

THIRTEENTH DAY

St. Paul, Minnesota, Monday, February 6, 2017

The Senate met at 11:00 a.m. and was called to order by the President.

CALL OF THE SENATE

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

Prayer was offered by the Chaplain, Rev. Kevin Finnegan.

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:

Abeler	Draheim	Hoffman	Limmer	Rosen
Anderson, B.	Dziedzic	Housley	Lourey	Ruud
Anderson, P.	Eaton	Ingebrigtsen	Marty	Schoen
Bakk	Eichorn	Isaacson	Mathews	Senjem
Benson	Eken	Jasinski	Miller	Sparks
Carlson	Fischbach	Jensen	Nelson	Tomassoni
Chamberlain	Frentz	Johnson	Newton	Torres Ray
Champion	Gazelka	Kent	Osmek	Utke
Clausen	Goggin	Kiffmeyer	Pappas	Weber
Cwodzinski	Hall	Klein	Pratt	Westrom
Dahms	Hawj	Koran	Relph	Wiger
Dibble	Hayden	Laine	Rest	Wicklund

The President declared a quorum present.

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

EXECUTIVE AND OFFICIAL COMMUNICATIONS

The following communication was received.

January 31, 2017

The Honorable Michelle L. Fischbach
President of the Senate

Dear Senator Fischbach:

The Subcommittee on Committees met on January 31, 2017, and by appropriate action made the following appointments:

Pursuant to Minnesota Statutes

3.85: Legislative Commission on Pension and Retirement - Senators Rosen, Dahms, Limmer, Senjem, Jasinski, Pappas, and Schoen to serve until January 16, 2019.

3.855: LCC Subcommittee on Employee Relations - Senators Anderson, P.; Benson; Eaton; Newman; and Simonson to serve until January 1, 2019.

3.8841: Legislative Commission on Metropolitan Government - Senators Chamberlain, Housley, Osmek, and Pratt to serve until January 7, 2019.

3.885: Legislative Commission on Planning and Fiscal Policy - Senators Gazelka; Rosen; Anderson, P.; Newman; Senjem; Benson; Bakk; Cohen; and Klein to serve at the pleasure of the appointing authority.

3.8851: Legislative Energy Commission - Senators Senjem, Mathews, Dibble, Marty, Simonson, and Sparks to serve at the pleasure of the appointing authority. Senators Goggin, Osmek, Ruud, and Newman to serve by virtue of their positions.

3.97: Legislative Audit Commission - Senators Benson, Kiffmeyer, and Limmer to serve at the pleasure of the appointing authority.

41D.01: Minnesota Agriculture Education Leadership Council - Senators Dahms, Dzedzic, and Weber to serve until January 4, 2021.

97A.056: Lessard-Sams Outdoor Heritage Council - Senators Ingebrigtsen and Tomassoni to serve at the pleasure of the appointing authority.

114D.30: Clean Water Council - Senators Osmek and Rest to serve as non-voting members at the pleasure of the appointing authority.

116P.05: Legislative-Citizens Commission on Minnesota Resources - Senators Dahms, Dzedzic, Ingebrigtsen, Tomassoni, and Westrom to serve until January 7, 2019.

116U.25: Explore Minnesota Tourism Council - Senators Ruud and Simonson to serve until January 4, 2021.

124D.141: State Advisory Council on Early Childhood Education and Care - Senators Chamberlain and Wiklund to serve at the pleasure of the appointing authority.

127A.70: Minnesota P-20 Education Partnership - Senators Pratt and Wiger to serve at the pleasure of the appointing authority.

127A.81: Education Commission of the States - Senator Nelson to serve until January 7, 2019.

135A.21: Midwestern Higher Education Commission - Senator Fischbach to serve until January 7, 2019.

260.515: Advisory Council on the Interstate Compact for Juveniles - Senators Hall and Laine to serve at the pleasure of the appointing authority.

Pursuant to Laws 2016

Chapter 189, article 3, section 50: Aggregate Resources Task Force - Senators Ingebrigtsen, Frentz, Ruud, and Schoen to serve until June 30, 2018.

Sincerely,
Paul E. Gazelka
Chair, Subcommittee on Committees
State Senator, District 9

MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE

Madam President:

I have the honor to announce the passage by the House of the following House Files, herewith transmitted: H.F. Nos. 13 and 46.

Patrick D. Murphy, Chief Clerk, House of Representatives

Transmitted February 2, 2017

FIRST READING OF HOUSE BILLS

The following bills were read the first time.

H.F. No. 13: A bill for an act relating to business organizations; nonprofit corporations; modifying the definition of certain terms; providing certain powers and duties of incorporators and directors; regulating certain mergers and conversions; amending Minnesota Statutes 2016, sections 317A.011, subdivisions 13, 20; 317A.171, subdivisions 1, 2; 317A.203; 317A.241, subdivision 1; 317A.311; 317A.443, subdivision 1; 317A.671; 317A.811, subdivisions 1, 2, 6; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 317A.

Referred to the Committee on Rules and Administration for comparison with S.F. No. 91, now on General Orders.

H.F. No. 46: A bill for an act relating to real property; making miscellaneous changes to the filing of certificates of value, recording, registration, and other provisions affecting real estate; amending Minnesota Statutes 2016, sections 272.115, subdivision 1, by adding a subdivision; 507.0943; 508.06; 508.25; 508.29; 508.421, subdivision 1a; 508.47, subdivision 7; 508.671; 508.71, subdivision 3; 508.81; 508.82, subdivision 1; 508A.06; 508A.25; 508A.29; 508A.421, subdivision 1a; 508A.47, subdivision 7; 508A.71, subdivision 3; 508A.82, subdivision 1; 559.23.

Referred to the Committee on Rules and Administration for comparison with S.F. No. 49, now on General Orders.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

Senator Gazelka moved that the Committee Reports at the Desk be now adopted. The motion prevailed.

Senator Ruud from the Committee on Environment and Natural Resources Policy and Legacy Finance, to which was referred

S.F. No. 371: A bill for an act relating to natural resources; appropriating money for wetland replacement credits for local government roads; authorizing the sale of general obligation bonds.

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

Senator Housley from the Committee on Aging and Long-term Care Policy, to which was referred

S.F. No. 112: A bill for an act relating to health; creating the Palliative Care Advisory Committee; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 144.

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

Delete everything after the enacting clause and insert:

"Section 1. [144.059] PALLIATIVE CARE ADVISORY COUNCIL.

Subdivision 1. **Establishment.** The Palliative Care Advisory Council is established to advise and assist the commissioner of health regarding improving the quality and delivery of patient-centered and family-focused palliative care.

Subd. 2. **Membership.** (a) The council shall consist of 18 public members and four members of the legislature.

(b) The commissioner shall appoint 18 public members, including at least the following:

(1) two physicians, of which one is certified by the American Board of Hospice and Palliative Medicine;

(2) two registered nurses or advanced practice registered nurses, of which one is certified by the National Board for Certification of Hospice and Palliative Nurses;

(3) one care coordinator experienced in working with people with serious or chronic illness and their families;

(4) one spiritual counselor experienced in working with people with serious or chronic illness and their families;

(5) three licensed health professionals, such as complementary and alternative health care practitioners, dietitians or nutritionists, pharmacists, or physical therapists, who are neither physicians

nor nurses, but who have experience as members of a palliative care interdisciplinary team working with people with serious or chronic illness and their families;

(6) one licensed social worker experienced in working with people with serious or chronic illness and their families;

(7) four patients or personal caregivers experienced with serious or chronic illness;

(8) one representative of a health plan company; and

(9) one physician assistant that is a member of the American Academy of Hospice and Palliative Medicine.

(c) The Subcommittee on Committees of the Committee on Rules and Administration shall appoint one member of the senate, the minority leader in the senate shall appoint one member of the senate, the speaker of the house of representatives shall appoint one member of the house of representatives, and the minority leader in the house of representatives shall appoint one member of the house of representatives.

(d) Council membership must include, where possible, representation that is racially, culturally, linguistically, geographically, and economically diverse.

(e) The council must include at least six members who reside outside Anoka, Carver, Chisago, Dakota, Hennepin, Isanti, Mille Lacs, Ramsey, Scott, Sherburne, Sibley, Stearns, Washington, or Wright Counties.

(f) Council membership must include health professionals who have palliative care work experience or expertise in palliative care delivery models in a variety of inpatient, outpatient, and community settings, including acute care, long-term care, or hospice, with a variety of populations, including pediatric, youth, and adult patients.

(g) To the extent possible, council membership must include persons who have experience in palliative care research, palliative care instruction in a medical or nursing school setting, palliative care services for veterans as a provider or recipient, or pediatric care.

Subd. 3. **Term.** Members of the council shall serve for a term of three years and may be reappointed. Members shall serve until their successors have been appointed.

Subd. 4. **Administration.** The commissioner or the commissioner's designee shall provide meeting space and administrative services for the council.

Subd. 5. **Initial appointments and first meeting.** The appointing authorities shall appoint the first members of the council by July 1, 2017. The commissioner shall convene the first meeting by September 15, 2017, and the commissioner or the commissioner's designee shall act as chair until the council elects a chair at its first meeting.

Subd. 6. **Chairs.** At the council's first meeting, and biannually thereafter, the members shall elect a chair and a vice-chair whose duties shall be established by the council.

Subd. 7. **Meeting.** The commissioner shall fix a time and place for regular meetings of the council, which shall meet at least twice yearly.

Subd. 8. **No compensation.** Public members of the council serve without compensation, except for reimbursement from the commissioner for allowed actual and necessary expenses incurred in the performance of the public member's council duties.

Subd. 9. **Duties.** (a) The council shall consult with and advise the commissioner on matters related to the establishment, maintenance, operation, and outcomes evaluation of palliative care initiatives in the state.

(b) By February 15 of each year, the council shall submit to the chairs and ranking minority members of the committees of the senate and the house of representatives with primary jurisdiction over health care a report containing a description of:

- (1) the advisory committee's assessment of the availability of palliative care in the state;
- (2) the advisory committee's analysis of barriers to greater access to palliative care; and
- (3) recommendations for legislative action.

(c) The Department of Health shall publish the report each year on the department's Web site.

Subd. 10. **Sunset.** The council shall sunset January 1, 2025.

EFFECTIVE DATE. This section is effective the day following final enactment."

Delete the title and insert:

"A bill for an act relating to health; creating the Palliative Care Advisory Council; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 144."

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

Senator Ruud from the Committee on Environment and Natural Resources Policy and Legacy Finance, to which was referred

S.F. No. 326: A bill for an act relating to natural resources; allowing certain temporary conditions for wetland replacement for local government roads.

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

Page 1, delete lines 15 to 20 and insert:

"(2) draining or filling wetlands to repair, rehabilitate, or replace a previously authorized, currently serviceable existing public road to the extent the activity is exempt from replacement requirements under an applicable general permit issued by the United States Army Corps of Engineers under section 404 of the federal Clean Water Act, United States Code, title 33, section 1344, is exempt from wetland replacement requirements under Minnesota Statutes, section 103G.222."

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

Senator Senjem from the Committee on Capital Investment, to which was referred

S.F. No. 236: A bill for an act relating to capital investment; appropriating money for the Rural Finance Authority; authorizing the sale and issuance of state bonds.

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

Page 1, after line 20, insert:

"Subd. 2. **Bond sale expenses.** \$35,000 is appropriated from the bond proceeds fund to the commissioner of management and budget for bond sale expenses under Minnesota Statutes, section 16A.641, subdivision 8."

Page 1, line 21, delete "2" and insert "3"

Page 1, line 23, delete "\$35,000,000" and insert "\$35,035,000"

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

Senator Anderson, B. from the Committee on Veterans and Military Affairs Finance and Policy, to which was referred

S.F. No. 205: A bill for an act relating to taxation; property; modifying the homestead valuation exclusion for disabled veterans; amending Minnesota Statutes 2016, section 273.13, subdivision 34.

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

Page 1, line 19, strike ", clause"

Page 1, line 20, strike "(2),"

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

Senator Anderson, B. from the Committee on Veterans and Military Affairs Finance and Policy, to which was referred

S.F. No. 71: A bill for an act relating to taxation; property; modifying the disabled veteran's exclusion; amending Minnesota Statutes 2016, section 273.13, subdivision 34.

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

Senator Anderson, B. from the Committee on Veterans and Military Affairs Finance and Policy, to which was referred

S.F. No. 84: A bill for an act relating to taxation; homestead valuation exclusion for disabled veterans; modifying benefit eligibility for a deceased veteran's spouse; amending Minnesota Statutes 2016, section 273.13, subdivision 34.

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

Senator Anderson, B. from the Committee on Veterans and Military Affairs Finance and Policy, to which was referred

S.F. No. 322: A bill for an act relating to veterans; appropriating money to public safety for a grant for training community safety personnel about the use of de-escalation techniques.

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

Senator Gazelka, from the Committee on Rules and Administration, to which was referred

H.F. No. 244 for comparison with companion Senate File, reports the following House File was found not identical with companion Senate File as follows:

GENERAL ORDERS		CONSENT CALENDAR		CALENDAR	
H.F. No.	S.F. No.	H.F. No.	S.F. No.	H.F. No.	S.F. No.
244	270				

Pursuant to Rule 45, the Committee on Rules and Administration recommends that H.F. No. 244 be amended as follows:

Delete all the language after the enacting clause of H.F. No. 244, the second engrossment; and insert the language after the enacting clause of S.F. No. 270, the first engrossment; further, delete the title of H.F. No. 244, the second engrossment; and insert the title of S.F. No. 270, the first engrossment.

And when so amended H.F. No. 244 will be identical to S.F. No. 270, and further recommends that H.F. No. 244 be given its second reading and substituted for S.F. No. 270, and that the Senate File be indefinitely postponed.

Pursuant to Rule 45, this report was prepared and submitted by the Secretary of the Senate on behalf of the Committee on Rules and Administration. Amendments adopted. Report adopted.

SECOND READING OF HOUSE BILLS

H.F. No. 244 was read the second time.

INTRODUCTION AND FIRST READING OF SENATE BILLS

The following bills were read the first time.

Senators Dzedzic, Hawj, Ruud, Hayden, and Housley introduced--

S.F. No. 612: A bill for an act relating to arts and cultural heritage; appropriating money for Minnesota Film and TV Board.

Referred to the Committee on Environment and Natural Resources Policy and Legacy Finance.

Senator Abeler introduced--

S.F. No. 613: A bill for an act relating to health; establishing a pilot project for genetic marker testing.

Referred to the Committee on Health and Human Services Finance and Policy.

Senators Abeler, Hoffman, Kiffmeyer, Rosen, and Clausen introduced--

S.F. No. 614: A bill for an act relating to health licensing; modifying the Minnesota Athletic Trainers Act; amending Minnesota Statutes 2016, sections 148.7802, subdivision 6, by adding subdivisions; 148.7803, subdivision 1; 148.7804; 148.7805, subdivisions 1, 3; 148.7806; 148.7808, subdivisions 1, 3; 148.7809; 148.7810; 148.7815; repealing Minnesota Statutes 2016, sections 148.7802, subdivisions 4, 5; 148.7808, subdivisions 4, 5.

Referred to the Committee on Health and Human Services Finance and Policy.

Senators Bakk, Eken, Miller, and Gazelka introduced--

S.F. No. 615: A bill for an act relating to local government aid; amending the formula and providing adjustments in 2017 aid payments to certain cities; amending Minnesota Statutes 2016, section 477A.013, subdivisions 8, 9.

Referred to the Committee on Taxes.

Senators Dahms, Johnson, Jasinski, Tomassoni, and Lang introduced--

S.F. No. 616: A bill for an act relating to capital investment; appropriating money for AURI facilities improvement; authorizing the sale and issuance of state bonds.

Referred to the Committee on Capital Investment.

Senators Ingebrigtsen and Latz introduced--

S.F. No. 617: A bill for an act relating to public safety; increasing penalties for impersonating a law enforcement officer; amending Minnesota Statutes 2016, sections 169.64, by adding a subdivision; 169.68; 169.98, subdivision 3, by adding a subdivision; 171.07, subdivision 3, by

adding a subdivision; 326.3384, subdivision 1; 609.475; 626.863; 626.88, subdivision 2; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 609.

Referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Public Safety Finance and Policy.

Senators Dahms, Eken, Weber, Johnson, and Lang introduced--

S.F. No. 618: A bill for an act relating to education finance; establishing an agricultural educator grant program; appropriating money.

Referred to the Committee on Agriculture, Rural Development, and Housing Policy.

Senator Dahms introduced--

S.F. No. 619: A bill for an act relating to capital investment; appropriating money for renovation and relocation of the Milford Town Hall; authorizing the sale and issuance of state bonds.

Referred to the Committee on Capital Investment.

Senator Dahms introduced--

S.F. No. 620: A bill for an act relating to local government; allowing a county board to appropriate money for a veterans memorial anywhere in the county; amending Minnesota Statutes 2016, section 375.18, subdivision 10.

Referred to the Committee on Veterans and Military Affairs Finance and Policy.

Senator Johnson introduced--

S.F. No. 621: A bill for an act relating to capital investment; appropriating money for wastewater infrastructure improvements in East Grand Forks; authorizing the sale and issuance of state bonds.

Referred to the Committee on Capital Investment.

Senators Johnson and Utke introduced--

S.F. No. 622: A bill for an act relating to capital investment; appropriating money for a capital assistance grant to Polk County; authorizing the sale and issuance of state bonds.

Referred to the Committee on Capital Investment.

Senators Eaton, Marty, Hawj, Rest, and Abeler introduced--

S.F. No. 623: A bill for an act relating to health; modifying continuing education requirements for certain health professionals; providing coverage for certain acupuncture services; amending Minnesota Statutes 2016, section 214.12, by adding a subdivision; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 62Q.

Referred to the Committee on Health and Human Services Finance and Policy.

Senators Clausen and Carlson introduced--

S.F. No. 624: A bill for an act relating to capital investment; appropriating money for the Family Resource Center in Rosemount; authorizing the sale and issuance of state bonds.

Referred to the Committee on Capital Investment.

Senators Dzedzic, Rest, and Senjem introduced--

S.F. No. 625: A bill for an act relating to taxation; property; modifying interest rates; amending Minnesota Statutes 2016, sections 279.03, subdivision 2; 279.37, subdivision 2; 282.01, subdivision 4; 282.261, subdivision 2.

Referred to the Committee on Taxes.

Senators Rosen and Kiffmeyer introduced--

S.F. No. 626: A bill for an act relating to the Minnesota Sports Facilities Authority; modifying appointments to the authority board; modifying duties; restricting the use of stadium suites; amending Minnesota Statutes 2016, sections 473J.07, subdivisions 2, 3, 4, 8, by adding a subdivision; 473J.09, subdivisions 6, 13, by adding subdivisions; 473J.13, by adding a subdivision; repealing Minnesota Statutes 2016, section 473J.09, subdivision 14.

Referred to the Committee on State Government Finance and Policy and Elections.

Senators Rosen, Frenz, and Jasinski introduced--

S.F. No. 627: A bill for an act relating to capital investment; appropriating money for the city of Madelia, for public infrastructure repair and replacement.

Referred to the Committee on Jobs and Economic Growth Finance and Policy.

Senators Rosen, Nelson, Sparks, and Anderson, P. introduced--

S.F. No. 628: A bill for an act relating to education; establishing requirements for out-of-state teachers to obtain teaching licenses in Minnesota; amending Minnesota Statutes 2016, section 122A.23, subdivision 2.

Referred to the Committee on E-12 Policy.

Senators Rosen, Weber, Dahms, and Dzedzic introduced--

S.F. No. 629: A bill for an act relating to taxation; sales and use; providing exemptions for nonprofit animal shelters; amending Minnesota Statutes 2016, section 297A.70, by adding a subdivision.

Referred to the Committee on Taxes.

Senators Rosen, Weber, and Dahms introduced--

S.F. No. 630: A bill for an act relating to taxation; sales and use; providing a retroactive exemption and refund for construction materials and supplies purchased by certain nonprofit economic development corporations; appropriating money.

Referred to the Committee on Taxes.

Senators Rosen, Weber, and Dahms introduced--

S.F. No. 631: A bill for an act relating to capital investment; appropriating money for phase I of the city of Jackson's Memorial Park redevelopment; authorizing the sale and issuance of state bonds.

Referred to the Committee on Capital Investment.

Senator Rosen introduced--

S.F. No. 632: A bill for an act relating to capital investment; appropriating money for the city of Winnebago's northwest area utility improvements; authorizing the sale and issuance of state bonds.

Referred to the Committee on Capital Investment.

Senator Rosen introduced--

S.F. No. 633: A bill for an act relating to capital investment; appropriating money for the Green Giant Museum in Blue Earth; authorizing the sale and issuance of state bonds.

Referred to the Committee on Capital Investment.

Senator Rosen introduced--

S.F. No. 634: A bill for an act relating to capital investment; appropriating money for public infrastructure for an industrial park in the city of Blue Earth; authorizing the sale and issuance of state bonds.

Referred to the Committee on Capital Investment.

Senator Rosen introduced--

S.F. No. 635: A bill for an act relating to capital investment; appropriating money for street and sewer improvements in the city of Waldorf; authorizing the sale and issuance of state bonds.

Referred to the Committee on Capital Investment.

Senators Rosen, Limmer, and Schoen introduced--

S.F. No. 636: A bill for an act relating to public safety; increasing penalties for certain predatory offenses; requiring predatory offender registration; amending Minnesota Statutes 2016, sections 243.166, subdivision 1b; 609.746, subdivision 1; 609.749, subdivision 3.

Referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Public Safety Finance and Policy.

Senators Abeler, Senjem, Carlson, and Hayden introduced--

S.F. No. 637: A bill for an act relating to health; establishing a pilot program to provide health and wellness information, services, and referrals to East African seniors; appropriating money.

Referred to the Committee on Health and Human Services Finance and Policy.

Senators Ingebrigtsen, Limmer, Sparks, Champion, and Housley introduced--

S.F. No. 638: A bill for an act relating to commerce; regulating motor vehicle franchises; specifying warranty and recall obligations; providing unfair practices by manufacturers, distributors, and factory branches; amending Minnesota Statutes 2016, sections 80E.11, subdivision 7; 80E.13; 80E.16, subdivision 1; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 80E; repealing Minnesota Statutes 2016, section 80E.04.

Referred to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection Finance and Policy.

Senators Housley, Abeler, and Ruud introduced--

S.F. No. 639: A bill for an act relating to health; repealing the Minnesota Radon Licensing Act; repealing Minnesota Statutes 2016, section 144.4961.

Referred to the Committee on Health and Human Services Finance and Policy.

Senators Pappas and Senjem introduced--

S.F. No. 640: A bill for an act relating to capital investment; authorizing spending to acquire and better public land and buildings and other improvements of a capital nature with certain conditions; modifying previous appropriations; establishing new programs and modifying existing programs; authorizing the sale and issuance of state bonds; appropriating money; amending Minnesota Statutes 2016, sections 16A.967; 84.946, subdivision 2; 85.34, subdivision 1; 219.166; 256E.37; 363A.36; 363A.44, subdivision 1; 446A.072; 446A.073; 446A.081, subdivision 9; 446A.12, subdivision 1; 462A.37, subdivisions 1, 2, 2a, 2b, 5, by adding a subdivision; Laws 2015, chapter 75, article 1, section 3, subdivision 3; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapters 16A; 174; 219; repealing Minnesota Statutes 2016, section 123A.446.

Referred to the Committee on Capital Investment.

Senator Dibble introduced--

S.F. No. 641: A bill for an act relating to the Metropolitan Council; providing for staggered terms; expanding the membership of the nomination committee; requiring additional information to be made publicly available as part of the selection process; clarifying council member qualifications; requiring new advisory committee; establishing sewer availability charges stakeholder group; amending Minnesota Statutes 2016, sections 473.123, subdivisions 2a, 3; 473.127.

Referred to the Committee on Local Government.

Senator Dibble introduced--

S.F. No. 642: A bill for an act relating to metropolitan government; providing for the election of Metropolitan Council members; amending Minnesota Statutes 2016, sections 10A.01, subdivision 10; 10A.09, subdivision 6a; 10A.25, subdivision 2; 10A.27, subdivision 1; 10A.315; 10A.323; 10A.324, subdivision 1; 15.0597, subdivision 1; 200.02, subdivision 28; 204B.06, subdivision 4a; 204B.09, subdivisions 1, 1a; 204B.11; 204B.135, subdivision 2; 204B.32, subdivision 2; 204D.02, subdivision 1; 204D.08, subdivision 6; 204D.27, by adding a subdivision; 209.02, subdivision 1; 211A.01, subdivision 3; 211B.01, subdivision 3; 353D.01, subdivision 2; 473.123, subdivisions 1, 3a, 4, by adding subdivisions; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapters 10A; 204D; repealing Minnesota Statutes 2016, section 473.123, subdivisions 2a, 3; Laws 1994, chapter 628, article 1, section 8.

Referred to the Committee on Local Government.

Senators Johnson; Tomassoni; Ingebrigtsen; Anderson, B.; and Ruud introduced--

S.F. No. 643: A bill for an act relating to natural resources; appropriating money for culvert replacement grants.

Referred to the Committee on Environment and Natural Resources Policy and Legacy Finance.

Senators Newton, Hoffman, and Abeler introduced--

S.F. No. 644: A bill for an act relating to human services; providing grant funds to Anoka County to recruit foster families; appropriating money.

Referred to the Committee on Human Services Reform Finance and Policy.

Senator Newton introduced--

S.F. No. 645: A bill for an act relating to higher education; providing educational assistance to translators who assisted United States troops; amending Minnesota Statutes 2016, section 197.791, subdivisions 4, 5a.

Referred to the Committee on Veterans and Military Affairs Finance and Policy.

Senators Bakk, Chamberlain, and Anderson, P. introduced--

S.F. No. 646: A bill for an act relating to taxation; individual income; modifying the working family credit for American Indians living on reservations; amending Minnesota Statutes 2016, section 290.0671, subdivision 1.

Referred to the Committee on Taxes.

Senators Lourey, Chamberlain, and Anderson, P. introduced--

S.F. No. 647: A bill for an act relating to taxation; property; exempting certain Indian-owned property from taxation; amending Minnesota Statutes 2016, section 272.02, by adding a subdivision.

Referred to the Committee on Taxes.

Senator Latz introduced--

S.F. No. 648: A bill for an act relating to civil commitment; specifying limitation on notice of release or discharge; amending Minnesota Statutes 2016, section 253B.05, subdivision 3.

Referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Public Safety Finance and Policy.

Senators Utke, Koran, Eichorn, and Mathews introduced--

S.F. No. 649: A bill for an act relating to public safety; providing for the right to carry a firearm without a permit; providing for penalties; amending Minnesota Statutes 2016, sections 624.714, by adding a subdivision; 624.7142, subdivisions 5, 6; 624.7143, subdivision 2; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 624; repealing Minnesota Statutes 2016, section 624.714, subdivisions 1a, 1b, 9, 11a, 13.

Referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Public Safety Finance and Policy.

Senators Utke, Eichorn, Mathews, and Koran introduced--

S.F. No. 650: A bill for an act relating to public safety; providing for the right to carry without a permit; providing for an optional permit to carry; amending Minnesota Statutes 2016, section 624.714, subdivisions 2, 3, 7, 15, 20, 23, by adding subdivisions; repealing Minnesota Statutes 2016, sections 624.714, subdivisions 1a, 1b, 16; 624.7181.

Referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Public Safety Finance and Policy.

Senators Eichorn and Utke introduced--

S.F. No. 651: A bill for an act relating to capital investment; appropriating money for the Heartland State Trail; authorizing the sale and issuance of state bonds.

Referred to the Committee on Capital Investment.

Senator Eichorn introduced--

S.F. No. 652: A bill for an act relating to capital investment; appropriating money for Minnesota rail service improvement.

Referred to the Committee on Transportation Finance and Policy.

Senator Eichorn introduced--

S.F. No. 653: A bill for an act relating to arts and cultural heritage; appropriating money for the Children's Discovery Museum in Grand Rapids.

Referred to the Committee on Environment and Natural Resources Policy and Legacy Finance.

Senator Lourey introduced--

S.F. No. 654: A bill for an act relating to human services; making policy and technical changes to the nursing facility payment system; requiring a report; amending Minnesota Statutes 2016, sections 144.0724, subdivision 6; 256B.431, subdivision 30, by adding a subdivision; 256B.434, subdivision 4; 256R.02, subdivisions 4, 17, 18, 19, 22, 42, 52, by adding subdivisions; 256R.07, subdivision 1, by adding a subdivision; 256R.10, by adding a subdivision; 256R.13, subdivision 4; 256R.37; 256R.40, subdivisions 1, 5; 256R.41; 256R.47; 256R.49; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 256R; repealing Minnesota Statutes 2016, sections 256R.06, subdivision 7; 256R.54, subdivisions 5, 6, 7, 8, 9.

Referred to the Committee on Human Services Reform Finance and Policy.

Senator Relph introduced--

S.F. No. 655: A bill for an act relating to human services; establishing the senior care workforce innovation grant program; appropriating money; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 144.

Referred to the Committee on Aging and Long-term Care Policy.

Senators Frentz and Rosen introduced--

S.F. No. 656: A bill for an act relating to transportation finance; amending an appropriation for state road construction; amending Laws 2015, chapter 75, article 1, section 3, subdivision 3.

Referred to the Committee on Transportation Finance and Policy.

Senators Goggin and Lang introduced--

S.F. No. 657: A bill for an act relating to motor vehicles; eliminating authority for inspection of certain commercial motor vehicle records without a warrant; amending Minnesota Statutes 2016, section 169.872, subdivision 1.

Referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Public Safety Finance and Policy.

Senators Hayden, Wiklund, Dziedzic, and Abeler introduced--

S.F. No. 658: A bill for an act relating to human services; appropriating money for housing needs.

Referred to the Committee on Human Services Reform Finance and Policy.

Senators Ingebrigtsen and Senjem introduced--

S.F. No. 659: A bill for an act relating to sales and use tax; modifying the sales tax on club memberships to exclude game release charges; amending Minnesota Statutes 2016, section 297A.61, subdivision 3.

Referred to the Committee on Taxes.

Senators Ingebrigtsen and Senjem introduced--

S.F. No. 660: A bill for an act relating to taxation; sales and use; exempting certain purchases of clay targets; amending Minnesota Statutes 2016, section 297A.68, by adding a subdivision.

Referred to the Committee on Taxes.

Senator Rosen introduced--

S.F. No. 661: A bill for an act relating to capital investment; appropriating money for public infrastructure in St. James; authorizing the sale and issuance of state bonds.

Referred to the Committee on Capital Investment.

Senators Rosen, Frenz, Abeler, and Hoffman introduced--

S.F. No. 662: A bill for an act relating to health; creating an exemption from the practice of dentistry for certain dental students; amending Minnesota Statutes 2016, section 150A.05, subdivision 2.

Referred to the Committee on Health and Human Services Finance and Policy.

Senators Relph, Fischbach, Nelson, Hoffman, and Pappas introduced--

S.F. No. 663: A bill for an act relating to health; requiring a statewide sex trafficking victims strategic plan and report; appropriating money.

Referred to the Committee on Health and Human Services Finance and Policy.

Senators Relph and Hoffman introduced--

S.F. No. 664: A bill for an act relating to human services; appropriating money for a grant to Advocating Change Together.

Referred to the Committee on Human Services Reform Finance and Policy.

Senator Nelson introduced--

S.F. No. 665: A bill for an act relating to taxation; property; phasing out the state general levy over eight years; amending Minnesota Statutes 2016, section 275.025, subdivision 1.

Referred to the Committee on Taxes.

Senators Senjem, Tomassoni, Miller, Rosen, and Pappas introduced--

S.F. No. 666: A bill for an act relating to capital investment; appropriating money for preservation of public housing and to support issuance of additional housing infrastructure bonds; adding senior housing to the allowable uses of housing infrastructure bonds; authorizing the sale and issuance of state bonds; amending Minnesota Statutes 2016, section 462A.37, subdivisions 1, 2, 5, by adding a subdivision.

Referred to the Committee on Capital Investment.

Senators Relph, Limmer, and Utke introduced--

S.F. No. 667: A bill for an act relating to public safety; modifying admissibility of seat belt use for evidentiary purposes; repealing Minnesota Statutes 2016, section 169.685, subdivision 4.

Referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Public Safety Finance and Policy.

Senators Housley, Relph, Eken, and Lourey introduced--

S.F. No. 668: A bill for an act relating to human services; reforming the elderly waiver program; appropriating money; amending Minnesota Statutes 2016, sections 256B.056, subdivision 5; 256B.0911, subdivision 3a; 256B.0915, subdivisions 1, 3e, 5, by adding subdivisions; 256B.439, by adding a subdivision.

Referred to the Committee on Aging and Long-term Care Policy.

Senators Dahms, Eken, Ingebrigtsen, Nelson, and Hoffman introduced--

S.F. No. 669: A bill for an act relating to human services; modifying reimbursement rates for intermediate care facilities for persons with developmental disabilities and for home and community-based providers; amending Minnesota Statutes 2016, section 256B.5012, by adding a subdivision; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 256B.

Referred to the Committee on Human Services Reform Finance and Policy.

Senator Klein introduced--

S.F. No. 670: A bill for an act relating to local government aid; providing a temporary increase in payment to the city of West St. Paul; amending Minnesota Statutes 2016, section 477A.013, subdivision 13.

Referred to the Committee on Taxes.

Senators Cohen and Latz introduced--

S.F. No. 671: A bill for an act relating to campaign finance; requiring that certain political contributions and independent expenditures be made from funds subject to the individual income tax; amending Minnesota Statutes 2016, section 10A.27, by adding a subdivision; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 211B.

Referred to the Committee on State Government Finance and Policy and Elections.

Senators Ruud, Weber, Eken, Tomassoni, and Goggin introduced--

S.F. No. 672: A bill for an act relating to environment; modifying public comment period requirements for draft impaired waters list; providing process to challenge impaired waters lists; requiring notice to publicly owned wastewater treatment facility applicants; amending Minnesota Statutes 2016, section 114D.25, by adding a subdivision; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 115.

Referred to the Committee on Environment and Natural Resources Policy and Legacy Finance.

Senators Kent, Housley, Eaton, and Carlson introduced--

S.F. No. 673: A bill for an act relating to state government; ratifying certain collective bargaining agreements.

Referred to the Committee on State Government Finance and Policy and Elections.

Senator Osmek introduced--

S.F. No. 674: A bill for an act relating to energy; establishing an Office of Ratepayer Advocacy; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 216A; repealing Minnesota Statutes 2016, section 216A.07, subdivisions 2, 3.

Referred to the Committee on Energy and Utilities Finance and Policy.

Senators Simonson and Tomassoni introduced--

S.F. No. 675: A bill for an act relating to agriculture; appropriating money for the Deep Winter Greenhouse in Duluth.

Referred to the Committee on Agriculture, Rural Development, and Housing Finance.

Senators Ingebrigtsen, Limmer, and Johnson introduced--

S.F. No. 676: A bill for an act relating to public safety; increasing penalties for obstructing traffic access to a trunk highway or airport; amending the crime of obstructing transit; amending Minnesota Statutes 2016, sections 160.2715; 609.855, subdivision 2.

Referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Public Safety Finance and Policy.

Senators Hoffman, Abeler, Newton, Rest, and Eken introduced--

S.F. No. 677: A bill for an act relating to elections; authorizing individuals under the age of 18 to vote at a primary election in certain circumstances; amending Minnesota Statutes 2016, section 201.014, subdivision 1.

Referred to the Committee on State Government Finance and Policy and Elections.

Senator Rest introduced--

S.F. No. 678: A bill for an act relating to liquor; authorizing an intoxicating liquor license for a municipal golf course in New Hope.

Referred to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection Finance and Policy.

Senators Ingebrigtsen, Limmer, and Johnson introduced--

S.F. No. 679: A bill for an act relating to public safety; authorizing governmental units to sue to recover for the public safety response costs related to unlawful assemblies and public nuisances; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 609.

Referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Public Safety Finance and Policy.

Senator Frentz introduced--

S.F. No. 680: A bill for an act relating to taxation; sales and use; authorizing the cities of Mankato and North Mankato to extend existing local sales and use taxes; amending Laws 1991, chapter 291, article 8, section 27, subdivisions 3, as amended, 4, as amended, 5; Laws 2008, chapter 366, article 7, section 20.

Referred to the Committee on Taxes.

Senator Bakk introduced--

S.F. No. 681: A bill for an act relating to watercraft; modifying watercraft-licensing exemptions; amending Minnesota Statutes 2016, section 86B.301, subdivision 2.

Referred to the Committee on Environment and Natural Resources Policy and Legacy Finance.

Senators Dahms, Newman, Sparks, and Senjem introduced--

S.F. No. 682: A bill for an act relating to capital investment; appropriating money for the Minnesota Valley Regional Rail Authority; authorizing the sale and issuance of state bonds.

Referred to the Committee on Capital Investment.

Senators Dahms, Weber, Johnson, Draheim, and Sparks introduced--

S.F. No. 683: A bill for an act relating to agriculture; appropriating money to the Agricultural Utilization Research Institute.

Referred to the Committee on Agriculture, Rural Development, and Housing Finance.

Senators Dahms, Eken, Sparks, Westrom, and Jasinski introduced--

S.F. No. 684: A bill for an act relating to capital investment; appropriating money and providing for clean water, water infrastructure, and related purposes; authorizing the sale and issuance of state bonds; amending Minnesota Statutes 2016, sections 446A.072; 446A.073; 446A.081, subdivision 9.

Referred to the Committee on Capital Investment.

Senators Hawj, Tomassoni, Dzedzic, and Hoffman introduced--

S.F. No. 685: A bill for an act relating to economic development; appropriating money for the East Side Enterprise Center.

Referred to the Committee on Jobs and Economic Growth Finance and Policy.

Senator Eken introduced--

S.F. No. 686: A bill for an act relating to transportation; appropriating money for translated driver's examination materials.

Referred to the Committee on Transportation Finance and Policy.

Senators Senjem, Pappas, Housley, Kent, and Nelson introduced--

S.F. No. 687: A bill for an act relating to taxation; individual income; allowing a credit for employer-provided fitness facility expenses; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 290.

Referred to the Committee on Taxes.

Senators Ruud, Ingebrigtsen, Eken, and Nelson introduced--

S.F. No. 688: A bill for an act relating to natural resources; appropriating money for local recreation grants.

Referred to the Committee on Environment and Natural Resources Policy and Legacy Finance.

Senators Ruud, Ingebrigtsen, Eken, and Nelson introduced--

S.F. No. 689: A bill for an act relating to capital investment; appropriating money for local recreation grants; authorizing the sale and issuance of state bonds.

Referred to the Committee on Capital Investment.

Senators Latz and Rest introduced--

S.F. No. 690: A bill for an act relating to taxation; tax increment financing; modifying special rules for the city of St. Louis Park tax increment financing district.

Referred to the Committee on Taxes.

Senators Hall; Draheim; Anderson, B.; Dziejczak; and Relph introduced--

S.F. No. 691: A bill for an act relating to human services; providing for involuntary treatment of certain mentally ill persons who do not currently pose a risk of harm; amending Minnesota Statutes 2016, sections 253B.02, by adding a subdivision; 253B.065, subdivision 5.

Referred to the Committee on Human Services Reform Finance and Policy.

Senator Lourey introduced--

S.F. No. 692: A bill for an act relating to local government; modifying the Cloquet Area Fire and Ambulance Taxing District; amending Laws 2009, chapter 88, article 2, section 46, subdivisions 1, as amended, 2, 3, as amended, 4, 5.

Referred to the Committee on Local Government.

Senators Jasinski; Lang; Ingebrigtsen; Anderson, B.; and Newman introduced--

S.F. No. 693: A bill for an act relating to capital investment; appropriating money to complete the Rice County Veterans Memorial in Faribault.

Referred to the Committee on Veterans and Military Affairs Finance and Policy.

Senators Hayden and Lourey introduced--

S.F. No. 694: A bill for an act relating to health care; eliminating repeal of the tax on hospitals and health care providers; providing a contingent increase in primary care provider payment rates; clarifying uses of money in the health care access fund; amending Minnesota Statutes 2016, sections 295.52, subdivision 8; 295.581; repealing Laws 2011, First Special Session chapter 9, article 6, section 97, subdivision 6.

Referred to the Committee on Health and Human Services Finance and Policy.

Senators Newman, Eken, Kiffmeyer, Tomassoni, and Ingebrigtsen introduced--

S.F. No. 695: A bill for an act relating to environment; providing for review of agency actions; prohibiting use of unadopted rules; amending Minnesota Statutes 2016, sections 115.05; 116.07, by adding a subdivision.

Referred to the Committee on Environment and Natural Resources Policy and Legacy Finance.

Senators Utke and Latz introduced--

S.F. No. 696: A bill for an act relating to contracts; modifying and clarifying requirements relating to building and construction contracts; amending Minnesota Statutes 2016, sections 337.01, subdivision 3; 337.05, subdivision 1.

Referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Public Safety Finance and Policy.

Senator Utke introduced--

S.F. No. 697: A bill for an act relating to insurance producers; regulating payment of commissions by issuers of individual health plans; amending Minnesota Statutes 2016, sections 60K.31, by adding a subdivision; 60K.48, subdivision 4.

Referred to the Committee on Health and Human Services Finance and Policy.

Senator Rosen introduced--

S.F. No. 698: A bill for an act relating to taxation; authorizing the city of Fairmont to impose a local sales and use tax and issue bonds for specified projects.

Referred to the Committee on Taxes.

Senators Relph, Housley, Hoffman, Latz, and Klein introduced--

S.F. No. 699: A bill for an act relating to local government; allowing cities and towns to require additional licensing for hotels; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 471.

Referred to the Committee on Local Government.

Senators Tomassoni and Eichorn introduced--

S.F. No. 700: A bill for an act relating to energy; amending the terms of a contract for a biomass project; amending Minnesota Statutes 2016, section 216B.2424, subdivisions 2, 3.

Referred to the Committee on Energy and Utilities Finance and Policy.

Senators Hall, Carlson, Pratt, Wiklund, and Jensen introduced--

S.F. No. 701: A bill for an act relating to natural resources; appropriating money to operate and maintain sites for Minnesota River dredge spoil.

Referred to the Committee on Environment and Natural Resources Finance.

Senators Kiffmeyer, Eken, Abeler, Ruud, and Gazelka introduced--

S.F. No. 702: A bill for an act relating to health; limiting use of funds for state-sponsored health programs for funding abortions.

Referred to the Committee on Health and Human Services Finance and Policy.

Senators Goggin, Mathews, Westrom, Eichorn, and Utke introduced--

S.F. No. 703: A bill for an act relating to health; limiting use of funds for state-sponsored health programs for funding abortions.

Referred to the Committee on Health and Human Services Finance and Policy.

Senators Fischbach, Benson, Ruud, Eken, and Johnson introduced--

S.F. No. 704: A bill for an act relating to health; requiring licensure of certain facilities that perform abortions; requiring a licensing fee; appropriating money; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 145.

Referred to the Committee on Health and Human Services Finance and Policy.

Senators Hall, Mathews, Eichorn, Draheim, and Utke introduced--

S.F. No. 705: A bill for an act relating to health; requiring licensure of certain facilities that perform abortions; requiring a licensing fee; appropriating money; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 145.

Referred to the Committee on Health and Human Services Finance and Policy.

Senators Benson; Newton; Kiffmeyer; Anderson, B.; and Schoen introduced--

S.F. No. 706: A bill for an act relating to arts and culture; appropriating money to Minnesota Humanities Center.

Referred to the Committee on Environment and Natural Resources Policy and Legacy Finance.

Senators Pappas and Dibble introduced--

S.F. No. 707: A bill for an act relating to children; establishing requirements for gestational carrier contracts; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 257.

Referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Public Safety Finance and Policy.

Senators Ruud, Eaton, Ingebrigtsen, and Cohen introduced--

S.F. No. 708: A bill for an act relating to legacy; appropriating money from constitutionally dedicated legacy funds.

Referred to the Committee on Environment and Natural Resources Policy and Legacy Finance.

Senator Miller introduced--

S.F. No. 709: A bill for an act relating to education finance; authorizing additional early repayments of maximum effort capital loans; amending Laws 2011, First Special Session chapter 11, article 4, section 8, as amended.

Referred to the Committee on E-12 Finance.

Senators Schoen, Gazelka, Sparks, and Dahms introduced--

S.F. No. 710: A bill for an act relating to commerce; redirecting auto theft prevention funds from the general fund to the insurance fraud prevention account; amending Minnesota Statutes 2016, sections 45.0135, subdivision 6; 65B.84, subdivision 1; 297I.11, subdivision 2.

Referred to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection Finance and Policy.

Senators Pratt, Pappas, Goggin, Champion, and Relph introduced--

S.F. No. 711: A bill for an act relating to education; enhancing education partnerships; promoting youth development; establishing an education partnerships coalition fund; appropriating money; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 124D.

Referred to the Committee on E-12 Policy.

Senators Tomassoni, Bakk, and Simonson introduced--

S.F. No. 712: A bill for an act relating to state lands; authorizing public and private sale of certain tax-forfeited land.

Referred to the Committee on Environment and Natural Resources Policy and Legacy Finance.

Senators Anderson, B.; Ingebrigtsen; Jasinski; and Weber introduced--

S.F. No. 713: A bill for an act relating to agriculture; modifying the definition of farming for agricultural development; amending Minnesota Statutes 2016, section 41C.02, subdivision 10.

Referred to the Committee on Agriculture, Rural Development, and Housing Policy.

Senators Carlson, Dibble, and Kent introduced--

S.F. No. 714: A bill for an act relating to transportation; appropriating money for certain intercity passenger rail projects.

Referred to the Committee on Transportation Finance and Policy.

Senator Clausen introduced--

S.F. No. 715: A bill for an act relating to higher education; providing funding and related policy for the Office of Higher Education, the Minnesota State Colleges and Universities, the University

of Minnesota, and other related programs; appropriating money; amending Minnesota Statutes 2016, sections 136A.101, subdivision 5a; 136A.121, subdivisions 5, 6; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 136A.

Referred to the Committee on Higher Education Finance and Policy.

Senator Rest introduced--

S.F. No. 716: A bill for an act relating to environment; regulating chemicals of high concern in children's products; amending Minnesota Statutes 2016, sections 13.7411, subdivision 8; 116.9401; 116.9402; 116.9403; 116.9405; 116.9406; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 116.

Referred to the Committee on Environment and Natural Resources Policy and Legacy Finance.

Senators Anderson, B.; Ingebrigtsen; and Weber introduced--

S.F. No. 717: A bill for an act relating to environment; requiring certain review of wastewater treatment projects receiving financial assistance; amending Minnesota Statutes 2016, section 116.182, subdivision 1, by adding a subdivision.

Referred to the Committee on Environment and Natural Resources Finance.

Senator Nelson introduced--

S.F. No. 718: A bill for an act relating to education finance; providing funding in early childhood, kindergarten through grade 12, and adult education, including general education, education excellence, special education, facilities and technology, nutrition, libraries, early childhood and family support, community education and prevention, self-sufficiency and lifelong learning, and state agencies; appropriating money; requiring a report; amending Minnesota Statutes 2016, sections 122A.415, subdivision 4; 123B.53, subdivision 4; 124D.151, subdivisions 2, 5, 6; 124D.165, subdivision 2; 124D.83, subdivision 2; 125A.76, subdivisions 1, 2a, 2c; 125A.79, subdivision 5; 126C.10, subdivisions 2, 13a, 37; 127A.45, subdivision 12; repealing Minnesota Statutes 2016, sections 125A.75, subdivision 7; 125A.76, subdivision 2b.

Referred to the Committee on E-12 Finance.

Senator Newton introduced--

S.F. No. 719: A bill for an act relating to veterans affairs; appropriating money for veterans support including support for domestic abuse prevention, mental health services, chemical abuse treatment, veterans homelessness prevention, compensation to honor guards, and veterans courts; providing a veterans nursing home tax credit; amending Minnesota Statutes 2016, section 197.05; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 290.

Referred to the Committee on Veterans and Military Affairs Finance and Policy.

Senators Dahms, Benson, and Abeler introduced--

S.F. No. 720: A bill for an act relating to commerce; authorizing the Minnesota premium security plan as a state-based reinsurance program administered by the Minnesota Comprehensive Health Association; appropriating money; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 62E.

Referred to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection Finance and Policy.

Senators Hall, Ingebrigtsen, and Torres Ray introduced--

S.F. No. 721: A bill for an act relating to criminal justice; appropriating money for job skills training for recently released inmates.

Referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Public Safety Finance and Policy.

Senator Nelson introduced--

S.F. No. 722: A bill for an act relating to education finance; modifying the count of pupil units for purposes of calculating charter school lease aid to include a pupil's time spent in PSEO courses; appropriating money; amending Minnesota Statutes 2016, section 124E.22.

Referred to the Committee on E-12 Finance.

Senators Ingebrigtsen and Tomassoni introduced--

S.F. No. 723: A bill for an act relating to state government; appropriating money for environment and natural resources; modifying fees; creating accounts and providing for disposition of certain receipts; providing for wild ginseng licenses; modifying funding for county water safety; modifying certain game and fish license and permit provisions; requiring rulemaking; amending Minnesota Statutes 2016, sections 84.027, by adding a subdivision; 84.091, subdivisions 2, 3, by adding a subdivision; 84.0911, subdivision 2; 84.093; 84.42; 84.82, subdivision 3; 84.8205, subdivision 1; 84.922, subdivision 5; 84.9275, subdivision 1; 85.052, subdivision 1; 85.055, subdivision 1; 85.22, subdivision 2a; 85.42; 86B.415, subdivisions 1, 1a, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7; 86B.701, subdivision 3; 97A.015, by adding a subdivision; 97A.441, subdivisions 5, 6, 6a, by adding a subdivision; 97A.473, subdivisions 2, 2a, 2b, 4, 5, 5a; 97A.474, subdivision 2; 97A.475, subdivisions 2, 3, 6, 7, 8; 97C.081, subdivision 3; 97C.355, subdivision 2a; 103G.271, subdivisions 6, 6a; 103G.301, subdivisions 2, 3; 296A.18, subdivision 6a; 609B.112; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapters 84; 85; 97A; repealing Minnesota Rules, part 6282.0400, subparts 2, 5.

Referred to the Committee on Environment and Natural Resources Finance.

Senator Johnson introduced--

S.F. No. 724: A bill for an act relating to capital investment; appropriating money for public infrastructure in Thief River Falls; authorizing the issuance of state bonds.

Referred to the Committee on Capital Investment.

Senators Weber; Anderson, B.; Chamberlain; Johnson; and Rosen introduced--

S.F. No. 725: A bill for an act relating to motor vehicles; taxation; modifying a sales tax exemption for certain passenger automobiles; amending Minnesota Statutes 2016, section 297B.025, subdivision 1.

Referred to the Committee on Taxes.

Senators Chamberlain and Rest introduced--

S.F. No. 726: A bill for an act relating to taxation; providing for tax reductions to low- and middle-income families; closing corporate tax loopholes; providing aid to local government units; modifying income, property, tobacco, sales and use, and special taxes and other various tax provisions; appropriating money; amending Minnesota Statutes 2016, sections 16D.08, subdivision 2; 116J.8737, subdivisions 1, 5, 5a, 12; 123B.53, subdivision 4; 128C.24; 270.80, subdivisions 2, 3, 4, by adding subdivisions; 270.81, subdivision 3, by adding a subdivision; 270.82; 270.83, subdivisions 1, 2; 270.84; 270.86; 270.87; 270C.03, subdivision 1; 270C.33, subdivision 6; 270C.722, subdivision 1; 270C.728, by adding a subdivision; 272.02, subdivision 9; 273.1384, subdivision 2; 273.1392; 273.1393; 275.025, subdivisions 1, 4; 275.065, subdivision 3; 275.07, subdivision 2; 275.08, subdivision 1b; 276.04, subdivision 2; 289A.19, subdivision 7; 289A.60, by adding a subdivision; 290.01, subdivision 4a; 290.05, subdivision 1; 290.067, subdivisions 1, 2, 2b, 3; 290.0671, subdivisions 1, as amended, 7; 290.0674, by adding a subdivision; 290.0677, subdivision 1a; 290.068, subdivision 2; 290.17, subdivision 4; 290.191, subdivision 5; 290.21, subdivision 4; 290A.03, subdivision 13; 290B.03, subdivision 1; 290B.04, subdivision 1; 290C.01; 290C.02, subdivisions 1, 3, 6; 290C.03; 290C.04; 290C.05; 290C.055; 290C.07; 290C.08, subdivision 1; 290C.10; 290C.11; 290C.13, subdivision 6; 291.03, subdivision 11; 295.52, subdivision 8; 296A.01, subdivision 12; 296A.08, subdivision 2; 297A.61, subdivisions 3, 54; 297A.67, subdivision 10, by adding a subdivision; 297A.70, subdivisions 1, 4, by adding a subdivision; 297A.71, by adding subdivisions; 297A.75, subdivisions 1, 2, 3; 297A.815, subdivision 3; 297F.01, subdivisions 9a, 10, 14, 17, 19, 20, 21, by adding subdivisions; 297F.03, subdivisions 1, 2, 3, 5, 6, 7, by adding a subdivision; 297F.04, subdivisions 1, 2; 297F.05, subdivision 3, by adding a subdivision; 297F.06, by adding a subdivision; 297F.08, subdivision 8a; 297F.09, subdivisions 2, 7, 10; 297F.12, subdivision 3; 297F.13, subdivisions 2, 4, by adding a subdivision; 297F.15, subdivision 9; 297F.19, by adding a subdivision; 297F.20, subdivisions 5, 6, 7, 9, by adding subdivisions; 297F.21, subdivision 1; 297H.04, subdivision 2; 297I.05, subdivision 7; 298.015; 461.12, subdivision 8; 477A.03, subdivisions 2a, 2b; Laws 2010, chapter 216, section 12, as amended; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapters 103F; 270C; 273; 290; 290C; 297F; 477A; repealing Minnesota Statutes 2016, sections 270.81, subdivision 4; 270.83, subdivision 3; 290.067, subdivision 2a; 290C.02, subdivisions 5, 9; 297A.67, subdivision 33; 297F.185; Laws 2011, First Special Session chapter 9, article 6, section 97, subdivision 6; Minnesota Rules, parts 8106.0100, subparts 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 10, 12, 13, 14, 17, 17a, 18, 19, 20, 21; 8106.0300, subparts 1, 3; 8106.0400; 8106.0500; 8106.0600; 8106.0700; 8106.0800; 8106.9900.

Referred to the Committee on Taxes.

Senators Utke, Hayden, Hoffman, and Abeler introduced--

S.F. No. 727: A bill for an act relating to human services; modifying the disability waiver rate system; amending Minnesota Statutes 2016, section 256B.4914, subdivisions 2, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 14, by adding subdivisions; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 256B.

Referred to the Committee on Human Services Reform Finance and Policy.

Senators Johnson, Rosen, Tomassoni, and Hoffman introduced--

S.F. No. 728: A bill for an act relating to taxation; individual income; providing a temporary refundable credit for residential biomass heating systems; requiring a report.

Referred to the Committee on Taxes.

Senators Tomassoni, Ingebrigtsen, Bakk, Eichorn, and Hoffman introduced--

S.F. No. 729: A bill for an act relating to natural resources; appropriating money for transfer to snowmobile and all-terrain vehicle accounts.

Referred to the Committee on Environment and Natural Resources Finance.

Senators Rosen, Eaton, Abeler, Lourey, and Koran introduced--

S.F. No. 730: A bill for an act relating to health; establishing an opiate stewardship program; appropriating money; requiring a report; amending Minnesota Statutes 2016, sections 151.065, subdivision 3; 151.252, subdivision 1; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 151.

Referred to the Committee on Health and Human Services Finance and Policy.

Senators Franzen and Latz introduced--

S.F. No. 731: A bill for an act relating to public safety; appropriating funds to enhance existing missing persons notification and response systems and develop training; repealing membership fee for Crime Alert Network; repealing Minnesota Statutes 2016, section 299A.61, subdivision 4.

Referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Public Safety Finance and Policy.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS

Senator Clausen moved that the name of Senator Little be added as a co-author to S.F. No. 71. The motion prevailed.

Senator Wiger moved that the name of Senator Ruud be added as a co-author to S.F. No. 205. The motion prevailed.

Senator Housley moved that the name of Senator Nelson be added as a co-author to S.F. No. 252. The motion prevailed.

Senator Frentz moved that the name of Senator Westrom be added as a co-author to S.F. No. 357. The motion prevailed.

Senator Clausen moved that the name of Senator Wiger be added as a co-author to S.F. No. 502. The motion prevailed.

Senator Clausen moved that the name of Senator Wiger be added as a co-author to S.F. No. 505. The motion prevailed.

Senator Clausen moved that the name of Senator Klein be added as a co-author to S.F. No. 589. The motion prevailed.

Senator Carlson moved that the name of Senator Laine be added as a co-author to S.F. No. 607. The motion prevailed.

Senator Ruud moved that S.F. No. 132 be withdrawn from the Committee on State Government Finance and Policy and Elections and re-referred to the Committee on Environment and Natural Resources Policy and Legacy Finance. The motion prevailed.

Senator Bakk moved that S.F. No. 227 be withdrawn from the Committee on Environment and Natural Resources Policy and Legacy Finance and returned to its author. The motion prevailed.

Senator Weber moved that S.F. No. 312 be withdrawn from the Committee on E-12 Policy and re-referred to the Committee on E-12 Finance. The motion prevailed.

Senator Frentz moved that S.F. No. 357 be withdrawn from the Committee on Agriculture, Rural Development, and Housing Finance and re-referred to the Committee on Agriculture, Rural Development, and Housing Policy. The motion prevailed.

Senator Johnson moved that S.F. No. 399 be withdrawn from the Committee on Environment and Natural Resources Finance and re-referred to the Committee on Environment and Natural Resources Policy and Legacy Finance. The motion prevailed.

Senator Senjem moved that S.F. No. 573 be withdrawn from the Committee on Environment and Natural Resources Finance and re-referred to the Committee on Environment and Natural Resources Policy and Legacy Finance. The motion prevailed.

Senators Hawj and Hoffman introduced --

Senate Resolution No. 36: A Senate resolution recognizing and acknowledging Chao Her for his commitment and service to the community.

Referred to the Committee on Rules and Administration.

Senators Hawj and Hoffman introduced --

Senate Resolution No. 37: A Senate resolution recognizing and acknowledging Mei Livanh Yang for her outstanding leadership and service to the community.

Referred to the Committee on Rules and Administration.

Senators Hawj and Hoffman introduced --

Senate Resolution No. 38: A Senate resolution honoring Mai Tong Her for her outstanding leadership and service to the community.

Referred to the Committee on Rules and Administration.

Senator Hawj introduced --

Senate Resolution No. 39: A Senate resolution honoring the birth anniversary of Mahatma Gandhi.

Referred to the Committee on Rules and Administration.

Senator Hawj introduced --

Senate Resolution No. 40: A Senate resolution honoring the United States National Defense Force Support Command.

Referred to the Committee on Rules and Administration.

Senator Hawj introduced --

Senate Resolution No. 41: A Senate resolution recognizing Colonel Alex Phouminh for his service in the Secret War in Laos during the Vietnam War, from 1961 through 1975.

Referred to the Committee on Rules and Administration.

Senator Hawj introduced --

Senate Resolution No. 42: A Senate resolution recognizing Colonel Bounhom Phithaksounthon for his service in the Secret War in Laos during the Vietnam War, from 1961 through 1975.

Referred to the Committee on Rules and Administration.

Senator Hawj introduced --

Senate Resolution No. 43: A Senate resolution recognizing Colonel Kong Kham Thiravong for his service in the Secret War in Laos during the Vietnam War, from 1961 through 1975.

Referred to the Committee on Rules and Administration.

Senators Dibble, Schoen, Eaton, Marty, and Carlson introduced --

Senate Resolution No. 44: A Senate resolution condemning Presidential Executive Order 13769.

Referred to the Committee on Rules and Administration.

Senators Dibble, Dziedzic, Torres Ray, Hayden, and Champion introduced --

Senate Resolution No. 45: A Senate resolution honoring the life of Mary Tyler Moore.

Referred to the Committee on Rules and Administration.

MEMBERS EXCUSED

Senators Cohen, Franzen, Lang, Latz, Little, Newman, and Simonson were excused from the Session of today.

ADJOURNMENT

Senator Gazelka moved that the Senate do now adjourn until 11:00 a.m., Thursday, February 9, 2017. The motion prevailed.

Cal R. Ludeman, Secretary of the Senate