

STATE OF MINNESOTA

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FIFTH SPECIAL SESSION

FIRST DAY

St. Paul, Minnesota, Monday, October 12, 2020

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

**RECESS**

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

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

Prayer was offered by the Chaplain, Pastor Mike Smith.

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

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

First District.....	Mark Johnson
Second District.....	Paul J. Utke
Third District.....	Thomas M. Bakk
Fourth District.....	Kent Eken
Fifth District.....	Justin D. Eichorn
Sixth District.....	David J. Tomassoni
Seventh District.....	Erik Simonson
Eighth District.....	Bill Ingebrigtsen
Ninth District.....	Paul E. Gazelka
Tenth District.....	Carrie Ruud
Eleventh District.....	Jason Rarick
Twelfth District.....	Torrey N. Westrom
Thirteenth District.....	Jeff R. Howe
Fourteenth District.....	Jerry Relph
Fifteenth District.....	Andrew Mathews
Sixteenth District.....	Gary H. Dahms

Seventeenth District.....	Andrew R. Lang
Eighteenth District.....	Scott J. Newman
Nineteenth District.....	Nick A. Frentz
Twentieth District.....	Rich Draheim
Twenty-First District.....	Michael P. Goggin
Twenty-Second District.....	Bill Weber
Twenty-Third District.....	Julie A. Rosen
Twenty-Fourth District.....	John R. Jasinski
Twenty-Fifth District.....	David H. Senjem
Twenty-Sixth District.....	Carla J. Nelson
Twenty-Seventh District.....	Dan Sparks
Twenty-Eighth District.....	Jeremy R. Miller
Twenty-Ninth District.....	Bruce D. Anderson
Thirtieth District.....	Mary Kiffmeyer
Thirty-First District.....	Michelle R. Benson
Thirty-Second District.....	Mark W. Koran
Thirty-Third District.....	David J. Osmek
Thirty-Fourth District.....	Warren Limmer
Thirty-Fifth District.....	Jim Abeler
Thirty-Sixth District.....	John A. Hoffman
Thirty-Seventh District.....	Jerry Newton
Thirty-Eighth District.....	Roger C. Chamberlain
Thirty-Ninth District.....	Karin Housley
Fortieth District.....	Chris A. Eaton
Forty-First District.....	Carolyn Laine
Forty-Second District.....	Jason Isaacson
Forty-Third District.....	Charles W. Wiger
Forty-Fourth District.....	Paul T. Anderson
Forty-Fifth District.....	Ann H. Rest
Forty-Sixth District.....	Ron Latz
Forty-Seventh District.....	Scott M. Jensen
Forty-Eighth District.....	Steve A. Cwodzinski
Forty-Ninth District.....	Melisa Franzen
Fiftieth District.....	Melissa H. Wiklund
Fifty-First District.....	Jim Carlson
Fifty-Second District.....	Matt D. Klein
Fifty-Third District.....	Susan Kent
Fifty-Fourth District.....	Karla Bigham
Fifty-Fifth District.....	Eric R. Pratt

Fifty-Sixth District.....	Dan D. Hall
Fifty-Seventh District.....	Greg D. Clausen
Fifty-Eighth District.....	Matt Little
Fifty-Ninth District.....	Bobby Joe Champion
Sixtieth District.....	Kari Dziejdzic
Sixty-First District.....	D. Scott Dibble
Sixty-Second District.....	Jeff Hayden
Sixty-Third District.....	Patricia Torres Ray
Sixty-Fourth District.....	Richard J. Cohen
Sixty-Fifth District.....	Sandra L. Pappas
Sixty-Sixth District.....	John Marty
Sixty-Seventh District.....	Foung Hawj

The President declared a quorum present.

**STATE OF MINNESOTA  
PROCLAMATION FOR SPECIAL SESSION 2020**

WHEREAS: The Ninety-First Legislature adjourned its regular session on May 17, 2020; and

WHEREAS: I called the Legislature into special sessions in June, July, August, and September 2020, the Legislature adjourned those special sessions, and the Legislature is not currently in session; and

WHEREAS: The COVID-19 pandemic continues to threaten Minnesotans and burden our State's resources; and

WHEREAS: The Minnesota Constitution allows the Governor to call a special session of the Legislature on extraordinary occasions; and

WHEREAS: Minnesota Statutes 2019, section 12.31, subdivision 2(b), provides that, if the Governor determines a need to extend a peacetime emergency beyond 30 days and the Legislature is not sitting in session, the Governor must issue a call immediately convening both houses of the Legislature; and

WHEREAS: An extraordinary occasion, as envisioned by the Minnesota Constitution, has arisen, and it is necessary to extend the COVID-19 Peacetime Emergency originally declared on March 13, 2020.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, TIM WALZ, Governor of Minnesota, by the authority vested in me by Article IV, Section 12 of the Minnesota Constitution and Sections 4.03 and 12.31 of the Minnesota Statutes, summon the members of the Legislature to convene in a Fifth Special Session on Monday, October 12, 2020 at 12:00 p.m. at the State Capitol in Saint Paul, Minnesota.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of Minnesota to be affixed at the State Capitol on Wednesday, October 7, 2020.

Tim Walz, Governor

Steve Simon, Secretary of State

## MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS

### Senators Gazelka and Kent introduced --

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

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

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

The Temporary Rules of the Senate for the 91st Legislature are the Rules for the Special Session, except that Rules 3.6, 5, and 9 are not operative other than as provided in this resolution.

The Committee on Rules and Administration is established in the same manner and with the same powers as in the 91st Legislature.

With respect to Rule 30, Reconsideration, a notice of intention to move for reconsideration is not in order, but a motion to reconsider may be made, and when made has priority over other business except a motion to adjourn.

Senator Benson 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 65 and nays 0, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Abeler	Dibble	Hoffman	Lang	Rest
Anderson, B.	Draheim	Housley	Latz	Rosen
Anderson, P.	Dziedzic	Howe	Limmer	Ruud
Bakk	Eaton	Ingebrigtsen	Little	Senjem
Benson	Eichorn	Isaacson	Marty	Simonson
Bigham	Eken	Jasinski	Mathews	Sparks
Carlson	Franzen	Jensen	Miller	Tomassoni
Chamberlain	Frentz	Johnson	Nelson	Torres Ray
Champion	Gazelka	Kent	Newman	Utke
Clausen	Goggin	Kiffmeyer	Osmek	Weber
Cohen	Hall	Klein	Pappas	Westrom
Cwodzinski	Hawj	Koran	Rarick	Wiger
Dahms	Hayden	Laine	Relph	Wiklund

Pursuant to Rule 40, Senator Jasinski cast the affirmative vote on behalf of the following Senators: Abeler, Gazelka, Hall, Housley, Ingebrigtsen, Johnson, Lang, Limmer, Mathews, Newman, Senjem, and Westrom.

Pursuant to Rule 40, Senator Kent cast the affirmative vote on behalf of the following Senators: Carlson, Clausen, Dziedzic, Eaton, Frenzt, Isaacson, Klein, Laine, Latz, Rest, Sparks, and Wiklund.

The motion prevailed. So the resolution was adopted.

**Senators Gazelka and Kent introduced --**

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

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

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

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

**Senator Gazelka introduced --**

**Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 1:** A Senate concurrent resolution relating to Minnesota's peacetime emergency; terminating the peacetime emergency pursuant to the authority granted under Minnesota Statutes, section 12.31, subdivision 2, paragraph (b).

WHEREAS, Governor Walz signed Executive Order 20-01, a declaration of a peacetime emergency on March 13, 2020; and

WHEREAS, the Executive Council of the State extended that peacetime emergency for up to 30 days, on March 16, 2020; and

WHEREAS, on May 13, 2020, by Executive Order 20-55, Governor Walz extended the peacetime public emergency declared under Executive Order 20-01 and extended in Executive Order 20-35, until June 12, 2020; and

WHEREAS, on June 12, 2020, by Executive Order 20-75, Governor Walz extended the peacetime public emergency declared under Executive Order 20-01 and extended in Executive Orders 20-35 and 20-55 until July 13, 2020; and

WHEREAS, on July 13, 2020, by Executive Order 20-78, Governor Walz extended the peacetime public emergency declared under Executive Order 20-01 and extended in Executive Orders 20-35, 20-55, and 20-75 until August 12, 2020; and

WHEREAS, on August 12, 2020, by Executive Order 20-83, Governor Walz extended the peacetime public emergency declared under Executive Order 20-01 and extended in Executive Orders 20-35, 20-55, 20-75, and 20-78 until September 11, 2020; and

WHEREAS, on September 11, 2020, by Executive Order 20-89, Governor Walz extended the peacetime emergency declared under Executive Order 20-01 and extended under Executive Orders 20-35, 20-55, 20-75, 20-78, and 20-83 until October 12, 2020; NOW, THEREFORE,

BE IT RESOLVED by the Senate of the State of Minnesota, the House of Representatives concurring: that the legislature exercises its authority under Minnesota Statutes, section 12.31, subdivision 2, paragraph (b), terminating the peacetime emergency declared under Executive Order 20-01, and extended under subsequent executive orders, on the day following the adoption of this resolution by the House of Representatives of the State of Minnesota.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Secretary of the Senate is directed to prepare an enrolled copy of this resolution, to be authenticated by his signature and those of the Speaker of the House of Representatives, the Chair of the Senate Rules and Administration Committee, and the Chief Clerk of the House of Representatives, and transmit it to the Governor of the State of Minnesota.

Senator Benson 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 36 and nays 31, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Abeler	Eken	Jensen	Nelson	Senjem
Anderson, B.	Gazelka	Johnson	Newman	Utke
Anderson, P.	Goggin	Kiffmeyer	Osmek	Weber
Benson	Hall	Koran	Pratt	Westrom
Chamberlain	Housley	Lang	Rarick	
Dahms	Howe	Limmer	Relph	
Draheim	Ingebrigtsen	Mathews	Rosen	
Eichorn	Jasinski	Miller	Ruud	

Pursuant to Rule 40, Senator Jasinski cast the affirmative vote on behalf of the following Senators: Abeler, Gazelka, Hall, Housley, Ingebrigtsen, Johnson, Lang, Limmer, Mathews, Newman, and Senjem.

Those who voted in the negative were:

Bakk	Dibble	Hoffman	Marty	Torres Ray
Bigham	Dziedzic	Isaacson	Newton	Wiger
Carlson	Eaton	Kent	Pappas	Wiklund
Champion	Franzen	Klein	Rest	
Clausen	Frentz	Laine	Simonson	
Cohen	Hawj	Latz	Sparks	
Cwudzinski	Hayden	Little	Tomassoni	

Pursuant to Rule 40, Senator Kent cast the negative vote on behalf of the following Senators: Carlson, Clausen, Dziedzic, Eaton, Frentz, Isaacson, Klein, Laine, Latz, Newton, Rest, Sparks, and Wiklund.

The motion prevailed. So the resolution was adopted.

### MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS - CONTINUED

Without objection, remaining on the Order of Business of Motions and Resolutions, the Senate reverted to the Orders of Business of Executive and Official Communications, Messages From the House, and Introduction and First Reading of Senate Bills.

**EXECUTIVE AND OFFICIAL COMMUNICATIONS**

The following communication was received.

October 12, 2020

Cal R. Ludeman  
Secretary of the Senate

Secretary Ludeman,

Pursuant to Rule 8.1, all appointments requiring the advice and consent of the Senate that were referred to committees during the meeting of the 91st Legislature and not finally acted upon by the Senate are returned to the same committees to which they were previously referred. Any appointments returned to a committee not organized pursuant to Senate Resolution No. 1, are instead referred to the Committee on Rules and Administration.

Sincerely,  
Jeremy R. Miller  
President of the Senate

**MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE**

Mr. President:

I have the honor to inform you that the House of Representatives of the State of Minnesota is now duly organized for the 2020 Fifth Special Session pursuant to law.

Patrick D. Murphy, Chief Clerk, House of Representatives

Transmitted October 12, 2020

**INTRODUCTION AND FIRST READING OF SENATE BILLS**

The following bills were read the first time.

**Senators Pratt, Rosen, Nelson, Weber, and Dahms introduced--**

**S.F. No. 1:** A bill for an act relating to economic development; appropriating money for certain small business relief grants.

Senator Benson moved that S.F. No. 1 be laid on the table. The motion prevailed.

**Senators Chamberlain; Ruud; Lang; Anderson, B.; and Howe introduced--**

**S.F. No. 2:** A bill for an act relating to crime; providing guidance to courts on sentencing veterans for criminal offenses related to a service-related disorder; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 609.

Senator Benson moved that S.F. No. 2 be laid on the table. The motion prevailed.

**Senators Benson, Rosen, Nelson, and Marty introduced--**

**S.F. No. 3:** A bill for an act relating to health; extending the coverage date for certain telemedicine services; amending Laws 2020, chapter 70, article 3, section 1.

Senator Benson moved that S.F. No. 3 be laid on the table. The motion prevailed.

**Senators Kiffmeyer, Draheim, Ruud, and Carlson introduced--**

**S.F. No. 4:** A bill for an act relating to state government; permitting video conferencing to satisfy the requirement to appear personally before a notarial officer for certain conveyances.

Senator Benson moved that S.F. No. 4 be laid on the table. The motion prevailed.

**Senators Eichorn and Johnson introduced--**

**S.F. No. 5:** A bill for an act relating to local government; authorizing the Polk County Law Library to transfer money in fiscal reserve to Polk County for technological improvements to county courthouse; permitting addition of unorganized territory in Itasca County to Harris Township, notwithstanding the petition requirement; amending Minnesota Statutes 2018, section 134A.17.

Senator Benson moved that S.F. No. 5 be laid on the table. The motion prevailed.

**Senator Koran introduced--**

**S.F. No. 6:** A bill for an act relating to local government; extending a deadline for the city of North Branch to spend certain federal COVID-19 aid.

Senator Benson moved that S.F. No. 6 be laid on the table. The motion prevailed.

**Senator Limmer introduced--**

**S.F. No. 7:** A bill for an act relating to public safety; appropriating money for corrections and public safety.

Referred to the Committee on Rules and Administration.

**Senators Westrom, Draheim, Weber, Rarick, and Frentz introduced--**

**S.F. No. 8:** A bill for an act relating to telecommunications; establishing a funding program for distance learning equipment; establishing a grant program for telemedicine equipment purchased to deal with COVID-19; requiring reports; appropriating money.

Referred to the Committee on Rules and Administration.



**Senator Benson introduced--**

**S.F. No. 9:** A bill for an act relating to investigation of civil unrest; creating a commission to investigate and determine facts surrounding government responses to the tragic events and civil unrest of May and June 2020; appropriating money.

Referred to the Committee on Rules and Administration.

**Senator Benson introduced--**

**S.F. No. 10:** A bill for an act relating to open meetings; requiring public comments at all open meetings of public bodies, including those conducted by electronic means; amending Minnesota Statutes 2018, sections 13D.015, subdivisions 2, 4; 13D.021, subdivisions 1, 3; 35.0661, subdivision 1; 41A.0235; 41B.026; 116L.03, subdivision 8; 116M.15, subdivision 5; 116U.25; 129C.105; 134.31, subdivision 7; 176.102, subdivision 3c; 248.10; 256.482, subdivision 5b; 256.975, subdivision 2a; 256C.28, subdivision 7; 268A.02, subdivision 3; 326B.32, subdivision 7; 326B.435, subdivision 7; 326B.925, subdivision 7; 462A.041; Minnesota Statutes 2019 Supplement, section 13D.02, subdivision 1, as amended; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 13D.

Referred to the Committee on Rules and Administration.

**Senator Jasinski introduced--**

**S.F. No. 11:** A bill for an act relating to public safety; authorizing motor vehicle registration self-service kiosk pilot program; requiring a report; appropriating money.

Referred to the Committee on Rules and Administration.

**Senator Utke introduced--**

**S.F. No. 12:** A bill for an act relating to economic development; establishing a forgivable loan program for remote recreational businesses; requiring a report; appropriating money.

Referred to the Committee on Rules and Administration.

**Senator Kiffmeyer introduced--**

**S.F. No. 13:** A bill for an act relating to elections; requiring notice for absentee ballot board meetings; requiring notice of public accuracy tests to be given to the secretary of state; amending Minnesota Statutes 2018, sections 203B.121, subdivision 2; 206.83.

Referred to the Committee on Rules and Administration.

**Senator Kiffmeyer introduced--**

**S.F. No. 14:** A bill for an act relating to human services; modifying family and group family child care training requirements; amending Minnesota Statutes 2018, section 245A.50, subdivision 7, as amended.

Referred to the Committee on Rules and Administration.

**Senators Benson and Abeler introduced--**

**S.F. No. 15:** A bill for an act relating to health occupations; creating a psychology interjurisdictional compact; appropriating money; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 148.

Referred to the Committee on Rules and Administration.

**Senator Clausen introduced--**

**S.F. No. 16:** A bill for an act relating to workers' compensation; providing a presumption for education employees.

Referred to the Committee on Rules and Administration.

**Senator Dziejic introduced--**

**S.F. No. 17:** A bill for an act relating to employment; providing emergency paid sick leave to health care employees excluded from the federal Families First Coronavirus Response Act.

Referred to the Committee on Rules and Administration.

**Senator Dibble introduced--**

**S.F. No. 18:** A bill for an act relating to health; modifying electronic monitoring requirements; modifying Board of Executives for Long-Term Service and Supports fees; establishing private enforcement of certain rights; establishing a private cause of action for retaliation in certain long-term care settings; modifying infection control requirements in certain long-term care settings; modifying hospice and assisted living bills of rights; establishing consumer protections for clients receiving assisted living services; prohibiting termination of assisted living services during a peacetime emergency; establishing procedures for transfer of clients receiving certain long-term care services during a peacetime emergency; requiring the commissioner of health to establish a state plan to control SARS-CoV-2 infections in certain long-term care settings; establishing the Long-Term Care COVID-19 Task Force; changing provisions for nursing homes, home care, and assisted living; requiring a report; appropriating money; amending Minnesota Statutes 2018, sections 144.56, by adding subdivisions; 144.652, by adding a subdivision; 144A.04, by adding subdivisions; 144A.751, subdivision 1; 144G.03, by adding subdivisions; Minnesota Statutes 2019 Supplement, sections 144.6502, subdivision 3, by adding a subdivision; 144.6512, by adding subdivisions; 144A.291, subdivision 2; 144A.4798, subdivision 3, by adding subdivisions; 144G.07, by adding subdivisions; 144G.08, subdivisions 7, 9, 23, by adding a subdivision; 144G.09, subdivision 3; 144G.10, subdivision 1, by adding a subdivision; 144G.42, subdivision 9, by adding subdivisions; 144G.45, subdivisions 2, 5; 144G.91, by adding a subdivision; 144G.92, subdivision 5, by adding a subdivision; Laws 2019, chapter 60, article 1, section 46; article 5, section 2; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapters 144A; 144G.

Referred to the Committee on Rules and Administration.

**Senator Dibble introduced--**

**S.F. No. 19:** A bill for an act relating to health care; sunsetting the Drug Formulary Committee; requiring the commissioner of human services to submit to the legislature a proposed reformulation of the Drug Formulary Committee ensuring public input; requiring the medical assistance drug formulary and preferred drug list to include any drug that is FDA approved for the treatment or prevention of HIV/AIDS; requiring a public hearing before a drug may be deleted from the preferred drug list; prohibiting the deletion of a drug from the preferred drug list solely for economic or fiscal reasons; amending Minnesota Statutes 2018, section 256B.0625, subdivisions 13c, 13d, 13g; Minnesota Statutes 2019 Supplement, section 256B.0625, subdivision 13f.

Referred to the Committee on Rules and Administration.

**Senator Marty introduced--**

**S.F. No. 20:** A bill for an act relating to state government; adding an exception to the prohibition on concealing identity; amending Minnesota Statutes 2018, section 609.735.

Referred to the Committee on Rules and Administration.

**Senator Marty introduced--**

**S.F. No. 21:** A bill for an act relating to commerce; regulating the sale of catalytic converters to scrap metal dealers; amending Minnesota Statutes 2018, section 325E.21, subdivision 1, by adding subdivisions.

Referred to the Committee on Rules and Administration.

**Senators Tomassoni and Eichorn introduced--**

**S.F. No. 22:** A bill for an act relating to state government; requiring equitable geographic distribution of state employee layoffs; amending Minnesota Statutes 2018, section 43A.046.

Referred to the Committee on Rules and Administration.

**Senators Tomassoni and Eichorn introduced--**

**S.F. No. 23:** A bill for an act relating to unemployment insurance; authorizing additional unemployment insurance benefits for certain mining employees.

Referred to the Committee on Rules and Administration.

**Senators Eichorn and Tomassoni introduced--**

**S.F. No. 24:** A bill for an act relating to corrections; prohibiting the commissioner of corrections from closing or reducing staffing for the Togo Challenge Incarceration Program; amending Minnesota Statutes 2018, section 244.172, by adding a subdivision.

Referred to the Committee on Rules and Administration.

**Senators Eichorn and Tomassoni introduced--**

**S.F. No. 25:** A bill for an act relating to corrections; extending the sunset of the Itasca County Jail facility.

Referred to the Committee on Rules and Administration.

**Senators Senjem, Nelson, Relph, and Housley introduced--**

**S.F. No. 26:** A bill for an act relating to public finance; authorizing spending to acquire and better public land and buildings and for other improvements of a capital nature with certain conditions; modifying prior appropriations; establishing new programs and modifying existing programs; authorizing the sale and issuance of state bonds; modifying provisions for individual and corporate franchise and other miscellaneous taxes; making other minor policy, technical, and conforming changes; authorizing transfers; appropriating money for the operations of state government; amending Minnesota Statutes 2018, sections 16A.641, by adding a subdivision; 41B.025, by adding a subdivision; 123B.53, subdivisions 1, 4; 126C.63, subdivision 8; 126C.66, subdivision 3; 126C.69, as amended; 126C.71; 134.45, subdivision 5; 137.61; 137.62, subdivision 2, by adding a subdivision; 137.63; 137.64; 272.38, subdivision 1; 273.13, subdivision 25; 290.0131, subdivision 10; 290.0133, subdivision 12; 363A.36, by adding a subdivision; 363A.44, subdivision 1; 462A.37, subdivision 1, by adding a subdivision; Minnesota Statutes 2019 Supplement, sections 16A.968, subdivision 3; 273.13, subdivision 34; 462A.37, subdivisions 2, 5; Laws 2008, chapter 179, section 18, subdivision 3, as amended; Laws 2014, chapter 294, article 1, section 7, subdivision 11, as amended; Laws 2015, First Special Session chapter 5, article 1, sections 10, subdivision 7, as amended; 13; Laws 2017, First Special Session chapter 8, article 1, sections 15, subdivisions 3, as amended, 4; 18, subdivision 3; 20, subdivision 21, as amended; Laws 2018, chapter 214, article 1, sections 2, subdivision 6; 7, subdivision 1; 16, subdivision 19; 21, subdivisions 1, 18, 26, 29; article 3, section 7, subdivision 1, as amended; Laws 2019, First Special Session chapter 11, article 6, section 7, subdivision 2, as amended; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapters 16A; 116J; 240A; repealing Minnesota Statutes 2018, sections 16A.633, subdivision 4; 126C.65, subdivision 2; 126C.68, subdivisions 1, 2, 4; Minnesota Statutes 2019 Supplement, section 126C.68, subdivision 3.

Senator Benson moved that S.F. No. 26 be laid on the table. The motion prevailed.

**Senators Goggin, Weber, Westrom, Frentz, and Lang introduced--**

**S.F. No. 27:** A bill for an act relating to agriculture; modifying the farm loan origination fee grant program; amending Laws 2020, chapter 101, section 5, subdivision 1.

Senator Benson moved that S.F. No. 27 be laid on the table. The motion prevailed.

**MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS - CONTINUED**

Senator Dibble moved that the names of Senators Hayden and Marty be added as co-authors to S.F. No. 19. The motion prevailed.

**Senators Hoffman and Dzedzic introduced --**

**Senate Resolution No. 3:** A Senate resolution expressing support for the Minnesota Oromo Community.

Referred to the Committee on Rules and Administration.

**Senator Dzedzic introduced --**

**Senate Resolution No. 4:** A Senate resolution encouraging President Trump and Congress to support, not abolish, Social Security and Medicare safety net programs.

Referred to the Committee on Rules and Administration.

**Senators Miller, Gazelka, and Kent introduced --**

**Senate Resolution No. 5:** A Senate resolution commending Greg Hubinger for 42 years of service with the State of Minnesota.

Referred to the Committee on Rules and Administration.

**RECESS**

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

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

**MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS - CONTINUED**

Senator Benson moved that S.F. No. 2 be taken from the table. The motion prevailed.

**S.F. No. 2:** A bill for an act relating to crime; providing guidance to courts on sentencing veterans for criminal offenses related to a service-related disorder; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 609.

**SUSPENSION OF RULES**

Senator Benson moved that an urgency be declared within the meaning of Article IV, Section 19, of the Constitution of Minnesota, with respect to S.F. No. 2 and that the rules of the Senate be so far suspended as to give S.F. No. 2 its second and third reading and place it on its final passage.

The question was taken on the adoption of the motion.

The roll was called, and there were yeas 67 and nays 0, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Abeler  
Anderson, B.

Anderson, P.  
Bakk

Benson  
Bigham

Carlson  
Chamberlain

Champion  
Clausen

Cohen	Goggin	Kent	Nelson	Simonson
Cwodzinski	Hall	Kiffmeyer	Newman	Sparks
Dahms	Hawj	Klein	Newton	Tomassoni
Dibble	Hayden	Koran	Osmek	Torres Ray
Draheim	Hoffman	Laine	Pappas	Utke
Dziedzic	Housley	Lang	Pratt	Weber
Eaton	Howe	Latz	Rarick	Westrom
Eichorn	Ingebrigtsen	Limmer	Relph	Wiger
Eken	Isaacson	Little	Rest	Wiklund
Franzen	Jasinski	Marty	Rosen	
Frentz	Jensen	Mathews	Ruud	
Gazelka	Johnson	Miller	Senjem	

Pursuant to Rule 40, Senator Jasinski cast the affirmative vote on behalf of the following Senators: Abeler, Dahms, Gazelka, Hall, Housley, Ingebrigtsen, Johnson, Lang, Limmer, Mathews, Nelson, Newman, Ruud, and Senjem.

Pursuant to Rule 40, Senator Kent cast the affirmative vote on behalf of the following Senators: Carlson, Clausen, Dziedzic, Eaton, Frentz, Isaacson, Klein, Laine, Latz, Newton, Rest, Sparks, and Wiklund.

The motion prevailed.

S.F. No. 2 was read the second time.

S.F. No. 2 was read the third time and placed on its final passage.

The question was taken on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and there were yeas 67 and nays 0, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

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

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Pursuant to Rule 40, Senator Kent cast the affirmative vote on behalf of the following Senators: Carlson, Clausen, Dziedzic, Eaton, Frentz, Isaacson, Klein, Laine, Latz, Newton, Rest, Sparks, and Wiklund.

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

**MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS - CONTINUED**

Senator Benson moved that S.F. No. 27 be taken from the table. The motion prevailed.

**S.F. No. 27:** A bill for an act relating to agriculture; modifying the farm loan origination fee grant program; amending Laws 2020, chapter 101, section 5, subdivision 1.

**SUSPENSION OF RULES**

Senator Benson moved that an urgency be declared within the meaning of Article IV, Section 19, of the Constitution of Minnesota, with respect to S.F. No. 27 and that the rules of the Senate be so far suspended as to give S.F. No. 27 its second and third reading and place it on its final passage.

The question was taken on the adoption of the motion.

The roll was called, and there were yeas 67 and nays 0, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Abeler	Draheim	Howe	Little	Ruud
Anderson, B.	Dziedzic	Ingebrigtsen	Marty	Senjem
Anderson, P.	Eaton	Isaacson	Mathews	Simonson
Bakk	Eichorn	Jasinski	Miller	Sparks
Benson	Eken	Jensen	Nelson	Tomassoni
Bigham	Franzen	Johnson	Newman	Torres Ray
Carlson	Frentz	Kent	Newton	Utke
Chamberlain	Gazelka	Kiffmeyer	Osmek	Weber
Champion	Goggin	Klein	Pappas	Westrom
Clausen	Hall	Koran	Pratt	Wiger
Cohen	Hawj	Laine	Rarick	Wiklund
Cwodzinski	Hayden	Lang	Rolph	
Dahms	Hoffman	Latz	Rest	
Dibble	Housley	Limmer	Rosen	

Pursuant to Rule 40, Senator Jasinski cast the affirmative vote on behalf of the following Senators: Abeler, Dahms, Gazelka, Hall, Housley, Ingebrigtsen, Johnson, Lang, Limmer, Mathews, Nelson, Newman, Ruud, and Senjem.

Pursuant to Rule 40, Senator Kent cast the affirmative vote on behalf of the following Senators: Carlson, Clausen, Dziedzic, Eaton, Frentz, Isaacson, Klein, Laine, Latz, Newton, Rest, Sparks, and Wiklund.

The motion prevailed.

S.F. No. 27 was read the second time.

S.F. No. 27 was read the third time and placed on its final passage.

The question was taken on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and there were yeas 67 and nays 0, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

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

Pursuant to Rule 40, Senator Jasinski cast the affirmative vote on behalf of the following Senators: Abeler, Dahms, Gazelka, Hall, Housley, Ingebrigtsen, Johnson, Lang, Limmer, Mathews, Nelson, Newman, Ruud, and Senjem.

Pursuant to Rule 40, Senator Kent cast the affirmative vote on behalf of the following Senators: Carlson, Clausen, Dziedzic, Eaton, Frentz, Hayden, Isaacson, Klein, Laine, Latz, Newton, Rest, Sparks, and Wiklund.

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

#### MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS - CONTINUED

Senator Benson moved that S.F. No. 6 be taken from the table. The motion prevailed.

**S.F. No. 6:** A bill for an act relating to local government; extending a deadline for the city of North Branch to spend certain federal COVID-19 aid.

#### SUSPENSION OF RULES

Senator Benson moved that an urgency be declared within the meaning of Article IV, Section 19, of the Constitution of Minnesota, with respect to S.F. No. 6 and that the rules of the Senate be so far suspended as to give S.F. No. 6 its second and third reading and place it on its final passage.

The question was taken on the adoption of the motion.

The roll was called, and there were yeas 66 and nays 0, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Abeler	Dziedzic	Ingebrigtsen	Marty	Senjem
Anderson, B.	Eaton	Isaacson	Mathews	Simonson
Anderson, P.	Eichorn	Jasinski	Miller	Sparks
Bakk	Eken	Jensen	Nelson	Tomassoni
Benson	Franzen	Johnson	Newman	Torres Ray
Bigham	Frentz	Kent	Newton	Utke
Chamberlain	Gazelka	Kiffmeyer	Osmek	Weber
Champion	Goggin	Klein	Pappas	Westrom
Clausen	Hall	Koran	Pratt	Wiger
Cohen	Hawj	Laine	Rarick	Wiklund
Cwodzinski	Hayden	Lang	Relph	
Dahms	Hoffman	Latz	Rest	
Dibble	Housley	Limmer	Rosen	
Draheim	Howe	Little	Ruud	



Pursuant to Rule 40, Senator Jasinski cast the affirmative vote on behalf of the following Senators: Abeler, Dahms, Gazelka, Hall, Housley, Howe, Ingebrigtsen, Johnson, Lang, Limmer, Mathews, Nelson, Newman, Ruud, and Senjem.

Pursuant to Rule 40, Senator Kent cast the affirmative vote on behalf of the following Senators: Clausen, Dziedzic, Eaton, Frenz, Hayden, Isaacson, Klein, Laine, Latz, Newton, Rest, Sparks, and Wiklund.

The motion prevailed.

S.F. No. 6 was read the second time.

S.F. No. 6 was read the third time and placed on its final passage.

The question was taken on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and there were yeas 63 and nays 4, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Abeler	Draheim	Howe	Limmer	Rosen
Anderson, B.	Eaton	Ingebrigtsen	Little	Ruud
Anderson, P.	Eichorn	Isaacson	Marty	Senjem
Bakk	Eken	Jasinski	Mathews	Simonson
Benson	Franzen	Jensen	Miller	Sparks
Bigham	Frenz	Johnson	Nelson	Tomassoni
Chamberlain	Gazelka	Kent	Newman	Torres Ray
Champion	Goggin	Kiffmeyer	Newton	Utke
Clausen	Hall	Klein	Osmek	Weber
Cohen	Hawj	Koran	Pappas	Westrom
Cwodzinski	Hayden	Laine	Pratt	Wiger
Dahms	Hoffman	Lang	Rarick	
Dibble	Housley	Latz	Relph	

Pursuant to Rule 40, Senator Jasinski cast the affirmative vote on behalf of the following Senators: Abeler, Dahms, Gazelka, Hall, Housley, Howe, Ingebrigtsen, Johnson, Lang, Limmer, Mathews, Nelson, Newman, Ruud, and Senjem.

Pursuant to Rule 40, Senator Kent cast the affirmative vote on behalf of the following Senators: Clausen, Eaton, Frenz, Hayden, Isaacson, Klein, Laine, Latz, Newton, and Sparks.

Those who voted in the negative were:

Carlson	Dziedzic	Rest	Wiklund
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Pursuant to Rule 40, Senator Kent cast the negative vote on behalf of the following Senators: Carlson, Dziedzic, Rest, and Wiklund.

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

### MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS - CONTINUED

Senator Benson moved that S.F. No. 5 be taken from the table. The motion prevailed.

**S.F. No. 5:** A bill for an act relating to local government; authorizing the Polk County Law Library to transfer money in fiscal reserve to Polk County for technological improvements to county courthouse; permitting addition of unorganized territory in Itasca County to Harris Township, notwithstanding the petition requirement; amending Minnesota Statutes 2018, section 134A.17.

### SUSPENSION OF RULES

Senator Benson moved that an urgency be declared within the meaning of Article IV, Section 19, of the Constitution of Minnesota, with respect to S.F. No. 5 and that the rules of the Senate be so far suspended as to give S.F. No. 5 its second and third reading and place it on its final passage.

The question was taken on the adoption of the motion.

The roll was called, and there were yeas 67 and nays 0, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

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

Pursuant to Rule 40, Senator Jasinski cast the affirmative vote on behalf of the following Senators: Abeler, Dahms, Gazelka, Hall, Housley, Howe, Ingebrigtsen, Johnson, Lang, Limmer, Mathews, Nelson, Newman, Rosen, Ruud, Senjem, Weber, and Westrom.

Pursuant to Rule 40, Senator Kent cast the affirmative vote on behalf of the following Senators: Carlson, Clausen, Dziedzic, Eaton, Frentz, Hayden, Isaacson, Klein, Laine, Latz, Newton, Rest, Sparks, and Wiklund.

The motion prevailed.

S.F. No. 5 was read the second time.

S.F. No. 5 was read the third time and placed on its final passage.

The question was taken on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and there were yeas 51 and nays 16, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Abeler	Bakk	Chamberlain	Cwodzinski	Eichorn
Anderson, B.	Benson	Clausen	Dahms	Eken
Anderson, P.	Bigham	Cohen	Draheim	Franzen

Frentz	Jasinski	Limmer	Rarick	Utke
Gazelka	Jensen	Little	Relph	Weber
Goggin	Johnson	Mathews	Rosen	Westrom
Hall	Kent	Miller	Ruud	Wiklund
Hoffman	Kiffmeyer	Nelson	Senjem	
Housley	Klein	Newman	Simonson	
Howe	Koran	Osmeck	Sparks	
Ingebrigtsen	Lang	Pratt	Tomassoni	

Pursuant to Rule 40, Senator Jasinski cast the affirmative vote on behalf of the following Senators: Abeler, Dahms, Gazelka, Hall, Housley, Howe, Ingebrigtsen, Johnson, Lang, Limmer, Mathews, Nelson, Newman, Rosen, Ruud, Senjem, Weber, and Westrom.

Pursuant to Rule 40, Senator Kent cast the affirmative vote on behalf of the following Senators: Clausen, Frentz, Klein, Sparks, and Wiklund.

Those who voted in the negative were:

Carlson	Eaton	Laine	Pappas
Champion	Hawj	Latz	Rest
Dibble	Hayden	Marty	Torres Ray
Dziedzic	Isaacson	Newton	Wiger

Pursuant to Rule 40, Senator Kent cast the negative vote on behalf of the following Senators: Carlson, Champion, Dziedzic, Eaton, Hayden, Isaacson, Laine, Latz, Newton, and Rest.

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

#### **MEMBERS EXCUSED**

Senators Newton and Pratt were excused from the Session of today from 2:20 to 2:30 p.m. Senator Carlson was excused from the Session of today from 4:00 to 4:20 p.m.

#### **ADJOURNMENT**

Senator Benson moved that the Senate do now adjourn until 11:00 a.m., Thursday, October 15, 2020. The motion prevailed.

Cal R. Ludeman, Secretary of the Senate

