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Bismarck, February 24, 2005

The Senate convened at 8:30 a.m., with President Dalrymple presiding.

The prayer was offered by Reverend Sammy Allen, Faith Center Church of God of Prophecy, Bismarck.

The roll was called and all members were present except Senators Bowman, Brown, Dever, Fischer, Holmberg, G. Lee, and Taylor.

A quorum was declared by the President.

MOTION

SEN. CHRISTMANN MOVED that the Senate stand in recess until 1:00 p.m., which motion prevailed.

THE SENATE RECONVENED pursuant to recess taken, with President Dalrymple presiding.

CONSIDERATION OF AMENDMENTS

HB 1064: SEN. TRAYNOR (Judiciary Committee) MOVED that the amendments on SJ page 619 be adopted and then be placed on the Fourteenth order with **DO PASS**, which motion prevailed.

MOTION

SEN. CHRISTMANN MOVED that HB 1117, which is on the Fourteenth order, be laid over one legislative day, which motion prevailed.

SECOND READING OF HOUSE BILL

HB 1086: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 62.1-02-04 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to a private security officer's possession of a firearm in a retail liquor establishment or gaming site; and to declare an emergency.

ROLL CALL

The question being on the final passage of the amended bill, which has been read, and has committee recommendation of **DO PASS**, the roll was called and there were 45 YEAS, 0 NAYS, 0 EXCUSED, 2 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING.

YEAS: Andrist; Bercier; Bowman; Brown; Christmann; Cook; Dever; Erbele; Espgaard; Every; Fairfield; Fischer; Flakoll; Freborg; Grindberg; Hacker; Heitkamp; Holmberg; Kilzer; Klein; Krauter; Krebsbach; Kringstad; Lee, G.; Lee, J.; Lindaas; Lyson; Mathern; Mutch; Nelson; Nething; O'Connell; Robinson; Schobinger; Seymour; Syverson; Tallackson; Thane; Tollefson; Traynor; Trenbeath; Triplett; Urlacher; Wardner; Warner

ABSENT AND NOT VOTING: Stenehjem; Taylor

Engrossed HB 1086, as amended, passed, the title was agreed to, and the emergency clause was declared carried.

SECOND READING OF HOUSE BILL

HB 1178: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact sections 26.1-26.6-01, 26.1-26.6-02, 26.1-26.6-03, 26.1-26.6-04, 26.1-26.6-05, 26.1-26.6-06, 26.1-26.6-07, 26.1-26.6-08, and 26.1-26.6-09 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to bail bond agents.

ROLL CALL

The question being on the final passage of the amended bill, which has been read, and has committee recommendation of **DO PASS**, the roll was called and there were 45 YEAS, 0 NAYS, 0 EXCUSED, 2 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING.

YEAS: Andrist; Bercier; Bowman; Brown; Christmann; Cook; Dever; Erbele; Espgaard; Every; Fairfield; Fischer; Flakoll; Freborg; Grindberg; Hacker; Heitkamp; Holmberg; Kilzer; Klein; Krauter; Krebsbach; Kringstad; Lee, G.; Lee, J.; Lindaas; Lyson; Mathern; Mutch;

Nelson; Nething; O'Connell; Robinson; Schobinger; Seymour; Syverson; Tallackson; Thane; Tollefson; Traynor; Trenbeath; Triplett; Urlacher; Wardner; Warner

ABSENT AND NOT VOTING: Stenehjem; Taylor

Engrossed HB 1178, as amended, passed and the title was agreed to.

SECOND READING OF HOUSE BILL

HB 1190: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 23-09.3-01.1 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to a moratorium on the expansion of basic care bed capacity.

ROLL CALL

The question being on the final passage of the amended bill, which has been read, and has committee recommendation of DO PASS, the roll was called and there were 45 YEAS, 0 NAYS, 0 EXCUSED, 2 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING.

YEAS: Andrist; Bercier; Bowman; Brown; Christmann; Cook; Dever; Erbele; Espgaard; Every; Fairfield; Fischer; Flakoll; Freborg; Grindberg; Hacker; Heitkamp; Holmberg; Kilzer; Klein; Krauter; Krebsbach; Kringstad; Lee, G.; Lee, J.; Lindaas; Lyson; Mathern; Mutch; Nelson; Nething; O'Connell; Robinson; Schobinger; Seymour; Syverson; Tallackson; Thane; Tollefson; Traynor; Trenbeath; Triplett; Urlacher; Wardner; Warner

ABSENT AND NOT VOTING: Stenehjem; Taylor

Engrossed HB 1190, as amended, passed and the title was agreed to.

SECOND READING OF HOUSE BILL

HB 1204: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 50-30-02 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the North Dakota health care trust fund; and to repeal section 50-24.4-30 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the government nursing facility funding pool.

ROLL CALL

The question being on the final passage of the amended bill, which has been read, and has committee recommendation of DO PASS, the roll was called and there were 45 YEAS, 0 NAYS, 0 EXCUSED, 2 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING.

YEAS: Andrist; Bercier; Bowman; Brown; Christmann; Cook; Dever; Erbele; Espgaard; Every; Fairfield; Fischer; Flakoll; Freborg; Grindberg; Hacker; Heitkamp; Holmberg; Kilzer; Klein; Krauter; Krebsbach; Kringstad; Lee, G.; Lee, J.; Lindaas; Lyson; Mathern; Mutch; Nelson; Nething; O'Connell; Robinson; Schobinger; Seymour; Syverson; Tallackson; Thane; Tollefson; Traynor; Trenbeath; Triplett; Urlacher; Wardner; Warner

ABSENT AND NOT VOTING: Stenehjem; Taylor

HB 1204, as amended, passed and the title was agreed to.

SECOND READING OF HOUSE BILL

HB 1211: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact sections 12.1-23-11 and 12.1-23-12 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to unauthorized use of personal identifying information of a deceased individual and jurisdiction in offenses involving conduct outside this state; and to provide a penalty.

ROLL CALL

The question being on the final passage of the amended bill, which has been read, and has committee recommendation of DO PASS, the roll was called and there were 45 YEAS, 0 NAYS, 0 EXCUSED, 2 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING.

YEAS: Andrist; Bercier; Bowman; Brown; Christmann; Cook; Dever; Erbele; Espgaard; Every; Fairfield; Fischer; Flakoll; Freborg; Grindberg; Hacker; Heitkamp; Holmberg; Kilzer; Klein; Krauter; Krebsbach; Kringstad; Lee, G.; Lee, J.; Lindaas; Lyson; Mathern; Mutch; Nelson; Nething; O'Connell; Robinson; Schobinger; Seymour; Syverson; Tallackson; Thane; Tollefson; Traynor; Trenbeath; Triplett; Urlacher; Wardner; Warner

ABSENT AND NOT VOTING: Stenehjem; Taylor

HB 1211, as amended, passed and the title was agreed to.

SECOND READING OF HOUSE BILL

HB 1191: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 23-16-01.1 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to a moratorium on long-term care bed capacity.

ROLL CALL

The question being on the final passage of the amended bill, which has been read, and has committee recommendation of DO PASS, the roll was called and there were 45 YEAS, 0 NAYS, 0 EXCUSED, 2 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING.

YEAS: Andrist; Bercier; Bowman; Brown; Christmann; Cook; Dever; Erbele; Espgaard; Every; Fairfield; Fischer; Flakoll; Freborg; Grindberg; Hacker; Heitkamp; Holmberg; Kilzer; Klein; Krauter; Krebsbach; Kringstad; Lee, G.; Lee, J.; Lindaas; Lyson; Mathern; Mutch; Nelson; Nething; O'Connell; Robinson; Schobinger; Seymour; Syverson; Tallackson; Thane; Tollefson; Traynor; Trenbeath; Triplett; Urlacher; Wardner; Warner

ABSENT AND NOT VOTING: Stenehjem; Taylor

Engrossed HB 1191, as amended, passed and the title was agreed to.

SECOND READING OF HOUSE BILL

HB 1053: A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new section to chapter 54-44.1 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to contingent Bank of North Dakota transfers to the general fund.

ROLL CALL

The question being on the final passage of the bill, which has been read, and has committee recommendation of DO PASS, the roll was called and there were 44 YEAS, 1 NAY, 0 EXCUSED, 2 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING.

YEAS: Andrist; Bercier; Bowman; Brown; Christmann; Cook; Dever; Erbele; Espgaard; Every; Fairfield; Fischer; Flakoll; Freborg; Grindberg; Hacker; Holmberg; Kilzer; Klein; Krauter; Krebsbach; Kringstad; Lee, G.; Lee, J.; Lindaas; Lyson; Mathern; Mutch; Nelson; Nething; O'Connell; Robinson; Schobinger; Seymour; Syverson; Tallackson; Thane; Tollefson; Traynor; Trenbeath; Triplett; Urlacher; Wardner; Warner

NAYS: Heitkamp

ABSENT AND NOT VOTING: Stenehjem; Taylor

HB 1053 passed and the title was agreed to.

SECOND READING OF HOUSE BILL

HB 1059: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact sections 52-08.1-01, 52-08.1-02, 52-08.1-03, 52-08.1-04, 52-08.1-05, and 52-08.1-06 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to changing the name of work force 2000 to workforce 20/20 and eligibility for workforce 20/20 funds.

ROLL CALL

The question being on the final passage of the bill, which has been read, and has committee recommendation of DO PASS, the roll was called and there were 45 YEAS, 0 NAYS, 0 EXCUSED, 2 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING.

YEAS: Andrist; Bercier; Bowman; Brown; Christmann; Cook; Dever; Erbele; Espgaard; Every; Fairfield; Fischer; Flakoll; Freborg; Grindberg; Hacker; Heitkamp; Holmberg; Kilzer; Klein; Krauter; Krebsbach; Kringstad; Lee, G.; Lee, J.; Lindaas; Lyson; Mathern; Mutch; Nelson; Nething; O'Connell; Robinson; Schobinger; Seymour; Syverson; Tallackson; Thane; Tollefson; Traynor; Trenbeath; Triplett; Urlacher; Wardner; Warner

ABSENT AND NOT VOTING: Stenehjem; Taylor

Engrossed HB 1059 passed and the title was agreed to.

MOTION

SEN. CHRISTMANN MOVED that HB 1081, which is on the Fourteenth order, be laid over one legislative day, which motion prevailed.

SECOND READING OF HOUSE BILL

HB 1082: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 52-04-10, subsection 3 of section 52-04-11.1, and section 52-04-17 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to appeals from employer tax rate notices, administrative hearings concerning corporate officer personal liability, and questions of employer status for unemployment compensation insurance purposes.

ROLL CALL

The question being on the final passage of the bill, which has been read, and has committee recommendation of DO PASS, the roll was called and there were 45 YEAS, 0 NAYS, 0 EXCUSED, 2 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING.

YEAS: Andrist; Bercier; Bowman; Brown; Christmann; Cook; Dever; Erbele; Espegard; Every; Fairfield; Fischer; Flakoll; Freborg; Grindberg; Hacker; Heitkamp; Holmberg; Kilzer; Klein; Krauter; Krebsbach; Kringstad; Lee, G.; Lee, J.; Lindaas; Lyson; Mathern; Mutch; Nelson; Nething; O'Connell; Robinson; Schobinger; Seymour; Syverson; Tallackson; Thane; Tollefson; Traynor; Trenbeath; Triplett; Urlacher; Wardner; Warner

ABSENT AND NOT VOTING: Stenehjem; Taylor

HB 1082 passed and the title was agreed to.

SECOND READING OF HOUSE BILL

HB 1132: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact subsection 2 of section 6-09.9-03 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to participation interest purchased by the Bank of North Dakota in Family Farm Survival Act operating loans to farmers.

ROLL CALL

The question being on the final passage of the bill, which has been read, and has committee recommendation of DO PASS, the roll was called and there were 45 YEAS, 0 NAYS, 0 EXCUSED, 2 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING.

YEAS: Andrist; Bercier; Bowman; Brown; Christmann; Cook; Dever; Erbele; Espegard; Every; Fairfield; Fischer; Flakoll; Freborg; Grindberg; Hacker; Heitkamp; Holmberg; Kilzer; Klein; Krauter; Krebsbach; Kringstad; Lee, G.; Lee, J.; Lindaas; Lyson; Mathern; Mutch; Nelson; Nething; O'Connell; Robinson; Schobinger; Seymour; Syverson; Tallackson; Thane; Tollefson; Traynor; Trenbeath; Triplett; Urlacher; Wardner; Warner

ABSENT AND NOT VOTING: Stenehjem; Taylor

HB 1132 passed and the title was agreed to.

SECOND READING OF HOUSE BILL

HB 1133: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact subsection 1 of section 6-09.14-01 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the definition of qualified businesses to which Partnership in Assisting Community Expansion Act loans may be made.

ROLL CALL

The question being on the final passage of the bill, which has been read, and has committee recommendation of DO PASS, the roll was called and there were 45 YEAS, 0 NAYS, 0 EXCUSED, 2 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING.

YEAS: Andrist; Bercier; Bowman; Brown; Christmann; Cook; Dever; Erbele; Espegard; Every; Fairfield; Fischer; Flakoll; Freborg; Grindberg; Hacker; Heitkamp; Holmberg; Kilzer; Klein; Krauter; Krebsbach; Kringstad; Lee, G.; Lee, J.; Lindaas; Lyson; Mathern; Mutch; Nelson; Nething; O'Connell; Robinson; Schobinger; Seymour; Syverson; Tallackson; Thane; Tollefson; Traynor; Trenbeath; Triplett; Urlacher; Wardner; Warner

ABSENT AND NOT VOTING: Stenehjem; Taylor

HB 1133 passed and the title was agreed to.

SECOND READING OF HOUSE BILL

HB 1150: A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new subdivision to subsection 7 of section 6-08.1-02 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to confidentiality of Bank of North Dakota customer records.

ROLL CALL

The question being on the final passage of the bill, which has been read, and has committee recommendation of DO PASS, the roll was called and there were 45 YEAS, 0 NAYS, 0 EXCUSED, 2 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING.

YEAS: Andrist; Bercier; Bowman; Brown; Christmann; Cook; Dever; Erbele; Espegard; Every; Fairfield; Fischer; Flakoll; Freborg; Grindberg; Hacker; Heitkamp; Holmberg; Kilzer; Klein; Krauter; Krebsbach; Kringstad; Lee, G.; Lee, J.; Lindaas; Lyson; Mathern; Mutch; Nelson; Nething; O'Connell; Robinson; Schobinger; Seymour; Syverson; Tallackson; Thane; Tollefson; Traynor; Trenbeath; Triplett; Urlacher; Wardner; Warner

ABSENT AND NOT VOTING: Stenehjem; Taylor

HB 1150 passed and the title was agreed to.

SECOND READING OF HOUSE BILL

HB 1158: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact sections 14-02.5-31 and 14-02.5-36 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to labor department administrative hearings and representation in enforcement actions.

ROLL CALL

The question being on the final passage of the bill, which has been read, and has committee recommendation of DO PASS, the roll was called and there were 32 YEAS, 13 NAYS, 0 EXCUSED, 2 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING.

YEAS: Andrist; Bowman; Brown; Christmann; Cook; Dever; Erbele; Espegard; Fischer; Flakoll; Freborg; Grindberg; Hacker; Holmberg; Kilzer; Klein; Krebsbach; Kringstad; Lee, G.; Lee, J.; Lyson; Mutch; Nething; Schobinger; Syverson; Thane; Tollefson; Traynor; Trenbeath; Triplett; Urlacher; Wardner

NAYS: Bercier; Every; Fairfield; Heitkamp; Krauter; Lindaas; Mathern; Nelson; O'Connell; Robinson; Seymour; Tallackson; Warner

ABSENT AND NOT VOTING: Stenehjem; Taylor

Engrossed HB 1158 passed and the title was agreed to.

SECOND READING OF HOUSE BILL

HB 1228: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 15.1-07-12 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the disbursement of moneys by a school district business manager.

ROLL CALL

The question being on the final passage of the bill, which has been read, and has committee recommendation of DO PASS, the roll was called and there were 45 YEAS, 0 NAYS, 0 EXCUSED, 2 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING.

YEAS: Andrist; Bercier; Bowman; Brown; Christmann; Cook; Dever; Erbele; Espegard; Every; Fairfield; Fischer; Flakoll; Freborg; Grindberg; Hacker; Heitkamp; Holmberg; Kilzer; Klein; Krauter; Krebsbach; Kringstad; Lee, G.; Lee, J.; Lindaas; Lyson; Mathern; Mutch; Nelson; Nething; O'Connell; Robinson; Schobinger; Seymour; Syverson; Tallackson; Thane; Tollefson; Traynor; Trenbeath; Triplett; Urlacher; Wardner; Warner

ABSENT AND NOT VOTING: Stenehjem; Taylor

HB 1228 passed and the title was agreed to.

SECOND READING OF HOUSE BILL

HB 1267: A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new section to chapter 50-25.1 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the duties of the department of human services with respect to child protective services.

ROLL CALL

The question being on the final passage of the bill, which has been read, and has committee recommendation of DO PASS, the roll was called and there were 45 YEAS, 0 NAYS, 0 EXCUSED, 2 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING.

YEAS: Andrist; Bercier; Bowman; Brown; Christmann; Cook; Dever; Erbele; Espgaard; Every; Fairfield; Fischer; Flakoll; Freborg; Grindberg; Hacker; Heitkamp; Holmberg; Kilzer; Klein; Krauter; Krebsbach; Kringstad; Lee, G.; Lee, J.; Lindaas; Lyson; Mathern; Mutch; Nelson; Nething; O'Connell; Robinson; Schobinger; Seymour; Syverson; Tallackson; Thane; Tollefson; Traynor; Trenbeath; Triplett; Urlacher; Wardner; Warner

ABSENT AND NOT VOTING: Stenehjem; Taylor

Engrossed HB 1267 passed and the title was agreed to.

SECOND READING OF HOUSE BILL

HB 1436: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 50-24.1-07 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the accrual of interest on medical assistance of a deceased recipient.

ROLL CALL

The question being on the final passage of the bill, which has been read, and has committee recommendation of DO PASS, the roll was called and there were 45 YEAS, 0 NAYS, 0 EXCUSED, 2 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING.

YEAS: Andrist; Bercier; Bowman; Brown; Christmann; Cook; Dever; Erbele; Espgaard; Every; Fairfield; Fischer; Flakoll; Freborg; Grindberg; Hacker; Heitkamp; Holmberg; Kilzer; Klein; Krauter; Krebsbach; Kringstad; Lee, G.; Lee, J.; Lindaas; Lyson; Mathern; Mutch; Nelson; Nething; O'Connell; Robinson; Schobinger; Seymour; Syverson; Tallackson; Thane; Tollefson; Traynor; Trenbeath; Triplett; Urlacher; Wardner; Warner

ABSENT AND NOT VOTING: Stenehjem; Taylor

HB 1436 passed and the title was agreed to.

MESSAGE TO THE HOUSE FROM THE SENATE (WILLIAM R. HORTON, SECRETARY)

MR. SPEAKER: The Senate has passed and your favorable consideration is requested on: SCR 4033.

MESSAGE TO THE HOUSE FROM THE SENATE (WILLIAM R. HORTON, SECRETARY)

MR. SPEAKER: The Senate has passed unchanged: HB 1077, HB 1079, HB 1085, HB 1087, HB 1088, HB 1090, HB 1114, HB 1147, HB 1160, HB 1192, HB 1212, HB 1219, HB 1226.

MESSAGE TO THE HOUSE FROM THE SENATE (WILLIAM R. HORTON, SECRETARY)

MR. SPEAKER: The Senate has passed, the emergency clause carried, unchanged: HB 1146.

MESSAGE TO THE HOUSE FROM THE SENATE (WILLIAM R. HORTON, SECRETARY)

MR. SPEAKER: The Senate has failed to pass: HB 1214.

MESSAGE TO THE SENATE FROM THE HOUSE (BRADLEY C. FAY, CHIEF CLERK)

MR. PRESIDENT: The House has passed unchanged: SB 2029, SB 2030, SB 2045, SB 2068.

MESSAGE TO THE SENATE FROM THE HOUSE (BRADLEY C. FAY, CHIEF CLERK)

MR. PRESIDENT: The House has passed, the emergency clause carried, unchanged: SB 2034, SB 2035.

MOTION

SEN. CHRISTMANN MOVED that the absent members be excused, which motion prevailed.

MOTION

SEN. CHRISTMANN MOVED that the Senate be on the Fifth, Thirteenth, and Sixteenth orders of business and at the conclusion of those orders, the Senate stand adjourned until 12:30 p.m., Friday, February 25, 2005, which motion prevailed.

REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE

HB 1028, as engrossed: Industry, Business and Labor Committee (Sen. Mutch, Chairman) recommends **AMENDMENTS AS FOLLOWS** and when so amended, recommends **DO PASS** and **BE REREFERRED** to the **Appropriations Committee** (7 YEAS, 0 NAYS, 0 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING). Engrossed HB 1028 was placed on the Sixth order on the calendar.

Page 2, line 6, replace the first "two" with "three"

Page 2, line 22, replace "fifty" with "one hundred"

Renumber accordingly

REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE

HB 1066, as engrossed: Natural Resources Committee (Sen. Lyson, Chairman) recommends **DO PASS** (7 YEAS, 0 NAYS, 0 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING). Engrossed HB 1066 was placed on the Fourteenth order on the calendar.

REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE

HB 1068: Government and Veterans Affairs Committee (Sen. Krebsbach, Chairman) recommends **DO PASS** (4 YEAS, 0 NAYS, 1 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING). HB 1068 was placed on the Fourteenth order on the calendar.

REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE

HB 1083: Industry, Business and Labor Committee (Sen. Mutch, Chairman) recommends **DO PASS** (6 YEAS, 1 NAY, 0 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING). HB 1083 was placed on the Fourteenth order on the calendar.

REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE

HB 1084: Industry, Business and Labor Committee (Sen. Mutch, Chairman) recommends **DO PASS** (6 YEAS, 0 NAYS, 1 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING). HB 1084 was placed on the Fourteenth order on the calendar.

REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE

HB 1093, as engrossed: Agriculture Committee (Sen. Flakoll, Chairman) recommends **DO PASS** (5 YEAS, 0 NAYS, 1 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING). Engrossed HB 1093 was placed on the Fourteenth order on the calendar.

REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE

HB 1100, as engrossed: Natural Resources Committee (Sen. Lyson, Chairman) recommends **DO PASS** (7 YEAS, 0 NAYS, 0 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING). Engrossed HB 1100 was placed on the Fourteenth order on the calendar.

REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE

HB 1102, as engrossed: Natural Resources Committee (Sen. Lyson, Chairman) recommends **DO PASS** (7 YEAS, 0 NAYS, 0 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING). Engrossed HB 1102 was placed on the Fourteenth order on the calendar.

REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE

HB 1128: Government and Veterans Affairs Committee (Sen. Krebsbach, Chairman) recommends **DO PASS** (4 YEAS, 0 NAYS, 1 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING). HB 1128 was placed on the Fourteenth order on the calendar.

REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE

HB 1137: Natural Resources Committee (Sen. Lyson, Chairman) recommends **DO PASS** (7 YEAS, 0 NAYS, 0 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING). HB 1137 was placed on the Fourteenth order on the calendar.

REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE

HB 1162, as engrossed: Human Services Committee (Sen. J. Lee, Chairman) recommends **DO PASS** (4 YEAS, 1 NAY, 0 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING). Engrossed HB 1162 was placed on the Fourteenth order on the calendar.

REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE

HB 1180: Agriculture Committee (Sen. Flakoll, Chairman) recommends **DO PASS** (5 YEAS, 0 NAYS, 1 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING). HB 1180 was placed on the Fourteenth order on the calendar.

REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE

HB 1237: Education Committee (Sen. Freborg, Chairman) recommends **DO PASS** (5 YEAS, 0 NAYS, 1 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING). HB 1237 was placed on the Fourteenth order on the calendar.

REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE

HB 1264, as engrossed: Agriculture Committee (Sen. Flakoll, Chairman) recommends **DO PASS** (5 YEAS, 0 NAYS, 1 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING). Engrossed HB 1264 was placed on the Fourteenth order on the calendar.

REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE

HB 1275, as engrossed: Appropriations Committee (Sen. Holmberg, Chairman) recommends **AMENDMENTS AS FOLLOWS** and when so amended, recommends **DO PASS** (15 YEAS, 0 NAYS, 0 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING). Engrossed HB 1275 was placed on the Sixth order on the calendar.

Page 2, line 8, remove ", except for institutions under"

Page 2, line 9, remove "the control of the state board of higher education,"

Page 2, line 12, remove "software development or"

Page 2, line 13, replace "implementation" with "information technology"

Renumber accordingly

REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE

HB 1355: Government and Veterans Affairs Committee (Sen. Krebsbach, Chairman) recommends **DO PASS** (4 YEAS, 0 NAYS, 1 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING). HB 1355 was placed on the Fourteenth order on the calendar.

REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE

HB 1387, as engrossed: Education Committee (Sen. Freborg, Chairman) recommends **DO NOT PASS** (5 YEAS, 0 NAYS, 1 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING). Engrossed HB 1387 was placed on the Fourteenth order on the calendar.

REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE

HB 1412, as engrossed: Transportation Committee (Sen. Trenbeath, Chairman) recommends **DO PASS** (6 YEAS, 0 NAYS, 0 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING). Engrossed HB 1412 was placed on the Fourteenth order on the calendar.

REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE

HCR 3020, as engrossed: Agriculture Committee (Sen. Flakoll, Chairman) recommends **DO PASS** (5 YEAS, 0 NAYS, 1 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING). Engrossed HCR 3020 was placed on the Fourteenth order on the calendar.

FIRST READING OF HOUSE BILLS

HB 1050: A BILL for an Act to provide a statement of legislative intent regarding state employee compensation adjustments.

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

HB 1239: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 20.1-01-07 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to offroad hunting.

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

HB 1259: A BILL for an Act to create and enact chapter 53-12.1 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to a lottery; to amend and reenact subsection 5 of section 28-32-08.1, section 50-06-22, subsection 2 of section 50-09-14, subsection 2 of section 54-10-01, subsection 7 of section 57-38-57, subsection 47 of section 57-39.2-04, and subsection 7 of section 57-39.2-23 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to economic impact statements, the compulsive gambling prevention and treatment fund, child support setoff, annual audits, compliance with tax reporting requirements, and sales tax exemptions; to repeal chapter 53-12 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to a lottery; to provide a penalty; to provide a continuing appropriation; and to declare an emergency.

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

HB 1394: A BILL for an Act to provide a general fund appropriations guideline.
Was read the first time and referred to the **Appropriations Committee**.

HB 1417: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact sections 15.1-09-16, 16.1-11-38, 16.1-14-01, 16.1-15-01, 16.1-15-02, 16.1-15-04, 16.1-15-05, 16.1-15-06, and 16.1-15-08, subsections 1 and 2 of section 16.1-15-09, sections 16.1-15-12, 16.1-15-13, 16.1-15-15, 16.1-15-16, 16.1-15-19, 16.1-15-21, 16.1-15-22, 16.1-15-24, 16.1-15-25, 16.1-15-29, 16.1-15-30, 16.1-15-33, 16.1-15-34, 16.1-15-35, 16.1-15-43, 40-21-17, and 58-04-15 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to tie votes and the canvassing of votes; and to repeal sections 16.1-15-02.1 and 16.1-15-03 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to canvassing of votes.
Was read the first time and referred to the **Political Subdivisions Committee**.

HB 1421: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact subsection 2 of section 28-32-15 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the effective date of administrative rules; and to provide an effective date.
Was read the first time and referred to the **Political Subdivisions Committee**.

HB 1468: A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new section to chapter 28-32 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to administrative rules committee review of existing administrative rules.
Was read the first time and referred to the **Political Subdivisions Committee**.

HB 1478: A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new subsection to section 57-43.1-01 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to a definition of E85 fuel; to amend and reenact sections 57-43.1-02 and 57-43.1-28 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to reduced motor vehicle fuels tax rate for sales of E85 fuel, deposit of taxes on that fuel in the township highway aid fund, and to provide for transfer of funds to the highway tax distribution fund; and to provide an effective date.
Was read the first time and referred to the **Finance and Taxation Committee**.

HB 1494: A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new section to chapter 38-13 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the appointment of a trustee for and disposition of the proceeds of mineral interests whose owner is absent; and to amend and reenact subdivision c of subsection 3 of section 38-08-08, subdivision c of subsection 3 of section 38-08-09.4, and sections 38-13-02 and 38-18.1-03 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to nonparticipating owners in the development of oil and gas interests in spacing units and plans of unitization and institution of proceedings to establish a mineral trust for absent owners and termination of mineral interest.
Was read the first time and referred to the **Finance and Taxation Committee**.

HB 1505: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact subsection 9 of section 12.1-32-02 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to sentencing alternatives; and to repeal section 62.1-02-12 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the purchase of certain firearms from another state.
Was read the first time and referred to the **Judiciary Committee**.

HB 1509: A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new chapter to title 53 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the licensing and regulating of live poker; to provide a penalty; and to provide an effective date.
Was read the first time and referred to the **Judiciary Committee**.

HB 1518: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact sections 4-28-06 and 4-28-07 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the North Dakota wheat commission; and to provide an effective date.
Was read the first time and referred to the **Agriculture Committee**.

HB 1522: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 57-36-27 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to consumer's use tax.
Was read the first time and referred to the **Finance and Taxation Committee**.

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

William R. Horton, Secretary

