 5; 62D.02, subdivisions 3 and 8; 62D.12, subdivisions 1 and 1a; 62D.15, subdivision 1; 62D.24; 62E.02, subdivision 4; 62E.05, subdivision 2; 62E.11, subdivision 13; 62E.14, subdivision 6; 62E.16; 62J.041, subdivision 4; 62J.701; 62J.74, subdivisions 1 and 2; 62J.75; 62L.02, subdivision 8; 62L.05, subdivision 12; 62L.08, subdivisions 10 and 11; 62L.09, subdivision 3; 62L.10, subdivision 4; 62L.11, subdivision 2; 62L.12, subdivision 2; 62M.11; 62M.16; 62N.02, subdivision 4; 62N.26; 62Q.01, subdivision 2; 62Q.03, subdivision 5a; 62Q.07; 62Q.075, subdivisions 1, 2, and 4; 62Q.106; 62Q.22, subdivisions 2, 6, and 7; 62Q.32; 62Q.33, subdivision 2; 62Q.49, subdivision 2; 62Q.51, subdivision 3; 62Q.525, subdivision 3; 62Q.68, subdivision 1; 62Q.69, subdivisions 2 and 3; 62Q.71; 62Q.72; 62Q.73, subdivisions 3, 4, 5, and 6; 62R.04, subdivision 5; 62R.06, subdivision 1; 62T.01, subdivision 4; 256B.692, subdivisions 2, 4, and 7; 257.34, subdivision 1; and 471.617, subdivision 1; proposing coding for new law as Minnesota Statutes, chapter 62U; repealing Minnesota Statutes 2000, sections 62A.049; 62A.21, subdivision 3; 62C.14, subdivisions 5, 5a, 5b, and 14; 62C.142; 62D.09, subdivision 3; 62D.101; 62D.105; 62D.12, subdivision 19; 62D.123, subdivisions 2, 3, and 4; 62D.124; 62D.181; 62E.03; 62E.04, subdivisions 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, and 7; 62E.05; 62Q.095; 62Q.10; and 62Q.45; Minnesota Rules, parts 4685.0801, subpart 7; 4685.1010; 4685.1105; 4685.1100; 4685.1115; 4685.1120; 4685.1125; 4685.1130; 4685.1300; 4685.1900; 4685.2000; and 4685.2200, subpart 3.

Referred to the Committee on Commerce.

Senator Orfield introduced--

S.F. No. 1084: A bill for an act relating to business subsidies; providing additional requirements for review of decisions to grant business subsidies; amending Minnesota Statutes 2000, section 116J.994, subdivisions 2, 5, and by adding a subdivision.

Referred to the Committee on Jobs, Housing and Community Development.

Senators Vickerman and Kinkel introduced--

S.F. No. 1085: A bill for an act relating to agriculture; providing funding for the development of a soybean oilseed processing facility; appropriating money.

Referred to the Committee on Agriculture, General Legislation and Veterans Affairs.

Senators Rest, Scheid, Olson, Limmer and Betzold introduced--

S.F. No. 1086: A bill for an act relating to education; creating a virtual school district; appropriating money; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 126C.

Referred to the Committee on Education.

Senators Tomassoni; Johnson, Doug and Lessard introduced--

S.F. No. 1087: A bill for an act relating to taxation; sales and use taxes; eliminating the special rates on motor vehicle rentals and alcohol sales; amending Minnesota Statutes 2000, section 297A.64; repealing Minnesota Statutes 2000, section 297A.62, subdivision 2.

Referred to the Committee on Taxes.

Senators Orfield, Ranum, Marty, Cohen and Knutson introduced--

S.F. No. 1088: A bill for an act relating to the courts; allowing for creation of voluntary landlord and tenant mediation programs; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 484.

Referred to the Committee on Jobs, Housing and Community Development.

Senators Metzen and Ourada introduced--

S.F. No. 1089: A bill for an act relating to utilities; restructuring the regulation of electricity generation; providing for transition to a competitive industry; requiring restructuring plans; requiring unbundling of services; providing for recovery of stranded costs; requiring registration of suppliers; providing civil remedies; appropriating money; amending Minnesota Statutes 2000, section 272.027, by adding a subdivision; proposing coding for new law as Minnesota Statutes, chapter 216E.

Referred to the Committee on Telecommunications, Energy and Utilities.

Senators Reiter, Higgins, Fowler, Anderson and Wiger introduced--

S.F. No. 1090: A bill for an act relating to employment; adding an alternative form for minor age certification; amending Minnesota Statutes 2000, section 181A.06, subdivision 1.

Referred to the Committee on Jobs, Housing and Community Development.

Senator Krentz introduced--

S.F. No. 1091: A bill for an act relating to education finance; establishing permanent funding for gifted and talented programs as a component of general education revenue; amending Minnesota Statutes 2000, section 126C.10, subdivision 1, and by adding a subdivision.

Referred to the Committee on Education.

Senators Higgins, Orfield, Sabo, Anderson and Kelly, R.C. introduced--

S.F. No. 1092: A bill for an act relating to landlords and tenants; removing provisions allowing landlords to apportion utility payments among residential units; amending Minnesota Statutes 2000, section 504B.215, subdivision 2; repealing Minnesota Statutes 2000, section 504B.215, subdivision 2a.

Referred to the Committee on Jobs, Housing and Community Development.

Senator Ourada introduced--

S.F. No. 1093: A bill for an act relating to state government; authorizing each member of the legislature to directly hire one staff person; amending Minnesota Statutes 2000, section 3.07.

Referred to the Committee on Rules and Administration.

Senators Pogemiller; Murphy; Moe, R.D. and Pappas introduced--

S.F. No. 1094: A bill for an act relating to taxation; limiting a property tax exemption for certain electric generation facility property to facilities constructed by certain laborers; amending Minnesota Statutes 2000, section 272.02, subdivision 44.

Referred to the Committee on Taxes.

Senators Lourey, Higgins and Berglin introduced--

S.F. No. 1095: A bill for an act relating to health; establishing requirements for early and periodic screening, diagnosis, and treatment programs; requiring an annual report to the legislature; appropriating money; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 256B.

Referred to the Committee on Health and Family Security.

Senator Pogemiller introduced--

S.F. No. 1096: A bill for an act relating to retirement; providing disability coverage provisions for certain former University of Minnesota hospital employees; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 352F.

Referred to the Committee on State and Local Government Operations.

Senators Berglin, Lourey, Limmer, Fischbach and Bachmann introduced--

S.F. No. 1097: A bill for an act relating to taxation; individual income; providing a credit for expenses incurred in the process of adopting a child; amending Minnesota Statutes 2000, section 290.06, by adding a subdivision.

Referred to the Committee on Taxes.

Senators Oliver, Solon, Hottinger, Scheid and Larson introduced--

S.F. No. 1098: A bill for an act relating to state government; codifying reorganization order No. 181; transferring the remaining duties of the commissioner of public service to the commissioner of commerce; amending Minnesota Statutes 2000, sections 3C.12, subdivision 2; 13.679; 15.01; 15.06, subdivision 1; 15A.0815, subdivision 2; 16B.32, subdivision 2; 16B.335, subdivision 4; 16B.56, subdivision 1; 16B.76, subdivision 1; 17.86, subdivision 3; 18.024, subdivision 1; 43A.08, subdivision 1a; 45.012; 103F.325, subdivisions 2 and 3; 115A.15, subdivision 5; 116O.06, subdivision 2; 123B.65, subdivisions 1, 3, and 5; 161.45, subdivision 1; 168.61, subdivision 1; 169.073; 174.03, subdivision 7; 181.30; 216A.01; 216A.035; 216A.036; 216A.05, subdivision 1; 216A.07, subdivision 1; 216A.08; 216A.085, subdivision 3; 216B.02, subdivisions 1, 7, and 8; 216B.16, subdivisions 1, 2, 6b, and 15; 216B.162, subdivisions 7 and 11; 216B.1675, subdivision 9; 216B.241, subdivisions 1a, 1b, and 2b; 216C.01, subdivisions 1, 2, and 3; 216C.051, subdivision 6; 216C.37, subdivision 1; 216C.40, subdivision 4; 237.02; 237.075, subdivisions 2 and 9; 237.082; 237.21; 237.30; 237.462, subdivision 6; 237.51, subdivisions 1, 5, and 5a; 237.52, subdivisions 2, 4, and 5; 237.54, subdivision 2; 237.55; 237.59, subdivision 2; 237.768; 239.01; 325E.11; 325E.115, subdivision 2; 326.243; and 484.50; repealing Minnesota Statutes 2000, sections 216A.06; and 237.69, subdivision 3.

Referred to the Committee on State and Local Government Operations.

Senators Robertson, Knutson and Betzold introduced--

S.F. No. 1099: A bill for an act relating to data practices; classifying certificates of discharge from military service filed with the county recorder as private data; amending Minnesota Statutes 2000, sections 13.785, by adding a subdivision; and 386.20, by adding a subdivision.

Referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Senators Johnson, Dean; Belanger; Murphy; Kelley, S.P. and Lesewski introduced--

S.F. No. 1100: A bill for an act relating to taxation; exempting from the sales tax purchases of materials and equipment used in constructing a biomass electrical generating facility; amending Minnesota Statutes 2000, section 297A.71, by adding a subdivision.

Referred to the Committee on Taxes.

Senators Johnson, Dean; Belanger; Murphy; Kelley, S.P. and Berg introduced--

S.F. No. 1101: A bill for an act relating to taxation; exempting machinery and other personal property of a biomass electrical generating facility from the property tax; amending Minnesota Statutes 2000, section 272.02, by adding a subdivision.

Referred to the Committee on Taxes.

Senator Johnson, Doug introduced--

S.F. No. 1102: A bill for an act relating to appropriations; authorizing state bonds; appropriating money to complete the Forest Highway 11 project within Lake county.

Referred to the Committee on Finance.

Senator Limmer introduced--

S.F. No. 1103: A bill for an act relating to elections; requiring picture identification before registering on election day or voting; requiring additional information for registration; limiting use of certain information; requiring report of certain felony convictions; providing for rulemaking; amending Minnesota Statutes 2000, sections 201.061, subdivision 3; 201.071, subdivisions 1, 3, and by adding subdivisions; 201.091, subdivision 4; 201.155; and 204C.10.

Referred to the Committee on Rules and Administration.

Senator Johnson, Dean introduced--

S.F. No. 1104: A bill for an act relating to the military; clarifying certain national guard eligibility and rank designation requirements; authorizing disposal of certain unused armory sites; authorizing certain armory payments; clarifying language on armory transfers; amending Minnesota Statutes 2000, sections 190.06, subdivision 1; 190.07; 193.144, subdivision 6; 193.145, subdivision 4; and 193.148.

Referred to the Committee on Agriculture, General Legislation and Veterans Affairs.

Senators Krentz, Frederickson, Price, Higgins and Pogemiller introduced--

S.F. No. 1105: A bill for an act relating to the environment; creating design, construction, and use requirements for salt distribution stockpiles; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 116.

Referred to the Committee on Environment and Natural Resources.

Senators Scheevel, Lesewski, Dille and Sams introduced--

S.F. No. 1106: A bill for an act relating to agriculture; providing that the department of agriculture must provide certain inspection services on dairy farms; requiring cooperation between the pollution control agency and the department of agriculture.

Referred to the Committee on Agriculture, General Legislation and Veterans Affairs.

Senators Scheid; Oliver; Schwab; Kelley, S.P. and Kierlin introduced--

S.F. No. 1107: A bill for an act relating to alcoholic beverages; authorizing off-sale wine licenses for supermarkets; amending Minnesota Statutes 2000, sections 340A.101, by adding a subdivision; 340A.408, subdivision 3; 340A.412, subdivision 3; 340A.413, subdivision 5; and 340A.503, subdivision 4; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 340A.

Referred to the Committee on Commerce.

Senators Scheid, Pappas, Pogemiller, Larson and Knutson introduced--

S.F. No. 1108: A bill for an act relating to commerce; regulating Internet sales and leases; providing for the disclosure of information relating to the ownership of domain names and agents for service of process; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 325F.

Referred to the Committee on Commerce.

Senators Johnson, Dean; Robling and Langseth introduced--

S.F. No. 1109: A bill for an act relating to transportation; providing for design-build method of state transportation project delivery; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 161.

Referred to the Committee on Transportation.

Senator Langseth introduced--

S.F. No. 1110: A bill for an act relating to taxation; providing a subtraction from taxable income for amounts expended for long-term care insurance premiums; amending Minnesota Statutes 2000, section 290.01, subdivision 19b.

Referred to the Committee on Taxes.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS - CONTINUED

Remaining on the Order of Business of Motions and Resolutions, Senator Moe, R.D. moved that the Senate take up the General Orders Calendar. The motion prevailed.

GENERAL ORDERS

The Senate resolved itself into a Committee of the Whole, with Senator Samuelson in the chair.

After some time spent therein, the committee arose, and Senator Samuelson reported that the committee had considered the following:

S.F. Nos. 7, 225, 289, 249, 174, 266, 456, 417, 346, 509, 510, 327, 359, 615, 110, 9, 741 and H.F. Nos. 80, 393, 57, which the committee recommends to pass.

S.F. No. 61, which the committee recommends be returned to its author.

S.F. No. 229, which the committee recommends to pass with the following amendments offered by Senators Ranum and Limmer:

Senator Ranum moved to amend S.F. No. 229 as follows:

Pages 1 and 2, delete sections 1 and 2 and insert:

"Section 1. Minnesota Statutes 2000, section 609A.03, subdivision 2, is amended to read:

Subd. 2. [CONTENTS OF PETITION.] (a) A petition for expungement shall be signed under oath by the petitioner and shall state the following:

(1) the petitioner's full name and all other legal names or aliases by which the petitioner has been known at any time;

(2) the petitioner's date of birth;

(3) all of the petitioner's addresses from the date of the offense or alleged offense in connection with which an expungement order is sought, to the date of the petition;

(4) why expungement is sought, if it is for employment or licensure purposes, the statutory or other legal authority under which it is sought, and why it should be granted;

(5) the details of the offense or arrest for which expungement is sought, including date and jurisdiction of the occurrence, names of victims, whether there is a current order for protection, restraining order, or other no contact order prohibiting the petitioner from contacting the victim or there has ever been a prior order for protection or restraining order prohibiting the petitioner from contacting the victim, court file number, and date of conviction or of dismissal;

(6) in the case of a conviction, what steps the petitioner has taken since the time of the offense toward personal rehabilitation, including treatment, work, or other personal history that demonstrates rehabilitation;

(7) petitioner's criminal conviction record indicating all convictions for misdemeanors, gross misdemeanors, or felonies in this state, and for all comparable convictions in any other state, federal court, or foreign country, whether the convictions occurred before or after the arrest or conviction for which expungement is sought;

(8) petitioner's criminal charges record indicating all prior and pending criminal charges against the petitioner in this state or another jurisdiction, including all criminal charges that have been continued for dismissal or stayed for adjudication, or have been the subject of pretrial diversion; and

(9) all prior requests by the petitioner, whether for the present offense or for any other offenses, in this state or any other state or federal court, for pardon, return of arrest records, or expungement or sealing of a criminal record, whether granted or not, and all stays of adjudication or imposition of sentence involving the petitioner.

(b) If there is a current order for protection, restraining order, or other no contact order prohibiting the petitioner from contacting the victim or there has ever been a prior order for protection or restraining order prohibiting the petitioner from contacting the victim, the petitioner shall attach a copy of the order to the petition.

Sec. 2. Minnesota Statutes 2000, section 609A.03, subdivision 3, is amended to read:

Subd. 3. [SERVICE OF PETITION AND PROPOSED ORDER.] (a) The petition for expungement and a proposed expungement order shall be served by mail on: (1) the state and local government agencies and jurisdictions whose records would be affected by the proposed order; and (2) except as provided in paragraph (b), any victims of the offense for which expungement is sought who can be located with reasonable efforts. Service shall also be made by mail on the attorney for each agency and jurisdiction listed in clause (1).

(b) If there is a current order for protection, restraining order, or other no contact order prohibiting the petitioner from contacting the victim or there has ever been a prior order for protection or restraining order prohibiting the petitioner from contacting the victim, the petitioner shall notify the prosecutorial office that had jurisdiction over the offense for which expungement is being sought of this and provide the office with a copy of the petition and proposed order and the victim's address. The prosecutorial office shall serve these items by mail on the victim. Service under this paragraph does not constitute a violation of the order."

Amend the title accordingly

The motion prevailed. So the amendment was adopted.

Senator Limmer moved to amend the Ranum amendment to S.F. No. 229 as follows:

Page 3, after line 2, insert:

""(c) The notice to victims of the offense under this subdivision must specifically inform the victim of the victim's right to be present and to submit an oral or written statement at the expungement hearing described in subdivision 4."

Page 2, line 35, delete "A"

Page 2, delete line 36

Page 3, delete lines 1 and 2 and insert "A victim of the offense for which expungement is sought has a right to submit an oral or written statement to the court at the time of the hearing describing the harm suffered by the victim as a result of the crime and the victim's recommendation on whether expungement should be granted or denied. The judge shall consider the victim's statement when making a decision."

The motion prevailed. So the amendment to the amendment was adopted.

S.F. No. 555, which the committee recommends to pass with the following amendments offered by Senators Betzold and Stevens:

Senator Betzold moved to amend S.F. No. 555 as follows:

Page 3, line 24, delete "must" and insert "shall"

Page 4, lines 21 and 26, delete "must" and insert "shall"

The motion prevailed. So the amendment was adopted.

Senator Betzold then moved to amend S.F. No. 555 as follows:

Page 5, line 2, delete "senate committee on committees" and insert "president of the senate"

The motion prevailed. So the amendment was adopted.

Senator Stevens moved to amend S.F. No. 555 as follows:

Page 6, line 23, delete "may" and insert "must" and delete "any" and insert "the"

Page 6, line 24, before the period, insert "that is the subject of the petition"

The motion prevailed. So the amendment was adopted.

S.F. No. 520, which the committee recommends to pass with the following amendment offered by Senator Wiger:

Page 1, line 10, delete "fire" and insert "action"

The motion prevailed. So the amendment was adopted.

S.F. No. 647, which the committee recommends to pass with the following amendment offered by Senator Olson:

Page 2, line 13, before the period, insert "and to relieve schools from the necessity of cross-subsidizing special education revenue with general education revenue"

The motion prevailed. So the amendment was adopted.

S.F. No. 197, which the committee reports progress, subject to the following motion:

Senator Frederickson moved to amend S.F. No. 197 as follows:

Page 1, line 14, after "animal" insert "located in an area that is not zoned as agricultural"

The motion prevailed. So the amendment was adopted.

S.F. No. 197 was then progressed.

On motion of Senator Moe, R.D., the report of the Committee of the Whole, as kept by the Secretary, was adopted.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS - CONTINUED

CONSENT CALENDAR

H.F. No. 106: A bill for an act relating to agriculture; allowing certain members of the Minnesota agriculture education leadership council to designate permanent or temporary replacement members; extending the sunset date of the Minnesota agricultural education leadership council; amending Minnesota Statutes 2000, section 41D.01, subdivisions 1, 3, and 4.

Was read the third time and placed on its final passage.

The question was taken on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and there were yeas 61 and nays 0, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Anderson
Bachmann
Belanger

Berg
Berglin
Betzold

Chaudhary
Cohen
Day

Dille
Fischbach
Foley

Fowler
Frederickson
Higgins

| | | | | |
|-----------------|-----------|------------|-----------|-------------|
| Hottinger | Kleis | Murphy | Ranum | Schwab |
| Johnson, Dave | Knutson | Neuville | Reiter | Stumpf |
| Johnson, Dean | Krentz | Oliver | Rest | Terwilliger |
| Johnson, Debbie | Langseth | Olson | Ring | Tomassoni |
| Johnson, Doug | Lesewski | Orfield | Robling | Vickerman |
| Kelley, S.P. | Lessard | Ourada | Sabo | Wiger |
| Kelly, R.C. | Limmer | Pappas | Sams | |
| Kierlin | Lourey | Pariseau | Samuelson | |
| Kinkel | Marty | Pogemiller | Scheevel | |
| Kiscaden | Moe, R.D. | Price | Scheid | |

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

MEMBERS EXCUSED

Senator Dille was excused from the Session of today from 2:30 to 3:00 p.m. Senator Robertson was excused from the Session of today at 4:50 p.m.

ADJOURNMENT

Senator Moe, R.D. moved that the Senate do now adjourn until 9:30 a.m., Thursday, March 1, 2001. The motion prevailed.

Patrick E. Flahaven, Secretary of the Senate

INDEX TO DAILY JOURNAL

Monday, February 26, 2001

MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE AND FIRST READINGS OF HOUSE FILES

| S.F. Nos. | Message Page | H.F. Nos. | Message Page | 1st Reading Page |
|-----------|--------------|-----------|--------------|------------------|
| 43 | 305 | 556 |306 | 306 |
| | | 656 |306 | 306 |

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES AND SECOND READINGS

| S.F. Nos. | Report Page | 2nd Reading Page | H.F. Nos. | Report Page | 2nd Reading Page |
|-----------|-------------|------------------|-----------|-------------|------------------|
| 326 | 307 | | 149 |310 | 310 |
| 333 | 308 | 310 | | | |
| 407 | 308 | 310 | | | |
| 408 | 309 | | | | |
| 433 | 308 | 310 | | | |
| 444 | 309 | | | | |
| 453 | 308 | 310 | | | |
| 564 | 307 | | | | |
| 585 | 309 | | | | |
| 601 | 307 | | | | |
| 664 | 307 | | | | |
| 681 | 309 | | | | |
| 816 | 309 | | | | |
| 867 | 309 | | | | |

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS

| S.F. Nos. | Page | H.F. Nos. | Page |
|-----------|----------|-----------|------|
| 161 |310 | | |
| 361 |310 | | |
| 750 |310 | | |
| 811 |310 | | |
| 919 |310 | | |
| 942 |310 | | |

CONSENT CALENDAR

| S.F. Nos. | Page | H.F. Nos. | Page |
|-----------|------|-----------|----------|
| | | 106 |328 |

GENERAL ORDERS

| S.F. Nos. | Page | H.F. Nos. | Page |
|-----------|----------|-----------|----------|
| 7 |326 | 57 |326 |
| 9 |326 | 80 |326 |
| 110 |326 | 393 |326 |
| 174 |326 | | |
| 197 |328 | | |
| 225 |326 | | |
| 229 |326 | | |
| 249 |326 | | |
| 266 |326 | | |
| 289 |326 | | |
| 327 |326 | | |
| 346 |326 | | |
| 359 |326 | | |
| 417 |326 | | |
| 456 |326 | | |
| 509 |326 | | |
| 510 |326 | | |
| 520 |328 | | |
| 555 |327 | | |
| 615 |326 | | |
| 647 |328 | | |
| 741 |326 | | |

INTRODUCTION AND FIRST READING OF SENATE BILLS

| | |
|------------------------|------------------------|
| S.F. Nos. 1014 to 1110 | Pages 311 to 325 |
|------------------------|------------------------|