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Bismarck, January 25, 2021

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

The prayer was offered by Pastor Allen Finger, Bismarck Baptist Church.

The roll was called and all members were present.

A quorum was declared by the President.

CONSIDERATION OF AMENDMENTS

SB 2100: SEN. BAKKE (Transportation Committee) MOVED that the amendments be adopted and then be placed on the Eleventh order with **DO PASS**, which motion prevailed on a voice vote.

CONSIDERATION OF AMENDMENTS

SB 2069: SEN. K. ROERS (Government and Veterans Affairs Committee) MOVED that the amendments be adopted and then be placed on the Eleventh order with **DO PASS**, which motion prevailed on a voice vote.

SECOND READING OF SENATE BILL

SB 2033: A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new chapter to title 15 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the university system capital building fund; to provide for a transfer; 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 47 YEAS, 0 NAYS, 0 EXCUSED, 0 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING.

YEAS: Anderson; Bakke; Bekkedahl; Burckhard; Clemens; Conley; Davison; Dever; Dwyer; Elkin; Erbele; Fors; Heckaman; Heitkamp; Hogan; Hogue; Holmberg; Kannianen; Klein; Krebsbach; Kreun; Larsen, D.; Larsen, O.; Larson, D.; Lee; Lemm; Luick; Marcellais; Mathern; Meyer; Myrdal; Oban; Oehlke; Patten; Piepkorn; Poolman; Roers, J.; Roers, K.; Rust; Schaible; Sorvaag; Unruh Bell; Vedaa; Wanzek; Wardner; Weber; Wobbema

Engrossed SB 2033 passed and the emergency clause was declared carried.

MOTION

SEN. KLEIN MOVED that SB 2052 be returned to the Senate floor from the **Appropriations Committee**, which motion prevailed.

MOTION

SEN. KLEIN MOVED that the Senate reconsider its action whereby SB 2052 passed, which motion prevailed on a verification vote.

MOTION

SEN. KLEIN MOVED that SB 2052 be rereferred to the **Appropriations Committee**, which motion prevailed. Pursuant to Sen. Klein's motion, SB 2052 was rereferred.

SECOND READING OF SENATE BILL

SB 2142: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 16.1-07-12 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to processing absentee ballots.

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 47 YEAS, 0 NAYS, 0 EXCUSED, 0 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING.

YEAS: Anderson; Bakke; Bekkedahl; Burckhard; Clemens; Conley; Davison; Dever; Dwyer; Elkin; Erbele; Fors; Heckaman; Heitkamp; Hogan; Hogue; Holmberg; Kannianen; Klein; Krebsbach; Kreun; Larsen, D.; Larsen, O.; Larson, D.; Lee; Lemm; Luick; Marcellais; Mathern; Meyer; Myrdal; Oban; Oehlke; Patten; Piepkorn; Poolman; Roers, J.; Roers, K.; Rust; Schaible; Sorvaag; Unruh Bell; Vedaa; Wanzek; Wardner; Weber; Wobbema

Engrossed SB 2142 passed.

SECOND READING OF SENATE BILL

SB 2131: A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new subdivision to subsection 2 of section 12-60-24 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to criminal history record checks requested by the department of human services; to amend and reenact section 50-25.1-11.1 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to powers of the department of human services regarding requests for criminal history record checks made by children's advocacy centers; 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 38 YEAS, 9 NAYS, 0 EXCUSED, 0 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING.

YEAS: Anderson; Bakke; Bekkedahl; Burckhard; Clemens; Conley; Davison; Dever; Elkin; Erbele; Fors; Heckaman; Hogan; Holmberg; Klein; Krebsbach; Kreun; Larson, D.; Lee; Lemm; Luick; Marcellais; Mathern; Meyer; Oban; Patten; Piepkorn; Poolman; Roers, J.; Roers, K.; Schaible; Sorvaag; Unruh Bell; Vedaa; Wanzek; Wardner; Weber; Wobbema

NAYS: Dwyer; Heitkamp; Hogue; Kannianen; Larsen, D.; Larsen, O.; Myrdal; Oehlke; Rust

Engrossed SB 2131 passed and the emergency clause was declared carried.

SECOND READING OF SENATE BILL

SB 2157: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 54-24.4-01 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to membership of the North Dakota library coordinating council.

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 47 YEAS, 0 NAYS, 0 EXCUSED, 0 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING.

YEAS: Anderson; Bakke; Bekkedahl; Burckhard; Clemens; Conley; Davison; Dever; Dwyer; Elkin; Erbele; Fors; Heckaman; Heitkamp; Hogan; Hogue; Holmberg; Kannianen; Klein; Krebsbach; Kreun; Larsen, D.; Larsen, O.; Larson, D.; Lee; Lemm; Luick; Marcellais; Mathern; Meyer; Myrdal; Oban; Oehlke; Patten; Piepkorn; Poolman; Roers, J.; Roers, K.; Rust; Schaible; Sorvaag; Unruh Bell; Vedaa; Wanzek; Wardner; Weber; Wobbema

SB 2157 passed.

SECOND READING OF SENATE BILL

SB 2172: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 20.1-08-04.2 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to a preference for moose hunting licenses for individuals

seventy-five years of age and older.

ROLL CALL

The question being on the final passage of the bill, which has been read, and has committee recommendation of DO NOT PASS, the roll was called and there were 27 YEAS, 20 NAYS, 0 EXCUSED, 0 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING.

YEAS: Bakke; Bekkedahl; Burckhard; Clemens; Conley; Davison; Dever; Dwyer; Elkin; Erbele; Fors; Heckaman; Heitkamp; Hogan; Hogue; Kannianen; Klein; Krebsbach; Larsen, O.; Lemm; Luick; Marcellais; Myrdal; Sorvaag; Vedaa; Wanzek; Wardner

NAYS: Anderson; Holmberg; Kreun; Larsen, D.; Larson, D.; Lee; Mathern; Meyer; Oban; Oehlke; Patten; Piepkorn; Poolman; Roers, J.; Roers, K.; Rust; Schaible; Unruh Bell; Weber; Wobbema

SB 2172 passed.

SECOND READING OF SENATE BILL

SB 2184: A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new section to chapter 20.1-03 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to big game hunting licenses for hunter education volunteer instructors.

ROLL CALL

The question being on the final passage of the bill, which has been read, and has committee recommendation of DO NOT PASS, the roll was called and there were 6 YEAS, 41 NAYS, 0 EXCUSED, 0 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING.

YEAS: Burckhard; Conley; Elkin; Heitkamp; Larsen, O.; Marcellais

NAYS: Anderson; Bakke; Bekkedahl; Clemens; Davison; Dever; Dwyer; Erbele; Fors; Heckaman; Hogan; Hogue; Holmberg; Kannianen; Klein; Krebsbach; Kreun; Larsen, D.; Larson, D.; Lee; Lemm; Luick; Mathern; Meyer; Myrdal; Oban; Oehlke; Patten; Piepkorn; Poolman; Roers, J.; Roers, K.; Rust; Schaible; Sorvaag; Unruh Bell; Vedaa; Wanzek; Wardner; Weber; Wobbema

SB 2184 failed.

SECOND READING OF SENATE BILL

SB 2118: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 20.1-01-28, subsection 2 of section 20.1-01-29, and section 20.1-01-30 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to fines for game and fish violations.

ROLL CALL

The question being on the final passage of the bill, which has been read, and is PLACED ON THE CALENDAR WITHOUT RECOMMENDATION, the roll was called and there were 21 YEAS, 26 NAYS, 0 EXCUSED, 0 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING.

YEAS: Anderson; Bakke; Bekkedahl; Clemens; Davison; Dwyer; Erbele; Heckaman; Hogan; Krebsbach; Kreun; Lemm; Oban; Patten; Piepkorn; Poolman; Roers, J.; Roers, K.; Sorvaag; Wanzek; Weber

NAYS: Burckhard; Conley; Dever; Elkin; Fors; Heitkamp; Hogue; Holmberg; Kannianen; Klein; Larsen, D.; Larsen, O.; Larson, D.; Lee; Luick; Marcellais; Mathern; Meyer; Myrdal; Oehlke; Rust; Schaible; Unruh Bell; Vedaa; Wardner; Wobbema

SB 2118 failed.

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

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

SB 2026, SB 2074, SB 2143, SB 2168, SB 2174.

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

MR. SPEAKER: The Senate has passed, the emergency clause failed, and your favorable consideration is requested on: SB 2072.

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

SPEAKER: The Senate has passed, the emergency clause carried, and your favorable consideration is requested on: SB 2138.

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

MR. PRESIDENT: The House has passed, and your favorable consideration is requested on: HB 1034, HB 1099, HB 1112, HB 1153, HB 1174, HB 1195, HB 1300, HB 1319.

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

MR. PRESIDENT: The House has passed, and your favorable consideration is requested on: HCR 3009.

MOTION

SEN. KLEIN MOVED that the Senate be on the Fourth, Fifth, and Ninth orders of business and at the conclusion of those orders, the Senate stand adjourned until 1:00 p.m., Tuesday, January 26, 2021, which motion prevailed.

REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE

SB 2082: Judiciary Committee (Sen. Larson, 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). SB 2082 was placed on the Sixth order on the calendar.

Page 3, line 2, overstrike "certified copy of any"

Renumber accordingly

REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE

SB 2141: Education Committee (Sen. Schaible, Chairman) recommends **AMENDMENTS AS FOLLOWS** and when so amended, recommends **DO PASS** (6 YEAS, 0 NAYS, 0 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING). SB 2141 was placed on the Sixth order on the calendar.

Page 1, line 3, after "references" insert "; to repeal section 15.1-21-17 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to interim assessments; to provide for a superintendent of public instruction study; and to provide for a legislative management report"

Page 11, line 10, remove "2."

Page 11, line 10, overstrike "The superintendent of public instruction is responsible for the cost of"

Page 11, line 11, overstrike "one summative assessment per student."

Page 11, line 12, remove the overstrike over "2."

Page 11, line 12, remove "3."

Page 12, line 7, remove "2."

Page 12, line 7, overstrike "The"

Page 12, line 8, remove "superintendent of public instruction"

Page 12, line 8, overstrike "is responsible for the cost"

Page 12, line 9, overstrike "of one summative assessment"

Page 12, line 9, overstrike "per student."

Page 12, line 10, remove the overstrike over "2:"

Page 12, line 10, remove "3."

Page 12, line 12, remove the overstrike over "3:"

Page 12, line 12, remove "4."

Page 12, after line 13, insert:

"SECTION 9. REPEAL. Section 15.1-21-17 of the North Dakota Century Code is repealed.

SECTION 10. SUPERINTENDENT OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION STUDY - INTERIM EDUCATION ASSESSMENTS - REPORT TO LEGISLATIVE MANAGEMENT. During the 2021-22 interim, the superintendent of public instruction shall study interim education assessment systems. The study must include consultation and collaboration with education stakeholders and the kindergarten through grade twelve education coordination council. The study also must include an evaluation and review of existing vendors, data standardization, statewide longitudinal data system compatibility, the costs associated with the interim assessment systems, and the benefits of local and statewide interim assessment systems. Before June 1, 2022, the superintendent of public instruction shall report the findings and recommendations of the study, including with any proposed legislation necessary to implement the recommendations, to the legislative management."

Renumber accordingly

REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE

SB 2149: Transportation Committee (Sen. Clemens, Chairman) recommends **DO PASS** (4 YEAS, 1 NAY, 1 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING). SB 2149 was placed on the Eleventh order on the calendar.

REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE

SB 2173: Industry, Business and Labor Committee (Sen. Klein, Chairman) recommends **DO NOT PASS** (6 YEAS, 0 NAYS, 0 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING). SB 2173 was placed on the Eleventh order on the calendar.

REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE

SB 2190: Industry, Business and Labor Committee (Sen. Klein, Chairman) recommends **DO NOT PASS** (6 YEAS, 0 NAYS, 0 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING). SB 2190 was placed on the Eleventh order on the calendar.

REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE

SB 2252: Industry, Business and Labor Committee (Sen. Klein, Chairman) recommends **DO PASS** (6 YEAS, 0 NAYS, 0 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING). SB 2252 was placed on the Eleventh order on the calendar.

FIRST READING OF SENATE BILLS

Sens. Oban, Poolman, Schaible and Reps. Mock, Pyle, Sanford introduced:

SB 2289: A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new section to chapter 15.1-21 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the creation of a North Dakota scholarship; to amend and reenact sections 15-10-59, 15.1-21-02.6, 15.1-21-02.8, and 15.1-21-02.9 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to references to the North Dakota scholarship, North Dakota academic scholarship, and North Dakota career and technical education scholarship; to repeal sections 15.1-21-02.4 and 15.1-21-02.5 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the North Dakota academic and career and technical education scholarships; and to provide an effective date.

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

Sens. Hogue, Holmberg, Wardner and Reps. Delzer, Devlin, Pollert introduced:

SB 2290: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact sections 54-16-04.1 and 54-16-04.2 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to emergency commission and budget section

approval to accept and disburse federal and other funds.

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

Sen. Bell introduced:

SB 2291: A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new section to chapter 21-10, a new section to chapter 54-44, and a new section to chapter 54-60 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to social investments made by the state investment board and the boycott of energy or commodities companies; to provide for a department of commerce study of the implications of complete divestment of companies that boycott energy or commodities; and to provide for reports to legislative management.

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

Sens. Meyer, Holmberg, Patten and Rep. O'Brien introduced:

SB 2292: A BILL for an Act to create and enact section 35-03-15.1 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to mortgage modifications; and to amend and reenact sections 35-03-14 and 35-03-15 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the expiration and extension of real estate mortgages.

Was read the first time and referred to the **Political Subdivisions Committee**.

Sens. Meyer, Burckhard, J. Roers and Reps. M. Ruby, Vetter introduced:

SB 2293: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact subsection 6 of section 11-18-02.2 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to statements of full consideration.

Was read the first time and referred to the **Political Subdivisions Committee**.

Sen. Anderson and Rep. Dockter introduced:

SB 2294: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact subsection 1 of section 19-03.4-08 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the sale of scheduled listed chemical products.

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

Sens. Piepkorn, Hogan, Mathern and Reps. Dobervich, Hager introduced:

SB 2295: A BILL for an Act to create and enact chapter 49-20.2 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to net metering of electricity.

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

Sens. Marcellais, Heckaman, Kannianen and Rep. Buffalo introduced:

SB 2296: A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new section to chapter 53-06.1, a new subsection to section 53-06.1-11, and two new subsections to section 53-06.1-15.1 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the regulation of electronic pull tab devices; and to amend and reenact section 53-06.1-01, subsection 1 of section 53-06.1-01.1, subsection 1 of section 53-06.1-06, sections 53-06.1-08, 53-06.1-08.2, and 54-58-03 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to charitable gaming and tribal-state gaming compacts.

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

Sens. Marcellais, Heckaman, Oehlke and Reps. Buffalo, D. Johnson introduced:

SB 2297: A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new section to chapter 24-01 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to designating state highway 57 as the Akicita (veteran) memorial highway; and to provide a continuing appropriation.

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

Sens. Marcellais, Piepkorn and Reps. Buffalo, Trottier introduced:

SB 2298: A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new section to chapter 57-39.2 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to providing sales tax exemption cards to enrolled tribal members.

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

Sens. Vedaa, Kannianen, O. Larsen and Reps. Lefor, D. Ruby, Thomas introduced:

SB 2299: A BILL for an Act to provide for a legislative management study regarding the motor vehicle excise tax.

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

Sens. Piepkorn, Marcellais, Oban and Reps. Dobervich, Schneider introduced:

SB 2300: A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new section to chapter 54-06 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to determination of full-time employment of the state.

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

Sens. Mathern, Dever and Reps. Boschee, Brandenburg, Kempenich introduced:

SB 2301: A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new section to chapter 49-22 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to certificate reporting requirements for an applicant; to amend and reenact sections 49-22-02 and 49-22-03, subsection 1 of section 49-22-08, and section 49-22-09 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to providing a definition of a local worker, application for certificate, and factors to be considered when evaluating an application and designation of sites, corridors, and routes.

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

Sens. D. Larsen, Dever, Heitkamp, O. Larsen, Vedaa and Rep. Toman introduced:

SB 2302: A BILL for an Act to create and enact section 39-04-14.5 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to providing proof of motor vehicle insurance when renewing vehicle registration.

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

Sens. Heckaman, Marcellais introduced:

SB 2303: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 23-35-02.1 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to tribal health units.

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

Sens. Heckaman, Marcellais introduced:

SB 2304: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact subsection 3 of section 15.1-21-01 and subsection 1 of section 15.1-21-02 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to requiring all elementary and secondary public and nonpublic schools in the state to include curriculum on Native American history.

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

Sens. Heckaman, Marcellais introduced:

SB 2305: A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new section to chapter 14-02.4 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the creation of the truth, healing, and reconciliation commission; to provide for a legislative management report; and to provide an expiration date.

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

Sens. Heckaman, Marcellais introduced:

SB 2306: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 61-40-01 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the contracting authority of the western area water supply authority.

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

Sen. Heckaman and Rep. Boschee introduced:

SB 2307: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact subdivision e of subsection 2 of section 38-08-04.5 and subdivision b of subsection 1 of section 57-51-15 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the abandoned oil and gas well plugging and site reclamation fund; and to provide an effective date.

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

Sens. Myrdal, Kannianen, Larson and Reps. D. Ruby, Strinden introduced:

SB 2308: A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new section to chapter 15.1-09 and two new subsections to section 15.1-09-33 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to school board authority regarding the posting of the ten commandments and the recitation of the pledge of allegiance.

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

Sen. Luick introduced:

SB 2309: A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new section to chapter 53-06.1 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the creation of a charitable gaming operating fund; to amend and reenact sections 53-06.1-08.2 and 53-06.1-12 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to electronic pull tab device requirements and limitations and charitable gaming tax; to provide a continuing appropriation; and to provide an effective date.

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

Sens. Heckaman, Marcellais introduced:

SB 2310: A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new section to chapter 53-06.1, a new subsection to section 53-06.1-11, and two new subsections to section 53-06.1-15.1 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the regulation of electronic pull tab devices; and to amend and reenact section 53-06.1-01, subsection 1 of section 53-06.1-01.1, subsection 1 of section 53-06.1-06, sections 53-06.1-08, 53-06.1-08.2, and 54-58-03 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to charitable gaming and tribal-state gaming compacts.

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

Sens. Heckaman, K. Roers and Reps. Buffalo, Devlin, Vigesaa introduced:

SB 2311: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 15.1-21-24 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to mental health awareness and suicide prevention instruction for students in grades seven through twelve.

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

Sens. Heckaman, Schaible and Rep. Boschee introduced:

SB 2312: A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new section to chapter 57-40.3 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to motor vehicle purchase price adjustments; to amend and reenact subsection 5 of section 57-40.3-01 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the purchase price of a motor vehicle; and to provide an effective date.

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

Sen. Wardner and Rep. Pollert introduced:

SB 2313: A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new chapter to title 49 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to electric power reliability and price transparency; and to repeal chapter 17-01 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the 25x'25 initiative.

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

Sens. Heckaman, Marcellais and Rep. Boschee introduced:

SB 2314: A BILL for an Act to create and enact section 54-58-04 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to tribal-state gaming compacts and authorization of online gaming and online sports betting exclusively by tribes.

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

Sens. Heckaman, Marcellais and Reps. Boschee, M. Nelson introduced:

SB 2315: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 54-58-03 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to tribal-state gaming compacts.

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

Sens. Hogan, Marcellais and Reps. Dobervich, M. Nelson introduced:

SB 2316: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 1-03-13 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to changing the date of First Nations Day.

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

Sen. Bell and Rep. Porter introduced:

SB 2317: A BILL for an Act to create and enact section 6-09-52 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to a coal mine performance bonding pilot program and the authority of the Bank of North Dakota; and to provide for an energy development and transmission committee report.

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

Sen. Kannianen introduced:

SB 2318: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact subsection 4 of section 57-39.10-01 and sections 57-39.10-02, 57-39.10-03, and 57-39.10-05 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to state-tribal agreements for the administration and collection of alcoholic beverages wholesale tax and alcoholic beverages gross receipts tax within the exterior boundaries of a reservation in this state; and to provide for application.

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

Sen. Kannianen introduced:

SB 2319: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact subsection 1 of section 57-51.2-02 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to oil and gas agreements; and to provide an

effective date.

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

Sens. Klein, Wardner and Reps. Kempenich, Kreidt, Pollert introduced:

SB 2320: A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new section to chapter 21-10 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to fiscal impact statements for a measure or policy affecting the legacy fund.

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

Sens. D. Larsen, O. Larsen, Meyer, K. Roers and Reps. Becker, Toman introduced:

SB 2321: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact sections 5-01-14 and 5-01-21 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to microbrew pubs and brewer taprooms.

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

Sens. Kreun, Hogue, Klein, Lee and Reps. Nathe, O'Brien introduced:

SB 2322: A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new section to chapter 32-12.2 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to state employee claims for wrongful criminal investigation or prosecution; to provide for retroactive application; and to declare an emergency.

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

Sen. Heitkamp and Rep. Magrum introduced:

SB 2323: A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new section to chapter 11-09.1, a new section to chapter 11-33, a new section to chapter 40-05, and a new section to chapter 40-05.1 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the zoning authority of counties and cities with respect to abortion facilities.

Was read the first time and referred to the **Political Subdivisions Committee**.

Sens. Wanzek, Conley and Reps. Ostlie, Pollert, Satrom introduced:

SB 2324: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 24-03-08 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to installation of culverts.

Was read the first time and referred to the **Political Subdivisions Committee**.

Sens. O. Larsen, Myrdal and Rep. Schatz introduced:

SB 2325: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 15.1-21-02.4, subdivision a of subsection 6 of section 15.1-21-02.5, and sections 15.1-21-02.6 and 15.1-21-02.8 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to scholarship eligibility requirements and amounts for students; to repeal section 15.1-21-02.7 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to scholarships for 2009-10 high school graduates; and to declare an emergency.

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

Sens. Clemens, Lemm and Reps. Marschall, Schauer introduced:

SB 2326: A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new section to chapter 57-02 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to a property tax reduction for over-assessed property; and to provide an effective date.

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

Sens. Heitkamp, O. Larsen and Reps. Louser, Magrum, D. Ruby introduced:

SB 2327: A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new section to chapter 15.1-02 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to school district bonded indebtedness grants; to amend and reenact sections 15.1-27-04.1, 15.1-27-35.3, 21-03-07, 57-15-01, 57-15-01.1, 57-15-14.2, 57-15-17, and 57-15-30.2, subsection 1 of section 57-15-31, sections 57-15-32, 57-15-41, 57-19-01, and 57-20-07.1 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to school district tax levies, bonding authority, and determination of school state aid payments; to repeal sections 15-39.1-28, 15.1-09-47, 15.1-09-49, 15.1-12-16.1, 15.1-27-04.2, 15.1-27-04.3, 15.1-27-20.2, 15.1-29-15, 57-15-13, 57-15-14, 57-15-15.1, 57-15-16, 57-19-02, 57-19-03, 57-19-05, 57-19-09, and 57-19-11 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to school district tax levies and school district special reserve funds; and to provide an effective date.

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

Sens. Patten, J. Roers, Schaible and Reps. Howe, Mock introduced:

SB 2328: A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new section to chapter 57-51.1 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to a credit for oil produced from a well site using an

onsite flare mitigation system; to provide for application; and to provide an expiration date.

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

Sens. Patten, Lemm, K. Roers introduced:

SB 2329: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact subsection 2 of section 39-01-01 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the definition of an authorized emergency vehicle.

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

Sens. Burckhard, Klein, Lemm and Reps. Keiser, Lefor introduced:

SB 2330: A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new section to chapter 35-33 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the rights of owners of self-service storage facilities; and to amend and reenact sections 35-33-01, 35-33-02, 35-33-03, 35-33-04, 35-33-05, 35-33-07, 35-33-09, and 35-33-10 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to self-service storage facility liens.

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

Sen. Heitkamp and Rep. Magrum introduced:

SB 2331: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact sections 16.1-11-08, 23-01-05, 50-06-01.1, and 50-06-01.3 and subsection 2 of section 54-06-01 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to election of the state health officer and human services commissioner.

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

Sen. Schaible and Reps. Satrom, Schreiber-Beck introduced:

SB 2332: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 15.1-13-10 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the criteria for teacher licensure; and to provide for a legislative management study.

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

Sens. Davison, Clemens and Reps. Bosch, Howe introduced:

SB 2333: A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new section to chapter 51-07 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to in-application payments for software applications and purchases.

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

Sens. Myrdal, Klein, Kreun and Reps. Dockter, Porter, Richter introduced:

SB 2334: A BILL for an Act to create and enact chapter 23-17.6 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the licensure of extended stay centers.

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

Sens. Lee, Hogan, Mathern and Reps. Devlin, Kreidt introduced:

SB 2335: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact sections 43-47-01, 43-47-04, 43-47-05, and 43-47-06 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to licensure of professional counselors designated supervised; and to provide for application.

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

Sens. Lee, Anderson, K. Roers and Reps. Keiser, Rohr, Weisz introduced:

SB 2336: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 43-51-07 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the powers of occupational boards under occupational compacts; to repeal chapters 43-12.4, 43-12.5, 43-17.4, and 43-26.2 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the nurse licensure compact, advanced practice registered nurse licensure compact, interstate medical licensure compact, and physical therapy licensure compact; and to provide a contingent effective date.

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

Sen. Fors and Reps. Nehring, Paur, Trottier introduced:

SB 2337: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact sections 43-19.1-28 and 48-01.2-02.1 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to bid requirements for public improvements.

Was read the first time and referred to the **Political Subdivisions Committee**.

Sens. Fors, J. Roers, Vedaa and Reps. Paur, Trottier introduced:

SB 2338: A BILL for an Act to create and enact subdivision yy of subsection 2 of section

12-60-24 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to criminal history record checks; and to amend and reenact sections 51-05.1-01.1 and 51-05.1-02 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to auctioneer's and clerk's licenses and standards.

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

Sen. Mathern introduced:

SB 2339: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact subsection 1 of section 38-08-04 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the jurisdiction of the industrial commission and single-well bonds.

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

Sens. Bakke, Hogan, Piepkorn introduced:

SB 2340: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 14-15-19 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to termination of parental rights.

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

Sens. Davison, K. Roers introduced:

SB 2341: A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new section to chapter 54-52.1 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to access to public employees retirement system uniform group insurance data.

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

Sens. Piepkorn, Elkin, Hogan, Mathern and Reps. Dobervich, Simons introduced:

SB 2342: A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new chapter to title 4.1 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to healthy soil grant and healthy soil assessment and education programs; and to amend and reenact sections 4.1-20-01, 4.1-20-02, subsection 5 of section 4.1-20-18, sections 4.1-20-19, 4.1-20-23, 4.1-20-24, 4.1-20-25, 4.1-20-26, 4.1-20-28, subsection 1 of section 4.1-20-32, and section 4.1-20-33 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to soil conservation, soil conservation district supervisor compensation, training, powers and duties, elections, and land use regulations; and to provide for a continuing appropriation.

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

Sens. K. Roers, Dever, Lee and Rep. O'Brien introduced:

SB 2343: A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new section to chapter 50-24.1 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to medical assistance dental benefits.

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

Sens. Dwyer, Larson, Meyer and Reps. Devlin, K. Koppelman introduced:

SB 2344: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 37-17.1-29 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to governmental regulation of firearms and ammunition; and to provide a penalty.

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

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

Shanda Morgan, Secretary

