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SIXTY-FOURTH DAY

St. Paul, Minnesota, Tuesday, January 20, 1998

The Senate met at 12:00 noon and was called to order by the President.

CALL OF THE SENATE

Mr. Moe, R.D. imposed a call of the Senate. The Sergeant at Arms was instructed to bring in the absent members.

Prayer was offered by the Chaplain, Thomas J. Stillday, Jr.

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	Higgins	Laidig	Olson	Scheid
Beckman	Hottinger	Langseth	Ourada	Solon
Belanger	Janezich	Larson	Pappas	Spear
Berg	Johnson, D.E.	Lesewski	Pariseau	Stevens
Berglin	Johnson, D.H.	Lessard	Piper	Stumpf
Betzold	Johnson, D.J.	Limmer	Pogemiller	Ten Eyck
Cohen	Johnson, J.B.	Lourey	Price	Terwilliger
Day	Junge	Marty	Ranum	Vickerman
Dille	Kelley, S.P.	Metzen	Robertson	Wiener
Fischbach	Kelly, R.C.	Moe, R.D.	Robling	Wiger
Flynn	Kiscaden	Morse	Runbeck	
Foley	Kleis	Murphy	Sams	
Frederickson	Knutson	Neuville	Samuelson	
Hanson	Krentz	Oliver	Scheevel	

The President declared a quorum present.

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

REPORTS AND RESOLUTIONS FILED DURING THE INTERIM WITH THE SECRETARY OF THE SENATE

Various reports were filed during the 1997 interim by Retirement and Relief Associations and are filed in the office of the Secretary of the Senate; also reports made by the Legislative Audit Commission on various state institutions and boards; Department of Human Services, Consolidated Chemical Dependency Treatment Fund, Fiscal Years 1989-96; Department of Health, Minnesota Birth Defects Information System, 1997; Department of Agriculture, Minnesota Agricultural Land Preservation Program, 1996; Department of Human Services, Cost-Effectiveness Report on Crisis Pilots, 1997; Department of Human Services, Community Alternative Care Program, 1997; Department of Trade and Economic Development, Business Assistance Report, 1997; Department of Health, Building a Solid Foundation for Health: Report

on Public Health System Development, 1997; Department of Public Safety, Minnesota State Lottery, Security Evaluation Audit, 1997; Department of Health, Safely Working with Lead While Remodeling the Older Home, 1997; Department of Public Safety, Alcohol and Gambling Enforcement Division, Security Evaluation Audit for the State Lottery, 1997; Ethical Practices Board, Annual Report, July 1, 1996 through June 30, 1997; Department of Finance, Statewide Cost Allocation Plan, 1997; Department of Public Safety, Bureau of Criminal Apprehension, Crime Information, 1996; Department of Trade and Economic Development, Contamination Cleanup Grant Report, 1997; Department of Health, Pesticide Poisoning in Minnesota, 1997; Department of Health, Building a Solid Foundation for Health: Public Health System Development, 1997; Department of Corrections, Juvenile Repeat Offender Program, Final Report, January 1, 1996 through December 31, 1996; Department of Corrections, Training Dedicated Receipts, July 1, 1996 through June 30, 1997; Department of Human Services, Medical Care Surcharge Fund, Quarterly Report, 1997; Southwest Regional Development Commission, Overall Work Program for Fiscal Year 1998; Department of Public Safety, Bureau of Criminal Apprehension, List of Firearms, 1997; Department of Agriculture, Agriculture Chemical Response Compensation Board and the Commissioner of Agriculture, Summary Report, 1997; Department of Health, Evaluation of Minnesota's Lead Program, 1997; Department of Employee Relations, Skill Search Pilot Project, 1996-97; Criminal and Juvenile Justice Information Policy Group, Current Accomplishments and Future Directions to Improve Criminal Justice Information Systems, 1997; Department of Public Safety, Bureau of Criminal Apprehension, 1996; Department of Trade and Economic Development, Contamination Cleanup Grant, Annual Report, 1997; Minnesota Office of Technology, Tracking and Compiling Information Technology Expenditures, 1997; Minnesota Office of Technology, Financing Information Technology Investments in Minnesota, 1997; Department of Trade and Economic Development, Wastewater Infrastructure Funding Program, 1997; Board of Animal Health, Annual Report, July 1, 1996 through June 20, 1997; Department of Economic Security, Summer Youth Employment and Training Program Overview, 1997; Department of Corrections, Community-Based Sex Offender Program Evaluation Project, 1997; Board of Investment, Prospectus for the Minnesota Supplemental Investment Fund, 1997; Department of Administration, Minnesota Year 2000 Project Progress Report, 1997; Indian Affairs Council, Annual Report, 1997; Department of Trade and Economic Development, Minnesota Public Facilities Authority, Annual Report, 1997; Department of Human Services, Child Care Regulation in Minnesota, 1997; Department of Corrections, Wilder Research Center, Understanding and Predicting Successful Outcomes for Adjudicated Delinquents, 1997; Department of Corrections, Recommended Methods of Coordinating the Exchange of Information Collected by Probation Service Providers on Offenders, 1997; Department of Public Safety, Crime Victims Reparations Board, Annual Report, 1997; Office of Technology, Status of State and Intergovernmental Information and Communication Systems and Review of Information Technology Boards and Councils, 1997; Department of Public Safety, School Bus Safety Advisory Committee, Annual Report, 1997; Department of Human Services, Comparison Between the Senior Citizens Drug Program and Purchase of Drug Benefits from a Medicare Health Plan, 1998; Department of Human Services, Nursing Home Outcomes: Component of the Alternative Payment System (APS) Project, 1998; Departments of Administration and Transportation, Purchasing Pilot Project, 1997; Metropolitan Council, Affordable and Life-Cycle Housing, 1997; Metropolitan Council, Urban Homesteading Program, 1997, Department of Trade and Economic Development, Migration of Minnesota Companies, Annual Report, 1997; Metropolitan Council, Metropolitan Agencies: Personnel, Ethical Practices and Communication Activities, 1997; Department of Public Safety, Emergency/Response Plan for High-Level Radioactive Transportation Accidents/Incidents, 1998; Department of Corrections, Camp Ripley Weekend Camp Project, 1998; Department of Corrections, Priority Issues, 1997; Minnesota Sentencing Guidelines Commission, 1998; Region 10 Quality Assurance Commission, Progress Report, 1998; Department of Agriculture, Evaluation of Financing Options for Biomass Facilities, 1997; Department of Trade and Economic Development, Coordination of Cleanup and Redevelopment of Contaminated Properties in Minnesota, 1998; Department of Trade and Economic Development, Advantage Minnesota, Inc., 1997; Department of Human Services, Public/Private Financing Options for Affordable Assisted Living Housing, 1998; Department of Human Services, Telephone Assistance Program, Review and Recommendations, 1997; Department of Human Services, Telephone Assistance Plan Program, 1997.

EXECUTIVE AND OFFICIAL COMMUNICATIONS

The following communications were received and referred to the committees indicated.

April 3, 1997

The Honorable Allan H. Spear
President of the Senate

Dear Sir:

The following appointment is hereby respectfully submitted to the Senate for confirmation as required by law:

CHAIR, BOARD OF WATER AND SOIL RESOURCES

Kathleen M. Roer, 2232 Tamarack Dr., Long Lake, Hennepin County, effective April 7, 1997, for a term expiring on the first Monday in January, 1998.

(Referred to the Committee on Environment and Natural Resources.)

May 20, 1997

The Honorable Allan H. Spear
President of the Senate

Dear Sir:

The following appointments are hereby respectfully submitted to the Senate for confirmation as required by law:

BOARD OF INVENTION

Rodrigo J. Lievano, 2306 E. Superior St., Duluth, St. Louis County, effective May 26, 1997, for a term expiring on the first Monday in January, 1998.

Daniel Ferber, 49 Inner Dr., St. Paul, Ramsey County, effective May 26, 1997, for a term expiring on the first Monday in January, 2001.

Fred Amram, 716 - 3rd Ave. S.E., Minneapolis, Hennepin County, effective May 26, 1997, for a term expiring on the first Monday in January, 2001.

Keith Dennehy, Stark Hall 203F, Winona State University, Winona, Winona County, effective May 26, 1997, for a term expiring on the first Monday in January, 2001.

Linda Baer, 1500 Birchmont Dr. N.E., Bemidji, Beltrami County, effective May 26, 1997, for a term expiring on the first Monday in January, 1999.

(Referred to the Committee on Jobs, Energy and Community Development.)

June 3, 1997

The Honorable Allan H. Spear
President of the Senate

Dear Sir:

The following appointments are hereby respectfully submitted to the Senate for confirmation as required by law:

**BOARD OF THE LOLA AND RUDY PERPICH
MINNESOTA CENTER FOR ARTS EDUCATION**

Anne Marie Plante, 301 St. Anthony Ave., Minneapolis, Hennepin County, effective June 7, 1997, for a term expiring on the first Monday in January, 2001.

Ruth Grendahl, 13685 Pennock Ave., Apple Valley, Dakota County, effective June 6, 1997, for a term expiring on the first Monday in January, 2001.

John Kim, 9628 Falcons Way, Eden Prairie, Hennepin County, effective June 6, 1997, for a term expiring on the first Monday in January, 2001.

(Referred to the Committee on Governmental Operations and Veterans.)

June 3, 1997

The Honorable Allan H. Spear
President of the Senate

Dear Sir:

The following appointment is hereby respectfully submitted to the Senate for confirmation as required by law:

GAMBLING CONTROL BOARD

Peggy Moon, 1315 Ives Ln. N., Plymouth, Hennepin County, effective July 1, 1997, for a term expiring June 30, 2001.

(Referred to the Committee on Local and Metropolitan Government.)

June 10, 1997

The Honorable Allan H. Spear
President of the Senate

Dear Sir:

The following appointments are hereby respectfully submitted to the Senate for confirmation as required by law:

MINNESOTA RACING COMMISSION

John C. Farrell, 2800 Elder Ave., Waverly, Wright County, effective July 1, 1997, for a term expiring June 30, 2003.

Richard L. Pemberton, 701 W. Cavour, Fergus Falls, Otter Tail County, effective July 1, 1997, for a term expiring June 30, 2003.

Cynthia Piper, 2505 Willow Dr., Hamel, Hennepin County, effective July 1, 1997, for a term expiring June 30, 2003.

(Referred to the Committee on Local and Metropolitan Government.)

June 17, 1997

The Honorable Allan H. Spear
President of the Senate

Dear Sir:

The following appointments are hereby respectfully submitted to the Senate for confirmation as required by law:

STATE BOARD OF EDUCATION

Dolores Fridge, 6752 Sunburst Dr., Eden Prairie, Hennepin County, effective June 21, 1997, for a term expiring on the first Monday in January, 2001.

Wendell Maddox, 3141 Dean Ct., St. Louis Park, Hennepin County, effective June 21, 1997, for a term expiring on the first Monday in January, 2001.

(Referred to the Committee on Children, Families and Learning.)

July 2, 1997

The Honorable Allan H. Spear
President of the Senate

Dear Sir:

The following appointments are hereby respectfully submitted to the Senate for confirmation as required by law:

BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF THE MINNESOTA STATE
COLLEGES AND UNIVERSITIES

James Wafler, 116 E. Old County Rd. C, Little Canada, Ramsey County, effective July 6, 1997, for a term expiring June 30, 2000.

Michael Nesdahl, 1303 Birch St., Marshall, Lyon County, effective July 6, 1997, for a term expiring June 30, 1999.

(Referred to the Committee on Children, Families and Learning.)

July 2, 1997

The Honorable Allan H. Spear
President of the Senate

Dear Sir:

The following appointment is hereby respectfully submitted to the Senate for confirmation as required by law:

CAMPAIGN FINANCE AND PUBLIC DISCLOSURE BOARD

Nancy G. Wilson, 5505 Sanibel Dr., Minnetonka, Hennepin County, effective July 6, 1997, for a term expiring on the first Monday in January, 2001.

(Referred to the Committee on Election Laws.)

July 23, 1997

The Honorable Allan H. Spear
President of the Senate

Dear Sir:

The following appointment is hereby respectfully submitted to the Senate for confirmation as required by law:

BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF THE MINNESOTA STATE
COLLEGES AND UNIVERSITIES

Daniel G. Coborn, 36578 Winnebago Rd., St. Cloud, Stearns County, effective July 27, 1997, for a term expiring June 30, 1998.

(Referred to the Committee on Children, Families and Learning.)

July 31, 1997

The Honorable Allan H. Spear
President of the Senate

Dear Sir:

The following appointment is hereby respectfully submitted to the Senate for confirmation as required by law:

METROPOLITAN COUNCIL

James J. Wychor, 11 Pleasant View Ln., Circle Pines, Anoka County, effective August 5, 1997, for a term expiring January 4, 1999.

(Referred to the Committee on Local and Metropolitan Government.)

August 4, 1997

The Honorable Allan H. Spear
President of the Senate

Dear Sir:

The following appointment is hereby respectfully submitted to the Senate for confirmation as required by law:

BOARD ON JUDICIAL STANDARDS

Cyndy Brucato, 5800 Dale Ave., Edina, Hennepin County, effective August 9, 1997, for a term expiring on the first Monday in January, 2001.

(Referred to the Committee on Judiciary.)

August 7, 1997

The Honorable Allan H. Spear
President of the Senate

Dear Sir:

The following appointment is hereby respectfully submitted to the Senate for confirmation as required by law:

PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION

Gregory Scott, 1120 Oakview Ln. N., Plymouth, Hennepin County, effective August 29, 1997, for a term expiring on the first Monday in January, 1999.

(Referred to the Committee on Jobs, Energy and Community Development.)

August 13, 1997

The Honorable Allan H. Spear
President of the Senate

Dear Sir:

The following appointment is hereby respectfully submitted to the Senate for confirmation as required by law:

BOARD OF INVENTION

Deb Hess, 604 E. Spring St., Redwood Falls, Redwood County, effective August 18, 1997, for a term expiring on the first Monday in January, 1999.

(Referred to the Committee on Jobs, Energy and Community Development.)

October 2, 1997

The Honorable Allan H. Spear
President of the Senate

Dear Sir:

The following appointment is hereby respectfully submitted to the Senate for confirmation as required by law:

COMMISSIONER, DEPARTMENT OF EMPLOYEE RELATIONS

Karen L. Carpenter, 8603 Cherrywood Tr., Lake Elmo, Washington County, effective October 2, 1997, for a term expiring on the first Monday in January, 1999.

(Referred to the Committee on Governmental Operations and Veterans.)

November 5, 1997

The Honorable Allan H. Spear
President of the Senate

Dear Sir:

The following appointment is hereby respectfully submitted to the Senate for confirmation as required by law:

ACTING ADMINISTRATIVE LAW CHIEF JUDGE,
STATE OFFICE OF ADMINISTRATIVE HEARINGS

Ken Nickolai, 3537 Emerson Ave. S., Minneapolis, Hennepin County, effective October 31, 1997.

November 14, 1997

The Honorable Allan H. Spear
President of the Senate

Dear Sir:

The following appointment is hereby respectfully submitted to the Senate for confirmation as required by law:

ACTING COMMISSIONER, DEPARTMENT OF LABOR AND INDUSTRY

Gretchen B. Maglich, 16500 Grays Bay Blvd., Minnetonka, Hennepin County, effective November 24, 1997.

November 14, 1997

The Honorable Allan H. Spear
President of the Senate

Dear Sir:

The following appointment is hereby respectfully submitted to the Senate for confirmation as required by law:

TAX COURT

George Perez, 111 E. Kellogg Blvd., St. Paul, Ramsey County, effective December 1, 1997, for a term expiring on the first Monday in January, 1999.

(Referred to the Committee on Taxes.)

November 20, 1997

The Honorable Allan H. Spear
President of the Senate

Dear Sir:

The following appointment is hereby respectfully submitted to the Senate for confirmation as required by law:

BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF THE MINNESOTA STATE
COLLEGES AND UNIVERSITIES

Charles "Chuck" Williams, 5988 Bayberry Dr., White Bear Lake, Ramsey County, effective November 24, 1997, for a term expiring June 30, 1998.

(Referred to the Committee on Children, Families and Learning.)

December 9, 1997

The Honorable Allan H. Spear
President of the Senate

Dear Sir:

The following appointment is hereby respectfully submitted to the Senate for confirmation as required by law:

MINNESOTA ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY BOARD

Bruce Bomier, 2829 Verndale Ave., Anoka, Anoka County, effective January 5, 1998, for a term expiring on the first Monday in January, 2002.

(Referred to the Committee on Environment and Natural Resources.)

December 10, 1997

The Honorable Allan H. Spear
President of the Senate

Dear Sir:

The following appointments are hereby respectfully submitted to the Senate for confirmation as required by law:

BOARD OF INVENTION

Rodrigo J. Lievano, 2306 E. Superior St., Duluth, St. Louis County, effective January 5, 1998, for a term expiring on the first Monday in January, 2002.

Steven Levinson, Rt. 1, Box 223, Newfolden, Marshall County, effective January 5, 1998, for a term expiring on the first Monday in January, 2002.

(Referred to the Committee on Jobs, Energy and Community Development.)

Warmest regards,
Arne H. Carlson, Governor

January 20, 1998

The Honorable Allan H. Spear
President of the Senate

Dear Sir:

As Chair of the Committee on Rules and Administration, after consultation with and advice from the Minority Leader, I have made the following appointments:

Committee on Children, Families and Learning - add Ranum and increase the complement from 31 to 32

Committee on Jobs, Energy and Community Development - add Oliver and increase the complement from 19 to 20

Committee on Judiciary - delete Oliver and decrease the complement from 13 to 12

Committee on Transportation - delete Ranum and decrease the complement from 17 to 16

Budget Division on K-12 Education - add Ranum and increase the complement from 14 to 15

Budget Division on Transportation - delete Ranum and decrease the complement from 11 to 10

Committee on Local and Metropolitan Government - delete Johnson, D.J. and decrease the complement from 18 to 17

Thank you.

Sincerely,
Roger D. Moe, Chair
Committee on Rules
and Administration

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS

Mr. Murphy moved that his name be stricken as a co-author to S.F. No. 492. The motion prevailed.

Mr. Metzen moved that his name be stricken as a co-author to S.F. No. 1991. The motion prevailed.

Messrs. Moe, R.D. and Day introduced--

Senate Resolution No. 64: A Senate resolution naming a Majority Leader and a Minority Leader.

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

The Senate Majority Leader is Roger D. Moe. The Senate Minority Leader is Dick Day.

Mr. Moe, R.D. moved the adoption of the foregoing resolution. The motion prevailed. So the resolution was adopted.

Mr. Larson introduced--

Senate Resolution No. 65: A Senate resolution congratulating Captain Peter J. Gibson as he retires after 29 years of service in the Minnesota State Highway Patrol.

Referred to the Committee on Rules and Administration.

Mr. Stevens introduced--

Senate Resolution No. 66: A Senate resolution congratulating Jacob Kleist of Mora, Minnesota, for receiving the Eagle Award.

Referred to the Committee on Rules and Administration.

Mr. Metzen and Ms. Wiener introduced--

Senate Resolution No. 67: A Senate resolution congratulating the Henry Sibley High School boys soccer team as runners-up of the 1997 State High School Class AA Boys Soccer Tournament.

Referred to the Committee on Rules and Administration.

Messrs. Moe, R.D. and Novak introduced--

Senate Resolution No. 68: A Senate resolution honoring Bill Riemerman on his retirement after 25 years of faithful service with the Minnesota Senate.

Referred to the Committee on Rules and Administration.

Mr. Johnson, D.E. introduced--

Senate Resolution No. 69: A Senate resolution commending Brigadier General Benton D. Murdock, Assistant Adjutant General, Army - Operations, Minnesota Army National Guard, for his many years of devoted and outstanding service.

Referred to the Committee on Rules and Administration.

Mr. Metzen and Ms. Wiener introduced--

Senate Resolution No. 70: A Senate resolution congratulating the Sibley High School Girls Soccer team on winning the State High School Class AA Girls Soccer championship.

Referred to the Committee on Rules and Administration.

Mr. Johnson, D.E. introduced--

Senate Resolution No. 71: A Senate resolution commending John Haines for his many years of dedicated and outstanding public service.

Referred to the Committee on Rules and Administration.

Mr. Stevens introduced--

Senate Resolution No. 72: A Senate resolution congratulating Cody Rife of Foley, Minnesota, for receiving the Eagle Award.

Referred to the Committee on Rules and Administration.

Mr. Knutson introduced--

Senate Resolution No. 73: A Senate resolution congratulating Dennis Senne as he celebrates 30 years as a principal.

Referred to the Committee on Rules and Administration.

Messrs. Moe, R.D. and Day introduced--

Senate Resolution No. 74: A Senate resolution relating to postage.

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

For the 1998 session of the 80th Legislature, the Secretary of the Senate may purchase postage to furnish each member of the Senate 5,500 stamps. Each member named as chair of a standing committee in the Senate resolution designating committee assignments may be furnished with an additional 1,000 stamps for the necessary business of the committee.

An additional postage allowance of 1,000 stamps is authorized for the Senate Minority Leader; five other members of the minority designated by the Senate Minority Leader; and five members of the majority designated by the Senate Majority Leader.

Each member of the Senate shall receipt to the Secretary of the Senate for the postage received.

Mr. Moe, R.D. moved the adoption of the foregoing resolution.

The question was taken on the adoption of the resolution.

The roll was called, and there were yeas 58 and nays 1, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Anderson	Frederickson	Krentz	Oliver	Scheevel
Beckman	Hanson	Laidig	Olson	Scheid
Belanger	Higgins	Larson	Ourada	Solon
Berg	Hottinger	Lesewski	Pappas	Spear
Berglin	Johnson, D.E.	Lessard	Pariseau	Stevens
Betzold	Johnson, D.H.	Limmer	Piper	Ten Eyck
Cohen	Johnson, J.B.	Lourey	Pogemiller	Terwilliger
Day	Junge	Marty	Price	Vickerman
Dille	Kelley, S.P.	Metzen	Ranum	Wiener
Fischbach	Kelly, R.C.	Moe, R.D.	Robling	Wiger
Flynn	Kleis	Morse	Sams	
Foley	Knutson	Murphy	Samuelson	

Ms. Robertson voted in the negative.

The motion prevailed. So the resolution was adopted.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS - CONTINUED

Messrs. Moe, R.D. and Day introduced--

Senate Resolution No. 75: A Senate resolution relating to expenses of interns.

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

For the 1998 session of the 80th Legislature, each member of the Senate may be reimbursed for the cost of meals and transportation furnished by the member to any volunteer interns assisting with the member's work, up to a maximum of \$50 during each week the Legislature is in session.

Each member of the Senate may be reimbursed for the cost of lodging furnished by the member to a volunteer intern assisting with the member's work, if the intern is enrolled in an intern program at a post-secondary institution outside the seven-county metropolitan area, up to a maximum of \$300 during each month the Legislature is in session.

Requests for reimbursement must be submitted to the Secretary of the Senate monthly on forms provided for this purpose and must include a certification by the member that the amounts for which reimbursement is sought have been paid to the interns. Requests for lodging reimbursement must be accompanied by receipts or other suitable documentation.

The Secretary of the Senate shall prepare and issue warrants for payment of intern expenses from the Senate legislative expense fund.

Mr. Moe, R.D. moved the adoption of the foregoing resolution.

The question was taken on the adoption of the resolution.

The roll was called, and there were yeas 62 and nays 2, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Anderson	Higgins	Krentz	Neuville	Samuelson
Beckman	Hottinger	Laidig	Oliver	Scheevel
Belanger	Janezich	Langseth	Olson	Scheid
Berglin	Johnson, D.E.	Larson	Ourada	Spear
Betzold	Johnson, D.H.	Lesewski	Pappas	Stevens
Cohen	Johnson, D.J.	Lessard	Pariseau	Ten Eyck
Day	Johnson, J.B.	Limmer	Piper	Terwilliger
Dille	Junge	Lourey	Pogemiller	Vickerman
Fischbach	Kelley, S.P.	Marty	Price	Wiener
Flynn	Kelly, R.C.	Metzen	Ranum	Wiger
Foley	Kiscaden	Moe, R.D.	Robling	
Frederickson	Kleis	Morse	Runbeck	
Hanson	Knutson	Murphy	Sams	

Mr. Berg and Ms. Robertson voted in the negative.

The motion prevailed. So the resolution was adopted.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS - CONTINUED

Messrs. Moe, R.D. and Day introduced--

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 12: A Senate concurrent resolution providing session deadline dates for the legislature pursuant to Joint Rule 2.03.

BE IT RESOLVED, by the Senate of the State of Minnesota, the House of Representatives concurring:

DEADLINES

(a) Except as provided in paragraph (b), in the 1998 regular session, committee reports on bills favorably acted upon by a committee in the house of origin after Friday, February 13, 1998, and committee reports on bills originating in the other house favorably acted upon by a committee after Friday, February 20, 1998, shall be referred in the Senate to the Committee on Rules and Administration, and in the House of Representatives to the Committee on Rules and Legislative Administration for disposition. Referral is not required when a committee after the earlier date and by the later date set by this paragraph acts on a bill that is a companion to a bill that has met the earlier deadline in the other house. This rule does not apply to the Senate Committees on Finance or on Taxes, or to the House Committees on Capital Investment, Ways and Means, or on Taxes.

(b) Committee reports on the omnibus appropriation bills listed in Joint Rule 2.02 that are favorably acted upon by a committee in either house after the deadlines in paragraph (a) but no later than Friday, February 27, 1998, need not be referred in the Senate to the Committee on Rules and Administration, or in the House of Representatives to the Committee on Rules and Legislative Administration for disposition.

Mr. Moe, R.D. moved the adoption of the foregoing resolution. The motion prevailed. So the resolution was adopted.

Ms. Higgins moved that S.F. No. 663 be withdrawn from the Committee on Jobs, Energy and Community Development and re-referred to the Committee on Judiciary. The motion prevailed.

Mr. Marty moved that the name of Mr. Kleis be added as a co-author to S.F. No. 59. The motion prevailed.

INTRODUCTION AND FIRST READING OF SENATE BILLS

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

Messrs. Spear, Foley, Betzold, Ms. Kiscaden and Mr. Oliver introduced--

S.F. No. 2004: A bill for an act relating to civil actions; eliminating prohibition of admissibility into evidence of use of seat belts and child passenger restraint systems; repealing Minnesota Statutes 1996, section 169.685, subdivision 4.

Referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Messrs. Sams; Kelley, S.P.; Samuelson; Terwilliger and Mrs. Fischbach introduced--

S.F. No. 2005: A bill for an act relating to professions; modifying certain licensing and registration requirements for physicians, acupuncturists, and physical therapists; amending Minnesota Statutes 1996, sections 147.02, subdivision 1; 147.03, subdivision 1; 147.037, subdivision 1; 147B.02, subdivision 9; and 148.71.

Referred to the Committee on Health and Family Security.

Mrs. Pariseau, Messrs. Metzen, Terwilliger, Stevens and Cohen introduced--

S.F. No. 2006: A bill for an act relating to the legislature; establishing the legislative capital investment commission; providing for legislative consideration of state capital needs; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 3.

Referred to the Committee on Governmental Operations and Veterans.

Mr. Wiger, Ms. Robertson, Mr. Laidig, Mses. Hanson and Krentz introduced--

S.F. No. 2007: A bill for an act relating to education; providing for a levy to purchase type III school buses; amending Minnesota Statutes 1996, section 124.226, by adding a subdivision.

Referred to the Committee on Children, Families and Learning.

Messrs. Vickerman, Neuville, Knutson, Ms. Hanson and Mrs. Fischbach introduced--

S.F. No. 2008: A bill for an act relating to health; modifying provisions for reporting abortion data; providing criminal penalties; amending Minnesota Statutes 1996, section 145.411, by adding a subdivision; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 145.

Referred to the Committee on Health and Family Security.

Mrs. Pariseau introduced--

S.F. No. 2009: A bill for an act relating to motor vehicles; repealing the motor vehicle emissions inspection program on July 1, 1998; amending Minnesota Statutes 1996, section 116.62, subdivision 3; repealing Minnesota Statutes 1996, sections 116.60; 116.61; 116.62; 116.63; and 116.64.

Referred to the Committee on Environment and Natural Resources.

Messrs. Dille and Solon introduced--

S.F. No. 2010: A bill for an act relating to welfare reform; amending Minnesota Statutes 1997 Supplement, section 256J.31, subdivision 10.

Referred to the Committee on Health and Family Security.

Ms. Hanson and Mr. Langseth introduced--

S.F. No. 2011: A bill for an act relating to retirement; teachers retirement association; authorizing assignment of survivorship interest in a 100 percent joint and survivor optional annuity to an estate.

Referred to the Committee on Governmental Operations and Veterans.

Messrs. Spear, Knutson, Ms. Junge, Messrs. Kelly, R.C. and Belanger introduced--

S.F. No. 2012: A bill for an act relating to corrections; appropriating money for grants for the probation caseload reduction program.

Referred to the Committee on Crime Prevention.

Mr. Oliver introduced--

S.F. No. 2013: A bill for an act relating to taxation; allowing the 1997 property tax rebate for prepayments of tax; amending Laws 1997, chapter 231, article 1, section 16, as amended.

Referred to the Committee on Taxes.

Mr. Solon introduced--

S.F. No. 2014: A bill for an act relating to accountants; modifying licensing provisions; providing for firm licensure; authorizing rulemaking; amending Minnesota Statutes 1996, sections 326.165; 326.17; 326.18; 326.19; 326.20; 326.211; 326.212, subdivisions 1, 4, 5, and by adding a subdivision; 326.22, subdivision 2; 326.223; 326.228; and 326.229, subdivisions 3, 4, 6, and by

adding a subdivision; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 326; repealing Minnesota Statutes 1996, sections 326.191; 326.21; and 326.225.

Referred to the Committee on Commerce.

Mr. Solon introduced--

S.F. No. 2015: A bill for an act relating to human services; amending the time period of disenrollment to the MinnesotaCare program for failing to apply for medical assistance; amending Minnesota Statutes 1997 Supplement, sections 256L.03, subdivision 3; and 256L.13, subdivision 6.

Referred to the Committee on Health and Family Security.

Ms. Pappas, Messrs. Hottinger, Belanger, Ms. Olson and Mr. Murphy introduced--

S.F. No. 2016: A bill for an act relating to libraries; exempting certain libraries from sales and use taxes; amending Minnesota Statutes 1997 Supplement, section 297A.25, subdivision 11.

Referred to the Committee on Taxes.

Mr. Moe, R.D. introduced--

S.F. No. 2017: A bill for an act relating to public contracts; exempting the reconstruction of the Bridges Medical Center in Norman County from competitive bid requirements.

Referred to the Committee on Local and Metropolitan Government.

Mr. Moe, R.D. introduced--

S.F. No. 2018: A bill for an act relating to appropriations; authorizing state bonds; appropriating money for capital development of the Valley Technology Park in Crookston.

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

Mr. Moe, R.D. introduced--

S.F. No. 2019: A bill for an act relating to appropriations; authorizing state bonds; appropriating money for the Crookston flood control project.

Referred to the Committee on Environment and Natural Resources.

Ms. Runbeck, Mr. Belanger, Ms. Olson and Mr. Frederickson introduced--

S.F. No. 2020: A bill for an act relating to taxation; allowing the 1997 property tax rebate for prepayments of tax; amending Laws 1997, chapter 231, article 1, section 16, as amended.

Referred to the Committee on Taxes.

Mr. Novak introduced--

S.F. No. 2021: A bill for an act relating to taxation; sales and use; defining capital equipment to include certain communications equipment; amending Minnesota Statutes 1997 Supplement, section 297A.01, subdivision 16.

Referred to the Committee on Taxes.

Mr. Betzold and Ms. Hanson introduced--

S.F. No. 2022: A bill for an act relating to education; establishing an alternative calculation for compensatory revenue; appropriating money; amending Minnesota Statutes 1997 Supplement, section 124.17, subdivision 1d.

Referred to the Committee on Children, Families and Learning.

Mrs. Pariseau introduced--

S.F. No. 2023: A bill for an act relating to motor vehicles; repealing the motor vehicle emissions inspection program; repealing Minnesota Statutes 1996, sections 116.60; 116.61; 116.62; 116.63; 116.64; and 116.65.

Referred to the Committee on Environment and Natural Resources.

Mr. Samuelson introduced--

S.F. No. 2024: A bill for an act relating to capital improvements; authorizing spending to acquire and to better public land and buildings and other public improvements of a capital nature; providing for a grant to the city of Crosby for the Hallett Community Center; authorizing issuance of bonds; appropriating money.

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

Messrs. Samuelson, Sams, Hottinger, Solon and Ms. Berglin introduced--

S.F. No. 2025: A bill for an act relating to human services; provider payment; amending Minnesota Statutes 1996, sections 256B.0595, by adding a subdivision; 256B.0911, subdivision 4; 256B.431, subdivision 2b, and by adding a subdivision; and 256B.69, by adding a subdivision; Minnesota Statutes 1997 Supplement, sections 144A.4605, subdivision 2; 256B.0911, subdivision 7; 256B.433, subdivision 3a; and 256B.434, subdivision 10; repealing Minnesota Statutes 1996, sections 144.0721, subdivision 3a; Minnesota Statutes 1997 Supplement, sections 144.0721, subdivision 3; and 256B.0913, subdivision 15; Laws 1997, chapter 203, article 4, section 65.

Referred to the Committee on Health and Family Security.

Mr. Cohen introduced--

S.F. No. 2026: A bill for an act relating to capital improvements; providing standards for state assistance to capital improvement projects of political subdivisions; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 16A.

Referred to the Committee on Governmental Operations and Veterans.

Messrs. Sams and Samuelson introduced--

S.F. No. 2027: A bill for an act relating to health; appropriating money for emergency medical services communications needs assessment.

Referred to the Committee on Health and Family Security.

Messrs. Sams and Samuelson introduced--

S.F. No. 2028: A bill for an act relating to traffic regulations; requiring medical emergency vehicle to sound both audible signal and display lighted red light when responding to emergency; amending Minnesota Statutes 1997 Supplement, section 169.17.

Referred to the Committee on Transportation.

Messrs. Stevens, Samuelson, Mses. Robertson, Berglin and Kiscaden introduced--

S.F. No. 2029: A bill for an act relating to human services; modifying the method of paying assistance under the Minnesota family investment program-statewide; amending Minnesota Statutes 1997 Supplement, section 256J.24, by adding a subdivision.

Referred to the Committee on Health and Family Security.

Ms. Berglin, Mr. Betzold and Ms. Ranum introduced--

S.F. No. 2030: A bill for an act relating to family law; changing provisions of the putative fathers' registry law; amending Minnesota Statutes 1997 Supplement, section 259.52, subdivisions 9, 10, 11, 12, and by adding a subdivision.

Referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Messrs. Betzold, Knutson and Ms. Ranum introduced--

S.F. No. 2031: A bill for an act relating to commerce; regulating conveyances and other transactions relating to real and personal property; making corrective and conforming changes to the Uniform Partnership Act of 1994; amending Minnesota Statutes 1996, sections 501B.57, subdivision 1, and by adding a subdivision; 507.24; and 580.24; Minnesota Statutes 1997 Supplement, sections 315.121; 322A.88; 323A.1-04; 323A.3-06; and 524.2-403; Laws 1997, chapter 174, article 12, sections 67 and 68; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 507; repealing Minnesota Statutes 1996, section 525.152, subdivisions 4 and 5; Minnesota Statutes 1997 Supplement, section 525.152, subdivisions 1, 2, and 3.

Referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Messrs. Janezich and Solon introduced--

S.F. No. 2032: A bill for an act relating to the arts; providing a formula for distribution of state funds for the Arrowhead Regional Arts Council; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 129D.

Referred to the Committee on Governmental Operations and Veterans.

Messrs. Janezich and Solon introduced--

S.F. No. 2033: A bill for an act relating to capital improvements; appropriating money for flood projects in the cities of Mountain Iron and Virginia; authorizing the sale of state bonds.

Referred to the Committee on Environment and Natural Resources.

Messrs. Janezich and Solon introduced--

S.F. No. 2034: A bill for an act relating to public safety; authorizing limited personal use of fireworks; requiring an affidavit of safety guidelines; providing criminal penalties; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 624.

Referred to the Committee on Commerce.

Messrs. Janezich and Solon introduced--

S.F. No. 2035: A bill for an act relating to capital improvements; appropriating money for a sewer system in the town of Fayal; authorizing the sale of state bonds.

Referred to the Committee on Environment and Natural Resources.

Mr. Janezich introduced--

S.F. No. 2036: A bill for an act relating to animals; exempting certain kennels from a rule on temperature of indoor housing facilities; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 347.

Referred to the Committee on Governmental Operations and Veterans.

Mr. Price introduced--

S.F. No. 2037: A bill for an act relating to taxation; sales and use; exempting sales to political subdivisions of the state; amending Minnesota Statutes 1996, section 297A.47; Minnesota Statutes 1997 Supplement, section 297A.25, subdivision 11.

Referred to the Committee on Taxes.

Messrs. Frederickson and Johnson, D.E. introduced--

S.F. No. 2038: A bill for an act relating to appropriations; authorizing state bonds; appropriating money for a Redwood Valley multipurpose education and community center.

Referred to the Committee on Children, Families and Learning.

Mr. Frederickson introduced--

S.F. No. 2039: A bill for an act relating to capital improvements; authorizing state bonds; appropriating money for the restoration, enhancement, and protection of Herman Monument in New Ulm.

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

Mr. Foley, Ms. Kiscaden, Messrs. Betzold, Knutson and Ms. Ranum introduced--

S.F. No. 2040: A bill for an act relating to family law; modifying provisions dealing with the procedure for proceeding directly to hearing in the administrative process; modifying terminology to comport with the rules of court; amending Minnesota Statutes 1996, section 518.5512, subdivision 4; Minnesota Statutes 1997 Supplement, sections 518.5511, subdivisions 1, 3, 3a, and 4; and 518.5512, subdivisions 2 and 3; repealing Minnesota Statutes 1997 Supplement, section 518.5512, subdivision 3a.

Referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Messrs. Johnson, D.J.; Knutson and Murphy introduced--

S.F. No. 2041: A bill for an act relating to taxation; allowing the 1997 property tax rebate for prepayments of tax; amending Laws 1997, chapter 231, article 1, section 16, as amended.

Referred to the Committee on Taxes.

Mr. Johnson, D.J. introduced--

S.F. No. 2042: A bill for an act relating to natural resources; designating certain campsite fees in the boundary waters canoe area to fund the permanent school fund; amending Minnesota Statutes 1996, section 84.525.

Referred to the Committee on Environment and Natural Resources.

Ms. Junge, Messrs. Solon and Limmer introduced--

S.F. No. 2043: A bill for an act relating to commerce; increasing continuing education requirements and contractor recovery fund fees for building contractors; modifying statutory housing warranties; extending the statute of limitations for actions relating to improvements to real property; amending Minnesota Statutes 1996, sections 16B.65, subdivision 7; 326.87, subdivision 2; 326.975, subdivisions 1, 2, and 3; 327A.01, subdivisions 2 and 5; 327A.02, subdivisions 1 and 3; 327A.03; and 541.051, subdivisions 1 and 4.

Referred to the Committee on Commerce.

Mr. Kelley, S.P. introduced--

S.F. No. 2044: A bill for an act relating to commerce; regulating authentication and reliability of electronic messages; exempting government keys from public inspection and copying under the Government Data Practices Act; amending Minnesota Statutes 1997 Supplement, section 325K.13, by adding a subdivision.

Referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Moe, R.D. introduced--

S.F. No. 2045: A bill for an act relating to appropriations; authorizing state bonds; appropriating money for development of the Maple Lake Regional Park and Trail.

Referred to the Committee on Environment and Natural Resources.

Ms. Robertson introduced--

S.F. No. 2046: A bill for an act relating to education; requiring accelerated instruction for elementary and secondary students who score three standard deviations above the norm on standardized achievement tests; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 126.

Referred to the Committee on Children, Families and Learning.

Messrs. Novak, Belanger and Solon introduced--

S.F. No. 2047: A bill for an act relating to commerce; regulating sales of manufactured homes; authorizing limited dealer's licenses in certain circumstances; amending Minnesota Statutes 1996, section 327B.04, by adding a subdivision.

Referred to the Committee on Commerce.

Messrs. Stevens, Stumpf, Scheevel, Wiger and Mrs. Pariseau introduced--

S.F. No. 2048: A bill for an act relating to private property; providing for the Private Property Protection Act; proposing coding for new law as Minnesota Statutes, chapter 516.

Referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Ms. Pappas introduced--

S.F. No. 2049: A bill for an act relating to education; making nonpublic schools subject to the state's high school graduation requirements if families of students receiving educational services from the nonpublic school claim a tax reimbursement for education-related expenses; amending Minnesota Statutes 1996, section 123.932, subdivision 1a; Minnesota Statutes 1997 Supplement, sections 290.01, subdivision 19b; and 290.0674, subdivision 2; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 123.

Referred to the Committee on Children, Families and Learning.

Ms. Junge introduced--

S.F. No. 2050: A bill for an act relating to health; modifying provisions governing advance health care directives; combining laws governing living wills and durable power of attorney for health care; amending Minnesota Statutes 1996, sections 144.335, subdivision 1; 145C.01, subdivisions 2, 3, 4, 8, and by adding subdivisions; 145C.02; 145C.03; 145C.04; 145C.05, subdivision 2, and by adding a subdivision; 145C.06; 145C.07; 145C.08; 145C.09; 145C.10; 145C.11; 145C.12; 145C.13, subdivision 1; 525.55, subdivisions 1 and 2; 525.551, subdivisions 1 and 5; and 525.9212; Minnesota Statutes 1997 Supplement, sections 14.03, subdivision 3; 149A.80, subdivision 2; and 253B.04, subdivision 1a; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapters 145B; and 145C; repealing Minnesota Statutes 1996, sections 145C.05, subdivision 1; and 145C.15.

Referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Cohen and Ms. Anderson introduced--

S.F. No. 2051: A bill for an act relating to the city of St. Paul; providing for the use of certain sales tax revenues.

Referred to the Committee on Local and Metropolitan Government.

Mr. Solon introduced--

S.F. No. 2052: A bill for an act relating to insurance; requiring certain insurers to cover care provided by any licensed provider willing to serve the insurer's enrollees; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 62Q; repealing Minnesota Statutes 1996, section 62Q.095.

Referred to the Committee on Commerce.

Mr. Solon introduced--

S.F. No. 2053: A bill for an act relating to retirement; providing benefit options for certain retirees affected by relief association consolidations.

Referred to the Committee on Governmental Operations and Veterans.

Mr. Cohen introduced--

S.F. No. 2054: A bill for an act relating to government; providing for protection of public officials and employees; prohibiting the filing of fraudulent liens; providing criminal penalties and civil remedies; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapters 514; and 609.

Referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Pogemiller introduced--

S.F. No. 2055: A resolution memorializing Congress to support the admission of Poland to the North Atlantic Treaty.

Referred to the Committee on Governmental Operations and Veterans.

Messrs. Wiger and Kelley, S.P. introduced--

S.F. No. 2056: A bill for an act relating to appropriations; authorizing state bonds; appropriating money to forestall erosion from a natural waterway in the city of Willernie.

Referred to the Committee on Environment and Natural Resources.

Mr. Wiger, Ms. Runbeck, Messrs. Novak and Kelley, S.P. introduced--

S.F. No. 2057: A bill for an act relating to recreation; appropriating money for a regional trail. Referred to the Committee on Environment and Natural Resources.

Mr. Moe, R.D. introduced--

S.F. No. 2058: A bill for an act relating to human services; appropriating money. Referred to the Committee on Health and Family Security.

Ms. Olson, Mr. Neville and Ms. Krentz introduced--

S.F. No. 2059: A bill for an act relating to education; eliminating the state board of education; creating a board of the Faribault academies; transferring certain state board of education duties to the commissioner of children, families, and learning; prohibiting racial segregation; amending Minnesota Statutes 1996, sections 15.014, subdivision 3; 119B.20, subdivisions 5, 8, and 12; 120.03, subdivisions 1 and 5; 120.062, subdivision 5; 120.064, subdivisions 4, 14, 17, 21, and 24; 120.101, subdivisions 7 and 8; 120.102, subdivision 3; 120.17, subdivisions 3, 3b, and 7a; 120.66, subdivisions 1 and 2; 121.02, subdivision 1; 121.1115, subdivision 1; 121.14; 121.148, subdivision 3; 121.16, by adding subdivisions; 121.1601, subdivision 2; 121.612, subdivisions 2, 3, 6, 7, and 9; 125.05, subdivisions 1, 4, and 8; 125.1885, subdivisions 1, 4, and 5; 128A.02, subdivisions 1, 3, 3b, 5, 6, and by adding a subdivision; 128A.022; 128A.023, subdivisions 1 and 2; 128A.026, subdivisions 1 and 3; 128A.07, subdivision 2; 169.448, subdivision 2; and 471.18; Minnesota Statutes 1997 Supplement, sections 16B.465, subdivision 4; 120.05, subdivision 2; 120.064, subdivisions 8, 10, and 14a; 120.1045, subdivision 1; 121.615, subdivisions 2, 6, 7, and 10; 125.05, subdivisions 1c and 2; 128A.02, subdivision 7; 169.974, subdivision 2; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 120; repealing Minnesota Statutes 1996, sections 121.02, subdivisions 2a, 3, and 4; and 121.11, subdivisions 5, 7, 7b, 7d, 9, 11, 12, and 14; Minnesota Statutes 1997 Supplement, section 121.11, subdivisions 7c and 7e.

Referred to the Committee on Children, Families and Learning.

Mr. Johnson, D.E. introduced--

S.F. No. 2060: A bill for an act relating to education; providing for a youth recreation levy; amending Minnesota Statutes 1996, section 124.2713, by adding a subdivision.

Referred to the Committee on Children, Families and Learning.

Ms. Johnson, J.B. introduced--

S.F. No. 2061: A bill for an act relating to transportation; increasing rate of motor fuel taxation; providing for allocation of motor vehicle sales tax revenue; requiring appropriations for operations of the state patrol to be from the general fund; providing for deposit of receipts from certain fines and forfeited bail money; requiring metropolitan council to roll back regular route transit fares; appropriating money; amending Minnesota Statutes 1996, sections 296.02, subdivision 1b; 296.025, subdivision 1b; 297B.09, subdivision 1; 299D.01, by adding a subdivision; and 299D.03, subdivision 5.

Referred to the Committee on Transportation.

Ms. Johnson, J.B. introduced--

S.F. No. 2062: A bill for an act relating to transportation; increasing tax on gasoline and special fuel and dedicating revenue from the increase to a major projects account; authorizing issuance of Minnesota trunk highway bonds; amending Minnesota Statutes 1996, sections 296.02, subdivision 1b; and 296.025, subdivision 1b; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 161.

Referred to the Committee on Transportation.

Ms. Johnson, J.B. introduced--

S.F. No. 2063: A bill for an act relating to transportation; eliminating the \$10 base tax on passenger automobile registrations; increasing rate of motor fuel tax; amending Minnesota Statutes 1996, sections 168.013, subdivision 1a; 296.02, subdivision 1b; and 296.025, subdivision 1b.

Referred to the Committee on Transportation.

Mr. Stumpf introduced--

S.F. No. 2064: A bill for an act relating to education; authorizing a grant to independent school district No. 390, Lake of the Woods; appropriating money.

Referred to the Committee on Children, Families and Learning.

Mr. Stumpf introduced--

S.F. No. 2065: A bill for an act relating to veterans; authorizing payment of veterans' bonuses for service in Southwest Asia to veterans of the merchant marine who served on active duty during the period of eligibility; amending Minnesota Statutes 1997 Supplement, section 197.79, subdivisions 1 and 2.

Referred to the Committee on Governmental Operations and Veterans.

Mses. Anderson and Higgins introduced--

S.F. No. 2066: A bill for an act relating to fair housing; establishing a fair housing initiative; appropriating money to the commissioner of human rights for grants for fair housing enforcement, education, and outreach; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 363.

Referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Mses. Anderson and Higgins introduced--

S.F. No. 2067: A bill for an act relating to the housing finance agency; appropriating money for the community rehabilitation program and the affordable rental investment fund.

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

Messrs. Kelley, S.P. and Metzen introduced--

S.F. No. 2068: A bill for an act relating to commerce; providing for the reliability of electronic messages; providing for certification authorities; providing licensing and enforcement powers; defining terms; providing rulemaking; amending Minnesota Statutes 1997 Supplement, sections 325K.01, subdivisions 11, 18, 21, 27, 35, 39, and by adding a subdivision; 325K.03; 325K.05, subdivisions 1, 4, 5, 6, and 7; 325K.07, subdivisions 2 and 3; 325K.10, subdivision 1; 325K.12, subdivision 4; 325K.13, by adding a subdivision; 325K.14, subdivisions 1, 2, 3, 5, and by adding a subdivision; 325K.15, subdivisions 3 and 7; 325K.18, subdivisions 1 and 2; and 325K.25, subdivision 1; repealing Minnesota Statutes 1997 Supplement, sections 325K.06, subdivisions 3, 4, and 5; 325K.13, subdivisions 2 and 3; and 325K.14, subdivision 7.

Referred to the Committee on Commerce.

Mr. Kelley, S.P. introduced--

S.F. No. 2069: A bill for an act relating to capital improvements; appropriating money for development and construction of the southwest regional trail in the city of St. Louis Park; authorizing the sale of state bonds.

Referred to the Committee on Environment and Natural Resources.

Ms. Wiener introduced--

S.F. No. 2070: A bill for an act relating to education; reducing threshold of average age of building space for alternative facilities program; amending Minnesota Statutes 1996, section 124.239, subdivision 1.

Referred to the Committee on Children, Families and Learning.

Messrs. Moe, R.D. and Ten Eyck introduced--

S.F. No. 2071: A bill for an act relating to capital improvements; authorizing bonds and appropriating money for construction of an educational and training facility on the Red Lake reservation.

Referred to the Committee on Children, Families and Learning.

Messrs. Moe, R.D. and Ten Eyck introduced--

S.F. No. 2072: A bill for an act relating to education; appropriating money for a new facility for Pine Point School.

Referred to the Committee on Children, Families and Learning.

Messrs. Stumpf and Moe, R.D. introduced--

S.F. No. 2073: A bill for an act relating to natural resources; appropriating money to construct ring dikes.

Referred to the Committee on Environment and Natural Resources.

Messrs. Stumpf and Moe, R.D. introduced--

S.F. No. 2074: A bill for an act relating to taxation; providing for notification to the county assessor concerning agricultural homesteads abandoned due to flooding; amending Minnesota Statutes 1997 Supplement, section 273.124, subdivision 14.

Referred to the Committee on Local and Metropolitan Government.

Mr. Stumpf introduced--

S.F. No. 2075: A bill for an act relating to taxation; extending the time period for certain events that qualify for a sales tax exemption; amending Minnesota Statutes 1997 Supplement, section 297A.256, subdivision 1.

Referred to the Committee on Taxes.

Mr. Stumpf introduced--

S.F. No. 2076: A bill for an act relating to natural resources; establishing a timber wolf hunting season contingent upon removal of federal protection; requiring the commissioner of natural resources to award hunting licenses to certain livestock owners by a lottery system; allowing holders of timber wolf licenses to resell the licenses; providing restrictions and conditions for taking timber wolves; amending Minnesota Statutes 1996, sections 97A.535; and 97B.645;

Minnesota Statutes 1997 Supplement, section 97A.475, subdivisions 2 and 16; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapters 97A; and 97B.

Referred to the Committee on Environment and Natural Resources.

Mr. Stumpf introduced--

S.F. No. 2077: A bill for an act relating to natural resources; authorizing the commissioner of agriculture to provide compensation for livestock destroyed by timber wolves; increasing the maximum amount of compensation authorized for livestock; requiring insurers to provide coverage for destruction of livestock by timber wolves; requiring a study; amending Minnesota Statutes 1996, section 3.737, subdivisions 1 and 4; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 60A.

Referred to the Committee on Agriculture and Rural Development.

Ms. Junge, Messrs. Kelly, R.C. and Wiger introduced--

S.F. No. 2078: A bill for an act relating to crime; increasing the minimum sentence for certain firearms offenses; amending Minnesota Statutes 1996, section 609.11, subdivision 5.

Referred to the Committee on Crime Prevention.

Ms. Junge and Mr. Betzold introduced--

S.F. No. 2079: A bill for an act relating to public safety; authorizing release of sex offender registration data to promote public safety; requiring property owners convicted of background check crimes to notify tenants; amending Minnesota Statutes 1996, sections 243.166, subdivision 7; and 299C.69.

Referred to the Committee on Crime Prevention.

Mr. Kelley, S.P. introduced--

S.F. No. 2080: A bill for an act relating to local government; municipal utilities; providing limited exceptions to data practices and open meeting requirements; amending Minnesota Statutes 1996, section 471.705, subdivision 1d; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 13.

Referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Spear introduced--

S.F. No. 2081: A bill for an act relating to probation; appropriating money for probation services to increase the number of probation officers in Minnesota.

Referred to the Committee on Crime Prevention.

Mr. Pogemiller introduced--

S.F. No. 2082: A bill for an act relating to education; recodifying and making technical amendments to kindergarten through grade 12 education statutes; amending Minnesota Statutes 1996, sections 120.02, subdivisions 1, 13, 14, 15, and 18; 120.06, subdivisions 1 and 2a; 120.062, subdivisions 4, 5, and 8a; 120.0621, as amended; 120.064, subdivisions 4, 4a, 5, 7, 9, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 17, 19, 20, 21, 22, and 24; 120.075, subdivisions 1, 2, 3a, and 4; 120.0751, subdivisions 1, 2, 3, 4, and 5; 120.0752, subdivisions 1, 2, and 3; 120.08; 120.101, subdivisions 5a, 7, 8, 9, and 10; 120.102, subdivisions 1, 3, and 4; 120.103, subdivisions 3, 4, 5, and 6; 120.11; 120.14; 120.17, subdivisions 1, 1b, 2, 3, 3a, 3b, 3d, 4, 4a, 5, 5a, 6, 7, 7a, 8a, 9, 10, 16, 18, and 19; 120.1701, subdivisions 2, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 8a, 9, 10, 11, 12, 15, 17, 19, 20, 21, and 22; 120.172, subdivision 2;

120.173, subdivisions 1, 3, 4, and 6; 120.1811; 120.182; 120.183; 120.185; 120.188; 120.189; 120.190; 120.59; 120.60; 120.61; 120.62; 120.63; 120.64; 120.66; 120.73, subdivisions 1, 2a, 2b, 3, and 4; 120.74; 120.75; 120.76; 120.80; 121.1115, subdivisions 1 and 2; 121.155; 121.201; 121.203, subdivision 1; 121.207, subdivisions 2 and 3; 121.585, subdivisions 2, 6, and 7; 121.615, subdivision 11; 121.704; 121.705, subdivision 2; 121.706; 121.707, subdivisions 3, 4, 5, 6, and 7; 121.708; 121.710, subdivisions 2 and 3; 121.831, subdivisions 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, and 12; 121.835, subdivisions 4, 5, 7, and 8; 121.8355, subdivisions 2, 3, 5, and 6; 121.88, subdivisions 2, 3, 4, 6, 7, and 9; 121.882, subdivisions 1, 2b, 3, 7, 7a, 8, and 9; 121.885, subdivisions 1 and 4; 121.904, subdivisions 1, 2, 3, 4c, and 13; 121.906; 121.908; 121.911; 121.912, subdivisions 1a, 1b, 2, 3, 5, and 6; 121.9121, subdivisions 2 and 4; 121.914, subdivisions 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, and 8; 121.917; 122.01; 122.02; 122.03; 122.21; 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Referred to the Committee on Children, Families and Learning.

Ms. Anderson introduced--

S.F. No. 2083: A bill for an act relating to the housing finance agency; appropriating money to the family homeless prevention and assistance program.

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

Ms. Pappas, Messrs. Janezich, Langseth, Stumpf and Ms. Robertson introduced--

S.F. No. 2084: A bill for an act relating to libraries; modifying the amount for public library accessibility grants; authorizing state bonds; appropriating money for public library accessibility grants; amending Minnesota Statutes 1996, section 134.45, subdivision 5.

Referred to the Committee on Children, Families and Learning.

Messrs. Janezich, Langseth, Scheevel, Stumpf and Ms. Robertson introduced--

S.F. No. 2085: A bill for an act relating to libraries; appropriating money for regional public library systems.

Referred to the Committee on Children, Families and Learning.

Ms. Berglin introduced--

S.F. No. 2086: A bill for an act relating to appropriations; appropriating money to the department of corrections for grants to local organizations and government units to provide support services to individuals leaving systems of prostitution.

Referred to the Committee on Crime Prevention.

Ms. Berglin introduced--

S.F. No. 2087: A bill for an act relating to crime; requiring the collection of information on the investigation and prosecution of certain prostitution crimes and the use of penalty assessments imposed on prostitution offenders; requiring reports to the legislature.

Referred to the Committee on Crime Prevention.

Ms. Berglin introduced--

S.F. No. 2088: A bill for an act relating to appropriations; appropriating money to the department of corrections for innovative court projects that focus on nuisance law actions and prosecutions.

Referred to the Committee on Crime Prevention.

Ms. Berglin introduced--

S.F. No. 2089: A bill for an act relating to crime; clarifying liability for the crime of burglary; amending Minnesota Statutes 1996, section 609.582.

Referred to the Committee on Crime Prevention.

Ms. Berglin introduced--

S.F. No. 2090: A bill for an act relating to criminal justice; authorizing restorative justice programs; appropriating money for existing restorative justice programs; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 611A.

Referred to the Committee on Crime Prevention.

Ms. Berglin introduced--

S.F. No. 2091: A bill for an act relating to economic development; appropriating money for a grant for the planning and development of a circulator vehicle pilot project in Minneapolis to connect the Minneapolis convention center and other locations with multicultural tourist, heritage, and cultural resources in city neighborhoods.

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

Ms. Berglin introduced--

S.F. No. 2092: A bill for an act relating to capital improvements; appropriating money for a circulator vehicle pilot project in Minneapolis; authorizing the sale of state bonds.

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

Ms. Berglin introduced--

S.F. No. 2093: A bill for an act relating to health; modifying the license requirements for housing with services establishments; amending Minnesota Statutes 1997 Supplement, section 144A.4605, subdivision 4.

Referred to the Committee on Health and Family Security.

Ms. Berglin, Mr. Janezich, Ms. Higgins and Mr. Frederickson introduced--

S.F. No. 2094: A bill for an act relating to economic development; establishing an individual development account demonstration project; appropriating money; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 116J.

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

Mses. Ranum, Berglin and Mr. Kelly, R.C. introduced--

S.F. No. 2095: A bill for an act relating to crime; requiring certain cities to collect and maintain information on the occurrence and disposition of crimes within their jurisdictions; requiring periodic reports; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 626.

Referred to the Committee on Crime Prevention.

Mr. Janezich, Mses. Robertson, Pappas, Mr. Knutson and Ms. Junge introduced--

S.F. No. 2096: A bill for an act relating to education; appropriating money to increase school lunch and food storage aid; amending Laws 1997, First Special Session chapter 4, article 6, section 20, subdivision 4.

Referred to the Committee on Children, Families and Learning.

Mr. Kelly, R.C. introduced--

S.F. No. 2097: A bill for an act relating to crime; including witness tampering within the enhancement penalties for crimes committed for the benefit of a gang; increasing the penalties for crimes committed for the benefit of a gang; appropriating money for the witness and victim protection fund; amending Minnesota Statutes 1996, section 609.229, subdivision 3; Minnesota Statutes 1997 Supplement, section 609.11, subdivision 9.

Referred to the Committee on Crime Prevention.

Mr. Kelley, S.P. introduced--

S.F. No. 2098: A bill for an act relating to utilities; regulating municipal provision of telecommunications and other utility services; amending Laws 1996, chapter 300, section 1, subdivision 2, as amended; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 237; repealing Minnesota Statutes 1996, sections 237.19; and 237.20; Laws 1996, chapter 300, section 1, subdivision 5, as added.

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

Messrs. Foley, Knutson, Mses. Johnson, J.B. and Junge introduced--

S.F. No. 2099: A bill for an act relating to crimes; lowering alcohol concentration limit for operating a motor vehicle or hunting from 0.10 to 0.08; amending Minnesota Statutes 1996, sections 97B.065, subdivision 1; 97B.066, subdivision 1; 169.123, subdivisions 2 and 5a; 192A.555; and 609.21, subdivisions 1, 2, 2a, 2b, 3, and 4; Minnesota Statutes 1997 Supplement, sections 169.121, subdivision 1; and 169.123, subdivisions 4 and 6.

Referred to the Committee on Crime Prevention.

Mr. Knutson, Ms. Olson, Mr. Janezich and Mrs. Scheid introduced--

S.F. No. 2100: A bill for an act relating to education; providing for residential academies; appropriating money.

Referred to the Committee on Children, Families and Learning.

MEMBERS EXCUSED

Mr. Novak was excused from the Session of today.

ADJOURNMENT

Mr. Moe, R.D. moved that the Senate do now adjourn until 9:30 a.m., Thursday, January 22, 1998. The motion prevailed.

Patrick E. Flahaven, Secretary of the Senate

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