

STATE OF MINNESOTA

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FIRST SPECIAL SESSION

FIRST DAY

St. Paul, Minnesota, Monday, May 17, 2010

The Senate met at 12:01 a.m. and was called to order by the President.

CALL OF THE SENATE

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

The members of the Senate paused for a brief moment of reflection.

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

The Secretary called the roll by legislative district in numerical order as follows:

First District	LeRoy A. Stumpf
Second District	Rod Skoe
Third District	Tom Saxhaug
Fourth District	Mary Olson
Fifth District	David J. Tomassoni
Sixth District	Thomas M. Bakk
Seventh District	Yvonne Prettner Solon
Eighth District	Tony Lourey
Ninth District	Keith Langseth
Tenth District	Dan Skogen
Eleventh District	Bill Ingebrigtsen
Twelfth District	Paul E. Koering
Thirteenth District	Joseph R. Gimse
Fourteenth District	Michelle L. Fischbach
Fifteenth District	Tarryl L. Clark
Sixteenth District	Lisa A. Fobbe
Seventeenth District	Rick Olsen
Eighteenth District	Steve Dille
Nineteenth District	Amy T. Koch
Twentieth District	Gary W. Kubly
Twenty-First District	Dennis R. Frederickson
Twenty-Second District	Jim Vickerman
Twenty-Third District	Kathy Sheran

Twenty-Fourth District	Julie A. Rosen
Twenty-Fifth District	Kevin L. Dahle
Twenty-Sixth District	Mike Parry
Twenty-Seventh District	Dan Sparks
Twenty-Eighth District	Steve Murphy
Twenty-Ninth District	David H. Senjem
Thirtieth District	Ann Lynch
Thirty-First District	Sharon Erickson Ropes
Thirty-Second District	Warren Limmer
Thirty-Third District	Gen Olson
Thirty-Fourth District	Julianne E. Ortman
Thirty-Fifth District	Claire A. Robling
Thirty-Sixth District	Pat Pariseau
Thirty-Seventh District	Chris Gerlach
Thirty-Eighth District	Jim Carlson
Thirty-Ninth District	James P. Metzen
Fortieth District	John Doll
Forty-First District	Geoff Michel
Forty-Second District	David Hann
Forty-Third District	Terri Bonoff
Forty-Fourth District	Ron Latz
Forty-Fifth District	Ann H. Rest
Forty-Sixth District	Linda Scheid
Forty-Seventh District	Leo T. Foley
Forty-Eighth District	Michael J. Jungbauer
Forty-Ninth District	Debbie J. Johnson
Fiftieth District	Satveer Chaudhary
Fifty-First District	Don Betzold
Fifty-Second District	Ray Vandever
Fifty-Third District	Sandy Rummel
Fifty-Fourth District	John Marty
Fifty-Fifth District	Charles W. Wiger
Fifty-Sixth District	Kathy Saltzman
Fifty-Seventh District	Katie Sieben
Fifty-Eighth District	Linda Higgins
Fifty-Ninth District	Lawrence J. Pogemiller
Sixtieth District	D. Scott Dibble
Sixty-First District	Linda Berglin
Sixty-Second District	Patricia Torres Ray
Sixty-Third District	Ken Kelash
Sixty-Fourth District	Richard J. Cohen
Sixty-Fifth District	Sandra L. Pappas
Sixty-Sixth District	Ellen R. Anderson
Sixty-Seventh District	Mee Moua

The President declared a quorum present.

STATE OF MINNESOTA**PROCLAMATION FOR SPECIAL SESSION 2010**

WHEREAS: The Eighty-Sixth Legislature has reached the final day pursuant to Article IV, Section 21 of the Minnesota Constitution on which bills may be passed by either house without enacting legislation essential to the health, well-being and safety of the citizens of Minnesota; and

WHEREAS: The unfinished matters of the Legislature include essential laws balancing the state budget; and

WHEREAS: The time permitted by law for passage of such legislation during the 2010 session for the Legislature will expire imminently, and an extraordinary occasion as envisioned by Article IV, Section 12 of the Minnesota Constitution is thereby created; and

WHEREAS: The people of Minnesota are best served by a prompt conclusion of legislative business.

NOW THEREFORE, I, TIM PAWLENTY, Governor of Minnesota, do hereby summon you, members of the Legislature, to convene in Special Session on Monday, May 17, 2010, at 12:01 a.m. at the State Capitol in Saint Paul, Minnesota.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of Minnesota to be affixed at the State Capitol this 16th day of May in the year of our Lord two thousand and ten, and of the State the one hundred fifty-second.

Sincerely,
Tim Pawlenty, Governor

Sincerely,
Mark Ritchie, Secretary of State

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS**Senators Pogemiller and Senjem introduced –**

Senate Resolution No. 1: A Senate resolution relating to organization and operation of the Senate during the Special Session.

BE IT RESOLVED, by the Senate of the State of Minnesota:

The Senate is organized under Minnesota Statutes, sections 3.073 and 3.103.

The Rules of the Senate for the 86th Legislature are the Rules for the Special Session, except that Rules 3.5, 5 and 9 are not operative other than as provided in this resolution.

The Committee on Rules and Administration is established in the same manner and with the same powers as in the 86th Legislature.

With respect to Rule 30, Reconsideration, a notice of intention to move for reconsideration is not

in order, but a motion to reconsider may be made, and when made has priority over other business except a motion to adjourn.

Senator Pogemiller moved the adoption of the foregoing resolution. The motion prevailed. So the resolution was adopted.

Senators Pogemiller and Senjem introduced –

Senate Resolution No. 2: A Senate resolution relating to notifying the House of Representatives and the Governor that the Senate is organized.

BE IT RESOLVED, by the Senate of the State of Minnesota:

The Secretary of the Senate shall notify the House of Representatives and the Governor that the Senate is now duly organized under the Minnesota Constitution and Minnesota Statutes.

Senator Pogemiller moved the adoption of the foregoing resolution. The motion prevailed. So the resolution was adopted.

RECESS

Senator Pogemiller moved that the Senate do now recess subject to the call of the President. The motion prevailed.

After a brief recess, the President called the Senate to order.

ADJOURNMENT

Senator Pogemiller moved that the Senate do now adjourn until 7:30 a.m., Monday, May 17, 2010. The motion prevailed.

Peter S. Wattson, Secretary of the Senate (Legislative)