

SIXTY-FOURTH DAY

St. Paul, Minnesota, Monday, February 26, 1990

The Senate met at 2:00 p.m. and was called to order by the President.

CALL OF THE SENATE

Mr. Beckman 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. David Kiel.

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:

Adkins	Davis	Johnson, D.E.	McQuaid	Pogemiller
Anderson	Decker	Johnson, D.J.	Mehrkens	Purfeerst
Beckman	DeCramer	Knaak	Merriam	Ramstad
Belanger	Dicklich	Knutson	Metzen	Reichgott
Benson	Diessner	Kroening	Moe, D.M.	Renneke
Berg	Flynn	Laidig	Moe, R.D.	Samuelson
Berglin	Frank	Langseth	Morse	Schmitz
Bernhagen	Frederick	Lantry	Novak	Solon
Brandl	Frederickson, D.J.	Larson	Pariseau	Spear
Brataas	Frederickson, D.R.	Lessard	Pehler	Storm
Chmielewski	Freeman	Luther	Peterson, R.W.	Stumpf
Cohen	Gustafson	Marty	Piepho	Vickerman
Dahl	Hughes	McGowan	Piper	Waldorf

The President declared a quorum present.

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

MEMBERS EXCUSED

Mr. Bertram and Ms. Olson were excused from the Session of today.

EXECUTIVE AND OFFICIAL COMMUNICATIONS

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

July 7, 1989

The Honorable Jerome M. Hughes
President of the Senate

Dear Sir:

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

Elliott Perovich, 863 River Ln., Anoka, Anoka County, has been appointed by me, effective August 1, 1989, for a term expiring the first Monday in January, 1991.

(Referred to the Committee on Transportation.)

February 14, 1990

The Honorable Jerome M. Hughes
President of the Senate

Dear Sir:

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

Doris Caranicas, 2425 E. Franklin Ave., Minneapolis, Hennepin County, has been appointed by me, effective August 9, 1989, for a term expiring the first Monday in January, 1993.

Terrance O'Toole, 1009 Summit Ave., St. Paul, Ramsey County, has been appointed by me, effective August 9, 1989, for a term expiring the first Monday in January, 1993.

(Referred to the Committee on Transportation.)

Sincerely,
Rudy Perpich, Governor

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

Mr. Moe, R.D. moved that the Committee Reports at the Desk be now adopted, with the exception of reports pertaining to appointments. The motion prevailed.

Mr. Schmitz from the Committee on Local and Urban Government, to which was referred

S.F. No. 1739: A bill for an act relating to metropolitan government; clarifying provisions for compensation; amending Minnesota Statutes 1988, sections 473.123, subdivision 5; and 473.141, subdivision 7; Minnesota Statutes 1989 Supplement, sections 473.605, subdivision 2; and 473.704, subdivision 6.

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

Mr. Schmitz from the Committee on Local and Urban Government, to which was referred

S.F. No. 1777: A bill for an act relating to Ramsey county; setting the terms of charter commission members; amending Minnesota Statutes 1988, section 383A.553, subdivision 1.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass. Report adopted.

Ms. Berglin from the Committee on Health and Human Services, to which was referred

S.F. No. 576: A bill for an act relating to human services; providing that medical certification for general assistance benefits may be made by a licensed chiropractor; amending Minnesota Statutes 1988, section 256D.02, by adding a subdivision.

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

Delete everything after the enacting clause and insert:

"Section 1. Minnesota Statutes 1988, section 256D.02, is amended by adding a subdivision to read:

Subd. 17. [MEDICALLY CERTIFIED OR MEDICAL CERTIFICATION.] "Medical certification" means:

(1) a statement about a person's illness, injury, or incapacity that is signed by a licensed physician, licensed consulting psychologist, or licensed psychologist, whose professional training and experience qualifies him or her to diagnose and certify the person's condition; or

(2) a statement about an incapacity involving a spinal subluxation condition that is signed by a licensed chiropractor whose professional training and experience qualifies him or her to diagnose and certify the condition."

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

Ms. Berglin from the Committee on Health and Human Services, to which was referred

S.F. No. 1789: A bill for an act relating to health; defining the term practitioner for the purpose of dispensing medicines and drugs; prohibiting the dispensing of legend drugs for profit by anyone other than a pharmacist; amending Minnesota Statutes 1988, section 151.37, subdivision 2.

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

Page 1, delete lines 18 to 25 and insert:

"(b) A licensed practitioner that dispenses for profit a legend drug that is to be administered orally and is not a vaccine must file with the board a statement indicating that the practitioner dispenses legend drugs for profit, the general circumstances under which the practitioner dispenses for profit, and the types of legend drugs generally dispensed. It is unlawful to dispense legend drugs for profit after July 31, 1990, unless the statement has been filed with the board. For purposes of this paragraph, "profit" means any amount received by the practitioner in excess of the acquisition cost and dispensing of a legend drug. This paragraph does not apply to a licensed doctor of veterinary medicine or a registered pharmacist."

And when so amended the bill do pass. Amendments adopted. Report adopted.

Ms. Berglin from the Committee on Health and Human Services, to which was referred

S.F. No. 1813: A bill for an act relating to human services; amending the Medicare certification requirement for nursing homes; amending Minnesota Statutes 1989 Supplement, section 256B.48, subdivision 6.

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

Delete everything after the enacting clause and insert:

"Section 1. Minnesota Statutes 1989 Supplement, section 256B.48, subdivision 6, is amended to read:

Subd. 6. [MEDICARE CERTIFICATION.] (a) [DEFINITION.] For purposes of this subdivision, "nursing facility" means a nursing home that is certified as a skilled nursing facility or, after September 30, 1990, a nursing home licensed under chapter 144A that is certified as a nursing facility.

(b) ~~[FULL MEDICARE PARTICIPATION REQUIRED.]~~ All nursing facilities shall ~~fully~~ participate in Medicare part A and part B unless, after submitting an application, Medicare certification is denied by the federal health care financing administration. Medicare review shall be conducted at the time of the annual medical assistance review. Charges for Medicare-covered services provided to residents who are simultaneously eligible for medical assistance and Medicare must be billed to Medicare part A or part B before billing medical assistance. Medical assistance may be billed only for charges not reimbursed by Medicare.

(c) [UNTIL SEPTEMBER 30, 1990.] Until September 30, 1990, a nursing facility satisfies the requirements of paragraph (b) if: (1) at least 50 percent of the facility's beds that are licensed under section 144A and certified as skilled nursing beds under the medical assistance program are Medicare certified; or (2) if a nursing facility's beds are licensed under section 144A, and some are medical assistance certified as skilled nursing beds and others are Medical assistance certified as intermediate care facility I beds, at least 50 percent of the facility's total skilled nursing beds and intermediate care facility I beds or 100 percent of its skilled nursing beds, whichever is less, are Medicare certified.

(d) ~~[OCTOBER 1, 1990, TO JUNE 30, 1991 AFTER SEPTEMBER 30, 1990.]~~ After September 30, 1990, ~~and until June 30, 1991,~~ a nursing facility satisfies the requirements of paragraph (b) if at least 50 percent of the facility's beds certified as nursing facility beds under the medical assistance program are Medicare certified.

(e) ~~[AFTER JUNE 30, 1991.]~~ After June 30, 1991, a nursing facility satisfies the requirements of paragraph (b) if 100 percent of the facility's beds that are certified as nursing facility beds under the medical assistance program are Medicare certified.

(f) [PROHIBITED TRANSFERS.] A resident in a skilled nursing bed or, after September 30, 1990, a resident in any nursing facility bed, who is eligible for medical assistance and who becomes eligible for Medicare has the right to refuse an intrafacility skilled nursing bed transfer if the commissioner approves the exception request based on written documentation submitted by a physician that the transfer would create or contribute to a health problem for the resident. A resident who is occupying a skilled nursing bed or, after September 30, 1990, a nursing facility bed certified

by the medical assistance and Medicare programs; has the right to refuse a transfer if the resident's bed is needed for a Medicare-eligible patient or private-pay patient and if the commissioner approves the exception based on written documentation submitted by a physician that the transfer would create or contribute to a health problem for the resident. [CONFLICT WITH MEDICARE DISTINCT PART REQUIREMENTS.] *At the request of a facility, the commissioner of human services may reduce the 50 percent Medicare participation requirement in paragraphs (c) and (d) to no less than 20 percent if the commissioner of health determines that, due to the facility's physical plant configuration, the facility cannot satisfy Medicare distinct part requirements at the 50 percent certification level. To receive a reduction in the participation requirement, a facility must demonstrate that the reduction will not adversely affect access of Medicare-eligible residents to Medicare-certified beds.*

~~(g)~~ (f) [INSTITUTIONS FOR MENTAL DISEASE.] The commissioner may grant exceptions to the requirements of paragraph (b) for nursing facilities that are designated as institutions for mental disease.

~~(h)~~ (g) [NOTICE OF RIGHTS.] The commissioner shall inform recipients of their rights under this subdivision and section 144.651, subdivision 29."

And when so amended the bill do pass. Amendments adopted. Report adopted.

Ms. Berglin from the Committee on Health and Human Services, to which was referred

S.F. No. 1758: A bill for an act relating to health; requiring the licensing of wholesale drug distributors; providing penalties; appropriating money; amending Minnesota Statutes 1988, sections 151.06, subdivision 1; and 151.25; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 151.

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

Page 4, line 17, delete "(d)" and insert "(f)"

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

Ms. Berglin from the Committee on Health and Human Services, to which was referred

S.F. No. 1728: A bill for an act relating to human services; clarifying the distribution of state aids under the community social services act; amending Minnesota Statutes 1988, section 256E.06, subdivisions 2 and 7.

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

Page 2, after line 6, insert:

"(d) For the purpose of calculating the 1991 community social services act allocation, the 1990 allocation must be increased by the following amounts: \$46,487 for Crow Wing county, \$21,995 for Fillmore county, \$5,368 for Hubbard county, \$24,225 for Lac Qui Parle county, and \$4,444 for Red Lake county."

Page 2, line 21, after the period, insert "*This provision applies to penalties imposed for the year 1989 and all subsequent years.*"

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

Mr. Frank from the Committee on Economic Development and Housing, to which was referred

S.F. No. 1950: A bill for an act relating to housing; establishing a local government housing account that may be used for transitional housing, public housing modernization and rehabilitation, and subsidized rental housing preservation; establishing a council on homelessness; providing for a housing and redevelopment authority property service charge in lieu of property taxes; appropriating nonrefundable bond allocation deposits to the housing trust fund account; appropriating money; amending Minnesota Statutes 1988, sections 462A.201, subdivision 2; 469.040, by adding a subdivision; and 474A.21; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 462A.

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

Page 1, line 28, strike "at the time the"

Page 1, line 29, strike everything before "30" and insert "*does not exceed*"

Page 2, line 23, after "*nonprofit*" insert "*or for profit*"

Page 2, line 29, after "*units*" insert "*from funds specifically appropriated by the legislature for that purpose*"

Page 3, line 1, after "*nonprofit*" insert "*or for profit*"

Pages 3 and 4, delete sections 3 and 4 and insert:

"Sec. 3. [462A.29] [INTERAGENCY COORDINATION ON HOMELESSNESS.]

The agency shall coordinate services and activities of all state agencies relating to homelessness. The agency shall coordinate an investigation and review of the current system of service delivery to the homeless. The agency may request assistance from other agencies of state government as needed for the execution of the responsibilities under this section and the other agencies shall furnish the assistance upon request."

Page 4, line 20, after "*authority*" insert "*sells or*"

Page 4, line 31, after "*corporation*" insert "*or limited dividend entity*"

Renumber the sections in sequence

Amend the title as follows:

Page 1, line 6, delete "establishing a council" and insert "requiring state interagency coordination"

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

Mrs. Lantry from the Committee on General Legislation and Public Gaming, to which was referred

S.F. No. 1853: A bill for an act relating to lawful gambling; expanding definition of contraband; extending deadline for inventory of seized contraband; authorizing seizing authorities to use proceeds from forfeited contraband; prohibiting possession or sale of unregistered video pull-tab devices; prohibiting altered or counterfeit gambling equipment and possession thereof; prohibiting organizations from accepting checks for gambling equipment or chances; requiring posting of penalties for receiving cash on video games of chance; subjecting illegally used gambling equipment to forfeiture; providing penalties; amending Minnesota Statutes 1988, sections 349.2125, subdivision 4; 349.2127, by adding a subdivision; and 609.762, subdivision 1; Minnesota Statutes 1989 Supplement, sections 349.2125, subdivisions 1 and 3; 349.2127, subdivision 2; 349.22, subdivisions 1 and 3; 349.501, subdivision 1; 349.502, subdivision 1; and 609.76, subdivision 1.

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

Mr. Purfeerst from the Committee on Transportation, to which was referred

S.F. No. 447: A bill for an act relating to transportation; authorizing special permits for 110-foot combinations of four vehicles to operate, with restrictions, on interstate highways; setting permit fees; providing for designation of interchanges, streets, highways, and rest areas; requiring a study and report to the legislature; appropriating money; amending Minnesota Statutes 1988, sections 169.81, subdivision 2; and 169.86, subdivision 5; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 169.

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

Delete everything after the enacting clause and insert:

“Section 1. Minnesota Statutes 1989 Supplement, section 169.81, subdivision 2, is amended to read:

Subd. 2. [LENGTH OF VEHICLES.] (a) No single unit motor vehicle, except mobile cranes which may not exceed 48 feet, unladen or with load may exceed a length of 40 feet extreme overall dimensions inclusive of front and rear bumpers, except that the governing body of a city is authorized by permit to provide for the maximum length of a motor vehicle, or combination of motor vehicles, or the number of vehicles that may be fastened together, and which may be operated upon the streets or highways of a city; provided, that the permit may not prescribe a length less than that permitted by state law. A motor vehicle operated in compliance with the permit on the streets or highways of the city is not in violation of this chapter.

(b) No single semitrailer may have an overall length, exclusive of non-cargo-carrying accessory equipment, including refrigeration units or air compressors, necessary for safe and efficient operation mounted or located on the end of the semitrailer adjacent to the truck or truck-tractor, in excess of 48 feet, except that a single semitrailer may have an overall length in excess of 48 feet but not greater than 53 feet if the distance from the kingpin to the centerline of the rear axle group of the semitrailer does not exceed 41 feet. No single trailer may have an overall length inclusive of tow bar

assembly and exclusive of rear protective bumpers which do not increase the overall length by more than six inches, in excess of 45 feet. For determining compliance with the provisions of this subdivision, the length of the semitrailer or trailer must be determined separately from the overall length of the combination of vehicles.

(c) No semitrailer or trailer used in a three-vehicle *or four-vehicle* combination may have an overall length, exclusive of non-cargo-carrying accessory equipment, including refrigeration units or air compressors, necessary for safe and efficient operation mounted or located on the end of the semitrailer or trailer adjacent to the truck or truck-tractor, and further exclusive of the tow bar assembly, in excess of 28-1/2 feet. The commissioner may not grant a permit authorizing the movement, in a three-vehicle *or four-vehicle* combination, of a semitrailer or trailer that exceeds 28-1/2 feet, except that the commissioner may renew a permit that was granted before April 16, 1984, for the movement of a semitrailer or trailer that exceeds the length limitation in this paragraph.

Sec. 2. Minnesota Statutes 1989 Supplement, section 169.86, subdivision 5, is amended to read:

Subd. 5. [FEES.] The commissioner, with respect to highways under the commissioner's jurisdiction, may charge a fee for each permit issued. All such fees for permits issued by the commissioner of transportation shall be deposited in the state treasury and credited to the trunk highway fund. Except for those annual permits for which the permit fees are specified elsewhere in this chapter, the fees shall be:

(a) \$15 for each single trip permit.

(b) \$36 for each job permit. A job permit may be issued for like loads carried on a specific route for a period not to exceed two months. "Like loads" means loads of the same product, weight, and dimension.

(c) \$60 for an annual permit to be issued for a period not to exceed 12 consecutive months. Annual permits may be issued for:

(1) refuse compactor vehicles that carry a gross weight up to but not in excess of 22,000 pounds on a single rear axle and not in excess of 38,000 pounds on a tandem rear axle;

(2) motor vehicles used to alleviate a temporary crisis adversely affecting the safety or well-being of the public;

(3) motor vehicles which travel on interstate highways and carry loads authorized under subdivision 1a;

(4) motor vehicles operating with gross weights authorized under section 169.825, subdivision 11, paragraph (a), clause (3); and

(5) special pulpwood vehicles described in section 169.863.

(d) \$120 for an oversize annual permit to be issued for a period not to exceed 12 consecutive months. Annual permits may be issued for:

(1) mobile cranes;

(2) construction equipment, machinery, and supplies;

(3) manufactured homes;

(4) farm equipment when the movement is not made according to the provisions of section 169.80, subdivision 1, paragraphs (a) to (f);

(5) double-deck buses;

(6) commercial boat hauling.

(e) For vehicles which have axle weights exceeding the weight limitations of section 169.825, an additional cost added to the fees listed above. The additional cost is equal to the product of the distance traveled times the sum of the overweight axle group cost factors shown in the following chart:

Overweight Axle Group Cost Factors

Weight (pounds) exceeding weight limi- tations on axles	Cost Per Mile For Each Group Of:		
	Two consec- utive axles spaced within 8 feet or less	Three consec- utive axles spaced within 9 feet or less	Four consec- utive axles spaced with- in 14 feet or less
0-2,000	.100	.040	.036
2,001-4,000	.124	.050	.044
4,001-6,000	.150	.062	.050
6,001-8,000	Not permitted	.078	.056
8,001-10,000	Not permitted	.094	.070
10,001-12,000	Not permitted	.116	.078
12,001-14,000	Not permitted	.140	.094
14,001-16,000	Not permitted	.168	.106
16,001-18,000	Not permitted	.200	.128
18,001-20,000	Not permitted	Not permitted	.140
20,001-22,000	Not permitted	Not permitted	.168

The amounts added are rounded to the nearest cent for each axle or axle group. The additional cost does not apply to paragraph (c), clauses (1) and (3).

(f) As an alternative to paragraph (e), an annual permit may be issued for overweight, or oversize and overweight, construction equipment, machinery, and supplies. The fees for the permit are as follows:

Gross Weight (pounds) of vehicle	Annual Permit Fee
90,000 or less	\$200
90,001 - 100,000	\$300
100,001 - 110,000	\$400
110,001 - 120,000	\$500
120,001 - 130,000	\$600
130,001 - 140,000	\$700
140,001 - 145,000	\$800

If the gross weight of the vehicle is more than 145,000 pounds the permit fee is determined under paragraph (e).

(g) For vehicles which exceed the width limitations set forth in section 169.80 by more than 72 inches, an additional cost equal to \$120 added to the amount in paragraph (a) when the permit is issued while seasonal load restrictions pursuant to section 169.87 are in effect.

(h) For a four-vehicle combination granted a special permit under section 3, the fee for each one-way trip permit limited to 300 miles is \$10, and the fee for each 24-hour permit is \$15.

The commissioner shall adjust these fees by adding up to \$10 per permit if the permit fees have not raised \$115,000 by the end of fiscal year 1991.

Sec. 3. [169.864] [FOUR-VEHICLE COMBINATION DEMONSTRATION PROGRAM.]

Subdivision 1. [PERMITS.] The commissioner may establish a four-vehicle combination demonstration program under which the commissioner may issue a special permit for a four-vehicle combination consisting of a truck and three semitrailers. A special permit issued under this section is not valid after August 31, 1993. The commissioner shall immediately revoke the trip permit if the driver or motor carrier violates this section, section 4 or 5, or a permit condition. In addition, the driver is subject to prosecution under section 169.89. Before granting a special permit, the commissioner shall certify the motor carrier under subdivision 2. A motor carrier certified to operate four-vehicle combinations must provide to the commissioner reports and data on accidents, operational costs, safety inspections, equipment, maintenance, and any other item as required by the commissioner. The commissioner may not take any action under this section that would result in a loss of federal highway money to the state.

Subd. 2. [CERTIFICATION OF CARRIERS AND REVOCATION OF CERTIFICATION.] (a) The commissioner may certify a motor carrier for participation under this section only if:

(1) the commissioner determines that the carrier has an established and aggressive safety program, including a documented driver training and certification program that conforms to state and federal driver licensing laws;

(2) the commissioner determines that the carrier has access to adequate terminals or other staging areas; and

(3) the commissioner has considered the motor carrier's qualifications including its: (i) maintenance program, (ii) safety history, with emphasis on experience with and safe operation of three-vehicle combinations, and (iii) record of satisfactory compliance with other traffic and operational laws and rules, such as driver qualification requirements.

(b) The commissioner may suspend a carrier's certification, without notice, for reasonable cause. The commissioner shall provide an opportunity for an informal hearing within ten days after the suspension. The suspension and hearing are not governed by chapter 14. The commissioner shall consider the frequency, nature, and severity of violations by a carrier in imposing progressive suspensions of the carrier's certification. The commissioner may revoke a carrier's certification under guidelines adopted by the commissioner.

Subd. 3. [DESIGNATED FACILITIES.] (a) An applicant for a permit or a permit holder may request the commissioner to designate an interstate highway, access route, interchange, rest area, or entry and exit points for use by permitted vehicles. The commissioner may not designate a facility unless the commissioner finds that the facility meets conditions necessary to safely accommodate the permitted combinations. For purposes of this section, an "entry point" does not include any area that is not under the jurisdiction of a road authority.

(b) If the designated facility is under the jurisdiction of a local road authority, the designation is not effective until it is approved by a resolution of the governing body of the local authority and the local authority has forwarded to the commissioner the resolution of approval.

Subd. 4. [GUIDELINES.] The commissioner shall adopt guidelines to govern company and driver qualifications, equipment, weather conditions, holiday and construction zone restrictions, routing, suspension and revocation of permits and carriers' certification authority and other factors assuring safe operation. Adoption of the guidelines is exempt from chapter 14, including section 14.38, subdivisions 5 to 9. The commissioner shall distribute the guidelines to all interested parties.

Subd. 5. [PERMIT RESTRICTIONS.] (a) The permitted combination may travel only on interstate highways and facilities designated under subdivision 2, except as provided in this subdivision.

(b) The combination may also travel up to ten miles on a highway that crosses an interstate highway to a terminal or staging area that is owned or leased by the permitted carrier, or up to one mile on a designated highway to a truck stop approved by the commissioner and local road authority. The combination may enter and exit from an interstate highway or rest area only at entry and exit points designated by the commissioner under subdivision 2.

(c) When traveling on an interstate highway, the combination must travel in the right-hand lane, except to pass another vehicle, to avoid an obstruction, to allow for merging traffic, or to make an exit on the left.

Subd. 6. [RESTRICTIONS IN METROPOLITAN AREA.] (a) Between the hours of 5:30 a.m. and 10:00 p.m., a permitted combination may not travel:

(1) within that part of the seven-county metropolitan area that is bounded by and includes the connecting rights-of-way of marked interstate highways 494 and 694 and the segment of marked interstate highway 94 that connects interstate highways 494 and 694 in the cities of Brooklyn Center and Maple Grove;

(2) on marked interstate highway 35W between the 95th Avenue NE exit in the city of Blaine and the restricted area described in clause (1);

(3) on marked interstate highway 35W between the marked interstate highway 35E junction in the city of Burnsville and the restricted area described in clause (1); or

(4) on that portion of marked interstate highway 35 east of 27th Avenue West in Duluth.

(b) When traveling within the areas restricted by this subdivision, the combination may travel only on interstate highways that are designated access routes and at times specified by the commissioner.

Subd. 7. [HAZARDOUS MATERIALS.] A permitted combination may not transport:

(1) class A and B explosives as defined in Code of Federal Regulations, title 49, sections 173.53 and 173.88;

(2) radioactive materials as defined in Code of Federal Regulations, title 49, section 173.403, paragraphs (h), (i), (j), and (l); or

(3) bulk quantities of hazardous materials as defined in Code of Federal Regulations, title 49, section 171.8, including gasoline, special fuel, fuel oil, and heating oil.

Subd. 8. [LENGTH AND WEIGHT RESTRICTIONS.] A permitted combination may not exceed an overall length of 110 feet. A permitted combination may not exceed the weight restrictions of section 169.825, except that the total gross weight may be up to 105,500 pounds, subject to the special conditions of the permit.

Subd. 9. [COMMISSIONER MAY END PROGRAM.] Until August 31, 1993, the commissioner may suspend operation of the four-vehicle program for good cause. The commissioner shall give advance notice of suspending the program to all participating carriers. Participating carriers have the right to respond to the proposed suspension in writing or in an informal hearing with the commissioner. The hearing is not governed by chapter 14.

Sec. 4. [169.865] [FOUR-VEHICLE COMBINATIONS; SAFETY REQUIREMENTS.]

Subdivision 1. [UNSAFE CONDITIONS.] (a) The commissioner may suspend or restrict operation of the four-vehicle combinations due to weather conditions, construction, or holiday traffic.

(b) A motor carrier may not dispatch a four-vehicle combination during hazardous conditions. A driver who encounters a condition that the driver determines is dangerous shall proceed to the nearest exit or turnout. Hazardous conditions means conditions caused by snow, ice, sleet, fog, mist, rain, dust, or smoke that adversely affect visibility or traction. Dangerous conditions means hazardous conditions and also includes an equipment problem that makes it difficult to safely operate the combination.

(c) The state patrol and other law enforcement agencies have authority to order four-vehicle combinations to cease operations immediately due to unsafe conditions and to resume operation only when the unsafe conditions no longer exist.

Subd. 2. [DRIVERS.] A motor carrier may not allow a person to drive a four-vehicle combination unless the driver:

- (1) is experienced in driving truck-trailer combinations;*
- (2) has a good driving record;*
- (3) fully complies with all driver's requirements under applicable state and federal law;*
- (4) has documented special training in the operation of a four-vehicle combination before operating a combination on a highway; and*
- (5) is supervised and controlled by the motor carrier holding the special permit.*

Subd. 3. [SPEED.] The maximum speed for a four-vehicle combination under a special permit is the posted speed limit.

Subd. 4. [STABILITY.] All four-vehicle combinations must be stable at all times during normal braking and normal operation. A four-vehicle combination when traveling on a level, smooth, paved surface must follow in the path of the towing vehicle without shifting or swerving more than three inches to either side when the towing vehicle is moving in a straight line.

Subd. 5. [LOAD SEQUENCE.] A trailer or semitrailer may not be placed ahead of another trailer or semitrailer that carries a load 5,000 or more

pounds heavier. An empty trailer or semitrailer must not precede a loaded trailer or semitrailer.

Subd. 6. [ACCIDENT REPORTS.] Accidents involving a permitted four-vehicle combination resulting in death, injury, or \$4,500 in property damage must be reported to the state patrol immediately. This report is in addition to other required reports. Other accidents must be reported under section 169.09.

Subd. 7. [PENALTIES.] A motor carrier's failure to comply with this section is grounds for suspension or revocation of the motor carrier's certification.

Sec. 5. [169.866] [FOUR-VEHICLE COMBINATION EQUIPMENT REQUIREMENTS.]

Subdivision 1. [POWER.] A permitted combination must be powered to provide adequate acceleration ability and hill climbing ability under normal operating conditions, and to operate on level grades at speeds compatible with other traffic. The combination must be able to maintain a minimum speed of 40 miles per hour under normal operating conditions on any grade over which the combination is operated.

Subd. 2. [TRACTION.] A permitted combination must have adequate traction to maintain a minimum speed of 40 miles per hour under normal operating conditions on any grade over which the combination is operated and to be able to resume a speed of 40 miles per hour after stopping on any grade and, except in extreme road or weather conditions, to negotiate at an appropriate speed all grades encountered.

Subd. 3. [TIRES.] Each individual single and tandem axle must have tires of the same size and construction, whether radial or non-radial. Tires must be properly inflated for the load being carried.

Subd. 4. [FIFTH WHEEL.] A heavy duty fifth wheel is required. All fifth wheels must be clean and lubricated with a light duty grease.

Subd. 5. [PICK-UP PLATES.] Pick-up plates must be of strength equal to the fifth wheel.

Subd. 6. [KING PIN.] The king pin must be of a solid type and permanently fastened. Screw-out or folding-type king pins are prohibited.

Subd. 7. [PINTLE HOOK AND EYE.] All hitch connections must be of a no-slack type, preferably an air-actuated ram. If air-actuated hitches are used, they must be isolated from the primary air transmission system.

Subd. 8. [DRAWBAR.] The drawbar length must be consistent with both proper weight distribution and the clearances required between trailers for turning and backing maneuvers.

Subd. 9. [BRAKES.] All braking systems must comply with state and federal requirements. In addition, fast air transmission and release valves must be provided for all trailers, semitrailers, and converter dollies.

Subd. 10. [MUD FLAPS.] Anti-sail type mud flaps or splash guards are required.

Subd. 11. [COMBINATIONS MUST COMPLY.] A motor carrier may not dispatch a four-vehicle combination that violates this section.

Sec. 6. [STUDY REQUIRED.]

The commissioner of transportation shall conduct a study of the four-vehicle combinations permitted under section 3. The study must include, but need not be limited to:

- (1) the revenue impact of permitting the four-vehicle combinations;*
- (2) the need for and cost of modifications to rest areas, interchanges, intersecting highways, and entry and exit points;*
- (3) the economic benefits to industry and the state economy;*
- (4) the accident experience of the four-vehicle combinations;*
- (5) the amount of damage to pavement, bridges, and highway appurtenances caused or relieved by the use of four-vehicle combinations;*
- (6) the effects of permitting the four-vehicle combinations on the state's exposure to tort liability; and*
- (7) the degree of public acceptance of the four-vehicle combinations.*

The commissioner shall select an impartial consultant to conduct the study. The commissioner shall report the results of the study to the chairs of the transportation committees of the senate and house of representatives by January 1, 1993.

Sec. 7. [PERMIT FEE SURCHARGE.]

A surcharge of \$5 is added to each permit fee imposed by Minnesota Statutes, section 169.86, subdivision 5, paragraph (h), until the surcharge raises \$280,000.

Sec. 8. [APPROPRIATION; COMPLEMENT.]

(a) \$280,000 is appropriated from the trunk highway fund to the commissioner of transportation to pay the cost of the demonstration program study, the cost of rest area modifications, and the initial administrative costs of the permit program. This appropriation is available until spent.

(b) \$111,500 for fiscal year 1991 is appropriated to the commissioner of transportation from the trunk highway fund for administration of the four-vehicle permit program.

(c) The complement of the department of transportation is temporarily increased by three positions. On August 31, 1993, the complement of the department of transportation is decreased by three positions.

Sec. 9. [REPEALER.]

Sections 3, 4, and 5 are repealed.

Sec. 10. [EFFECTIVE DATE.]

Section 9 is effective September 1, 1993."

Amend the title as follows:

Page 1, line 6, after the semicolon, insert "imposing safety and equipment requirements;"

Page 1, line 8, delete "1988" and insert "1989 Supplement"

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

Mr. Bertram from the Committee on Veterans and Military Affairs, to which was referred

S.F. No. 1880: A bill for an act relating to veterans; providing for an executive director appointed by the veterans homes board; amending Minnesota Statutes 1988, section 198.004.

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

Mr. Bertram from the Committee on Veterans and Military Affairs, to which was referred

S.F. No. 1794: A bill for an act relating to veterans; redefining the term "veteran"; amending Minnesota Statutes 1988, section 197.447.

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

Delete everything after the enacting clause and insert:

"Section 1. Minnesota Statutes 1988, section 197.447, is amended to read:

197.447 [VETERAN, DEFINED.]

The word "veteran" as used in *Minnesota Statutes except in sections 43A.11, 196.02, 196.07, 197.59, 197.60, 136C.13, 196.21, 197.971, and 202.038 243.251*, means ~~any person~~ *a citizen of the United States or a resident alien* who has been separated under honorable conditions from any branch of the armed forces of the United States after having served on active duty for 181 consecutive days or by reason of disability incurred while serving on active duty, ~~and who is a citizen of the United States or resident alien~~ *or who has active military service certified under section 401, Public Law Number 95-202. The active military service must be certified by the United States Secretary of Defense as active military service and a discharge under honorable conditions must be issued by the Secretary."*

And when so amended the bill do pass. Amendments adopted. Report adopted.

Mr. Moe, D.M. from the Committee on Governmental Operations, to which was referred

S.F. No. 488: A bill for an act relating to public employment; defining equitable compensation relationships; requiring an implementation report; providing for review of plans; providing for appeals from a decision of the commissioner; amending Minnesota Statutes 1988, sections 471.992, by adding subdivisions; 471.9981, subdivision 6, and by adding subdivisions.

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

Delete everything after the enacting clause and insert:

"Section 1. Minnesota Statutes 1988, section 471.991, subdivision 5, is amended to read:

Subd. 5. [EQUITABLE COMPENSATION RELATIONSHIP] "Equitable

compensation relationship" means that a ~~primary consideration in negotiating, establishing, recommending, and approving total~~ the compensation for female-dominated classes is not consistently below the compensation for male-dominated classes of comparable work value in relationship to other employee positions, as determined under section 471.994, within the political subdivision.

Sec. 2. Minnesota Statutes 1988, section 471.992, subdivision 1, is amended to read:

Subdivision 1. [ESTABLISHMENT.] Subject to sections 179A.01 to 179A.25 but notwithstanding any other law to the contrary, every political subdivision of this state shall establish equitable compensation relationships between female-dominated, male-dominated, and balanced classes of employees in order to eliminate sex-based wage disparities in public employment in this state. *A primary consideration in negotiating, establishing, recommending, and approving total compensation is comparable work value in relationship to other employee positions within the political subdivision. This subdivision does not require a political subdivision to increase the compensation of a class for which any undercompensation cannot be attributed to the sex of the members dominating the class.*

Sec. 3. Minnesota Statutes 1988, section 471.992, subdivision 2, is amended to read:

Subd. 2. [ARBITRATION.] In all interest arbitration involving a class other than a balanced class held pursuant to under sections 179A.01 to 179A.25, the arbitrator shall consider the equitable compensation relationship standards established in this section, and the standards established under section 471.993, together with other standards appropriate to interest arbitration. The arbitrator shall consider both the results of a job evaluation study and any employee objections to the study. *In interest arbitration involving a balanced class, the arbitrator may consider the standards established under this section and the results of, and any employee objections to, a job evaluation study, but shall also consider similar or like classifications in other political subdivisions and in the external private marketplace.*

Sec. 4. Minnesota Statutes 1988, section 471.992, is amended by adding a subdivision to read:

Subd. 4. [COLLECTIVE BARGAINING.] *In collective bargaining involving a balanced class, a political subdivision may consider the equitable compensation relationship standards established by this section and the results of a job evaluation study, but shall also consider similar or like classifications in other political subdivisions and in the external private marketplace as well.*

Sec. 5. Minnesota Statutes 1988, section 471.994, is amended to read:

471.994 [JOB EVALUATION SYSTEM.]

Every political subdivision shall use a job evaluation system in order to determine the comparable work value of the work performed by each class of its employees. The system must be maintained and updated to account for new employee classes and any changes in factors affecting the comparable work value of existing classes. A political subdivision that substantially modifies its job evaluation system or adopts a new system shall notify the commissioner. The political subdivision may use the system of

some other public employer in the state. Each political subdivision shall meet and confer with the exclusive representatives of their employees on the development or selection of a job evaluation system.

Sec. 6. Minnesota Statutes 1988, section 471.998, is amended by adding a subdivision to read:

Subd. 3. [PUBLIC DATA.] The report required by subdivision 1 is public data governed by chapter 13.

Sec. 7. Minnesota Statutes 1988, section 471.9981, is amended by adding a subdivision to read:

Subd. 5a. [IMPLEMENTATION REPORT.] By January 31, 1992, each political subdivision shall submit to the commissioner an implementation report that includes the following information as of December 31, 1991:

- (1) a list of all job classes in the political subdivision;*
- (2) the number of employees in each class;*
- (3) the number of female employees in each class;*
- (4) an identification of each class as male-dominated, female-dominated, or balanced as defined in section 471.991;*
- (5) the comparable work value of each class as determined by the job evaluation used by the subdivision in accordance with section 471.994;*
- (6) the minimum and maximum salary for each class, if salary ranges have been established, and the amount of time in employment required to qualify for the maximum;*
- (7) any additional cash compensation, such as bonuses or lump-sum payments, paid to the members of a class; and*
- (8) any other information requested by the commissioner.*

If a subdivision fails to submit a report, the commissioner shall find the subdivision not in compliance with subdivision 6 and shall impose the penalty prescribed by that subdivision.

Sec. 8. Minnesota Statutes 1988, section 471.9981, is amended by adding a subdivision to read:

Subd. 5b. [PUBLIC DATA.] The implementation report required by subdivision 5a is public data governed by chapter 13.

Sec. 9. Minnesota Statutes 1988, section 471.9981, subdivision 6, is amended to read:

Subd. 6. [PENALTY FOR FAILURE TO IMPLEMENT PLAN.] If (a) The commissioner of employee relations finds, after notice and consultation with a shall review the implementation report submitted by a governmental subdivision; that it has failed to implement its plan for implementing to determine whether the subdivision has established equitable compensation relationships as required by section 471.992, subdivision 1, by December 31, 1991, or the later date approved by the commissioner. The commissioner shall notify a subdivision found to have achieved compliance with section 471.992, subdivision 1.

(b) If the commissioner finds that the subdivision is not in compliance based on the information contained in the implementation report required by section 7, the commissioner shall notify the subdivision of the basis for

the finding. If the subdivision disagrees with the finding, it shall notify the commissioner, who shall provide a specified time period in which to submit additional evidence in support of its claim that it is in compliance. The commissioner shall consider at least the following additional information in reconsidering whether the subdivision is in compliance:

- (1) recruitment difficulties;*
- (2) retention difficulties;*
- (3) recent arbitration awards that are inconsistent with equitable compensation relationships; and*
- (4) information that can demonstrate a good-faith effort to achieve compliance and continued progress toward compliance, including any constraints the subdivision faces.*

The subdivision shall also present a plan for achieving compliance and a date for additional review by the commissioner.

(c) If the subdivision does not make the changes to achieve compliance within a reasonable time set by the commissioner, the commissioner shall notify the subdivision and the commissioner of revenue that the subdivision is subject to a five percent reduction in the aid that would otherwise be payable to that governmental subdivision under section 124A.23, 273.1398, or sections 477A.011 to 477A.014, or to a fine of \$100 a day, whichever is greatest. The commissioner of revenue shall enforce the penalty beginning in calendar year 1992 ~~shall be reduced by five percent; provided that the reduction in aid shall apply to or in the first calendar year beginning~~ after the date for implementation of the plan of a governmental subdivision for which the commissioner of employee relations has approved an implementation date later than December 31, 1991. ~~The penalty remains in effect until the subdivision achieves compliance.~~ The commissioner of employee relations may ~~waive~~ suspend the penalty upon making a finding that the failure to implement was attributable to circumstances beyond the control of the governmental subdivision or to severe hardship, ~~or that noncompliance results from factors unrelated to the sex of the members dominating the affected classes and that the subdivision is taking substantial steps to achieve compliance to the extent possible.~~

Sec. 10. Minnesota Statutes 1988, section 471.9981, is amended by adding a subdivision to read:

Subd. 7. [APPEAL.] A governmental subdivision may appeal the imposition of a penalty under subdivision 6 by filing a notice of appeal with the commissioner of employee relations within 30 days of the commissioner's notification to the subdivision of the penalty. An appeal must be heard as a contested case under sections 14.57 to 14.62. No penalty may be imposed while an appeal is pending.

Sec. 11. Minnesota Statutes 1988, section 471.999, is amended to read:
471.999 [REPORT TO LEGISLATURE.]

The commissioner of employee relations shall report to the legislature by January 1, ~~1986 on the information gathered from political subdivisions of each odd-numbered year on the status of compliance with section 471.992, subdivision 1, by governmental subdivisions.~~ The commissioner's report ~~shall~~ must include a list of ~~political subdivisions which~~ that did not comply

with the reporting requirements of this section. *The commissioner may request, and a subdivision shall provide, any additional information needed for the preparation of a report under this subdivision.*

Sec. 12. Minnesota Statutes 1989 Supplement, section 485.018, subdivision 7, is amended to read:

Subd. 7. [APPEAL FROM RESOLUTION OF THE BOARD.] The court administrator of district court, if dissatisfied with the action of the county board in setting the amount of the court administrator's salary or the amount of the budget for the office of court administrator of district court, may appeal to the district court on the grounds that the determination of the county board in setting ~~such~~ the salary or budget was arbitrary, capricious, oppressive, or without sufficiently taking into account the extent of the responsibilities and duties of ~~said~~ the court administrator's office, and the court administrator's experience, qualifications, and performance. The appeal ~~shall must~~ be taken within 15 days after the date of the resolution setting ~~such~~ the salary or budget by serving a notice of appeal on the county auditor and filing ~~same~~ a copy with the court administrator of the district court. The court, either in term or vacation and upon ten ~~days~~ days' notice to the chair of the board, shall hear ~~such~~ the appeal. On the hearing of the appeal, the court shall review the decision or resolution of the board in a hearing de novo and may hear new or additional evidence, or the court may order the officer appealing and the board to submit briefs or other memoranda and may dispose of the appeal on ~~such~~ those writings. If the court ~~shall find~~ finds that the board acted in an arbitrary, capricious, oppressive, or unreasonable manner, or without sufficiently taking into account the responsibilities and duties of the office of the court administrator, and the court administrator's experience, qualifications, and performance, it shall make ~~such~~ an order to take the place of the order appealed from as is justified by the record and shall remand the matter to the county board for further action consistent with the court's findings. *It is prima facie evidence that the board did not act in an arbitrary, capricious, oppressive, or unreasonable manner or without taking into account the responsibilities and duties of the office of the court administrator, and the court administrator's experience, qualifications, and performance, if the board's action was in accordance with a job evaluation system under section 471.994.* After determination of the appeal the county board shall proceed in conformity ~~therewith~~ with the court's order. This subdivision is not in effect from July 1, 1989, to July 1, 1991, with respect to the amount of the budget of the office of court administrator of district court.

Sec. 13. [REPEALER.]

Minnesota Statutes 1988, sections 471.992, subdivision 3; 471.995; 471.996; 471.9975; and 471.9981, subdivisions 2, 3, 4, and 5, are repealed."

Delete the title and insert:

"A bill for an act relating to public employment; defining equitable compensation relationships; requiring an implementation report; providing for review of plans; providing for appeals from decisions of the commissioner of employee relations; requiring the commissioner to report to the legislature; amending Minnesota Statutes 1988, sections 471.991, subdivision 5; 471.992, subdivisions 1, 2, and by adding a subdivision; 471.994; 471.998, by adding a subdivision; 471.9981, subdivision 6, and by adding subdivisions; and 471.999; Minnesota Statutes 1989 Supplement, section 485.018, subdivision 7; repealing Minnesota Statutes 1988, sections 471.992,

subdivision 3; 471.995; 471.996; 471.9975; and 471.9981, subdivisions 2 to 5."

And when so amended the bill do pass. Amendments adopted. Report adopted.

Mr. Dicklich from the Committee on Public Utilities and Energy, to which were referred the following appointments as reported in the Journal for February 12, 1990:

PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION

Norma McKanna
Patrice Vick

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the appointments be confirmed.

Mr. Moe, R.D. moved that the foregoing committee report be laid on the table. The motion prevailed.

SECOND READING OF SENATE BILLS

S.F. Nos. 1777, 1789, 1813, 1794 and 488 were read the second time.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS

Mr. Pehler moved that the name of Ms. Peterson, D.C. be stricken as a co-author and the name of Ms. Flynn be added as a co-author to S.F. No. 146. The motion prevailed.

Mr. Hughes moved that the name of Ms. Peterson, D.C. be stricken as a co-author and the name of Ms. Flynn be added as a co-author to S.F. No. 177. The motion prevailed.

Mr. Freeman moved that the name of Ms. Peterson, D.C. be stricken as a co-author and the name of Ms. Flynn be added as a co-author to S.F. No. 188. The motion prevailed.

Mr. Hughes moved that the name of Ms. Peterson, D.C. be stricken as a co-author and the name of Ms. Flynn be added as a co-author to S.F. No. 439. The motion prevailed.

Mr. Pogemiller moved that the name of Ms. Peterson, D.C. be stricken as a co-author and the name of Ms. Flynn be added as a co-author to S.F. No. 444. The motion prevailed.

Mr. Vickerman moved that the name of Ms. Peterson, D.C. be stricken as a co-author and the name of Ms. Flynn be added as a co-author to S.F. No. 757. The motion prevailed.

Mr. Knaak moved that the name of Mr. Kroening be added as a co-author to S.F. No. 859. The motion prevailed.

Mr. Novak moved that the name of Ms. Peterson, D.C. be stricken as a co-author and the name of Ms. Flynn be added as a co-author to S.F. No. 988. The motion prevailed.

Mr. Pogemiller moved that the name of Ms. Peterson, D.C. be stricken as a co-author and the name of Ms. Flynn be added as a co-author to S.F. No. 1272. The motion prevailed.

Mr. Pogemiller moved that the name of Ms. Peterson, D.C. be stricken as a co-author and the name of Ms. Flynn be added as a co-author to S.F. No. 1374. The motion prevailed.

Mr. Benson moved that the name of Ms. Peterson, D.C. be stricken as a co-author and the name of Mrs. Lantry be added as a co-author to S.F. No. 1673. The motion prevailed.

Mr. Waldorf moved that the name of Mr. Bertram be stricken as a co-author and the names of Mrs. Adkins, Messrs. Laidig and Bernhagen be added as co-authors to S.F. No. 1688. The motion prevailed.

Mr. Dahl moved that the name of Mr. Merriam be added as a co-author to S.F. No. 1792. The motion prevailed.

Mr. DeCramer moved that the name of Mr. Piepho be added as a co-author to S.F. No. 1890. The motion prevailed.

Mr. Dahl moved that the name of Mr. Novak be added as a co-author to S.F. No. 1894. The motion prevailed.

Mr. Brandl moved that the name of Mr. Kroening be added as a co-author to S.F. No. 1942. The motion prevailed.

Mr. Pogemiller moved that the name of Mr. Benson be added as a co-author to S.F. No. 1949. The motion prevailed.

Mr. Pogemiller moved that the name of Mr. Kroening be added as a co-author to S.F. No. 1950. The motion prevailed.

Mr. Gustafson moved that the name of Mr. Johnson, D.E. be added as a co-author to S.F. No. 1970. The motion prevailed.

Mr. Spear moved that the name of Ms. Berglin be added as a co-author to S.F. No. 2043. The motion prevailed.

Mr. Spear moved that the name of Ms. Berglin be added as a co-author to S.F. No. 2046. The motion prevailed.

Mr. Pogemiller moved that the name of Mr. Merriam be added as a co-author to S.F. No. 2057. The motion prevailed.

Mr. Diessner moved that S.F. No. 1719 be withdrawn from the Committee on Health and Human Services and returned to its author. The motion prevailed.

Mr. McGowan introduced—

Senate Resolution No. 148: A Senate resolution congratulating Emily Ahlquist, of Plymouth Minnesota, on her athletic accomplishments.

Referred to the Committee on Rules and Administration.

Mr. McGowan introduced—

Senate Resolution No. 149: A Senate resolution congratulating Melanie Alman McRae on being installed as an associate pastor in the Lord of Life Lutheran Church, Maple Grove, Minnesota.

Referred to the Committee on Rules and Administration.

Mr. Chmielewski moved that, the Senate having failed to adopt the Conference Committee Report, H.F. No. 796 and the report be re-referred to

the Conference Committee as formerly constituted for further consideration. The motion prevailed.

Messrs. Moe, R.D. and Benson introduced—

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 9: A Senate concurrent resolution providing session deadline dates for the legislature pursuant to Joint Rule 2.03.

WHEREAS, Joint Rule 2.03, paragraph (b) requires the legislature to establish session deadline dates for even-numbered year sessions; NOW, THEREFORE,

BE IT RESOLVED, by the Senate of the State of Minnesota, the House of Representatives concurring, that committee reports on bills favorably acted upon by a committee in the house of origin after Friday, March 9, 1990, and committee reports on bills originating in the other house favorably acted upon by a committee after Friday, March 16, 1990, shall be referred in the Senate to the Committee on Rules and Administration and in the House of Representatives to the Committee on Rules and Legislative Administration for disposition. Referral is not required when a committee, after the earlier date and by the later date set by this paragraph, acts on a bill that is a companion to a bill that has met the earlier deadline in the other house. This requirement does not apply to the Senate Committees on Finance and on Taxes and Tax Laws, and the House Committees on Appropriations and on Taxes.

After Friday, April 6, 1990, neither house shall act on bills other than those contained in:

- (1) Reports of conference committees;
- (2) Messages from the other house;
- (3) Reports of the Committee on Rules and Administration in the Senate or the Committee on Rules and Legislative Administration in the House; or
- (4) Messages from the governor.

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

GENERAL ORDERS

The Senate resolved itself into a Committee of the Whole, with Mr. Hughes in the chair.

After some time spent therein, the committee arose, and Mr. Hughes reported that the committee had considered the following:

S.F. Nos. 1694, 1727, 1696, 1366, 1730, 1663 and 1778 which the committee recommends to pass.

S.F. No. 1692, which the committee recommends to pass with the following amendment offered by Ms. Berglin:

Amend the title as follows:

Page 1, line 9, delete everything after the semicolon

Page 1, delete lines 10 and 11

The motion prevailed. So the amendment was adopted.

On motion of Mr. Moe, R.D., the report of the Committee of the Whole, as kept by the Secretary, was adopted.

Without objection, the Senate reverted to the Order of Business of Motions and Resolutions.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS

Mr. Chmielewski moved that his name be stricken as chief author, and the name of Ms. Flynn be added as chief author to S.F. No. 1097. The motion prevailed.

INTRODUCTION AND FIRST READING OF SENATE BILLS

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

Mr. Schmitz introduced—

S.F. No. 2065: A bill for an act relating to local government; providing for calculation of aids in the city of Shakopee for 1991.

Referred to the Committee on Taxes and Tax Laws.

Mr. Schmitz introduced—

S.F. No. 2066: A bill for an act relating to state lands; authorizing the private sale of certain state lands in Scott county; appropriating proceeds of the conveyance.

Referred to the Committee on Environment and Natural Resources.

Mr. Benson introduced—

S.F. No. 2067: A bill for an act relating to elections; prohibiting certain contributions during regular legislative sessions; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 10A.

Referred to the Committee on Elections and Ethics.

Messrs. Cohen, Luther, Mrs. McQuaid and Ms. Flynn introduced—

S.F. No. 2068: A bill for an act relating to insurance; no-fault auto; clarifying eligibility for economic loss benefits; amending Minnesota Statutes 1988, sections 65B.48, subdivision 1; and 65B.64, subdivision 1.

Referred to the Committee on Commerce.

Messrs. Decker, Piepho, Renneke, Larson and Gustafson introduced—

S.F. No. 2069: A bill for an act relating to health; establishing an office of rural health; requiring a loan and grant program to encourage medical practice in rural Minnesota; authorizing health care planning grants and capital equipment loans for small hospitals; establishing a task force; requiring a report; appropriating money; amending Minnesota Statutes 1988, section 116N.04, subdivision 5, and by adding a subdivision; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 144.

Referred to the Committee on Health and Human Services.

Messrs. Larson, Gustafson, Decker and Anderson introduced—

S.F. No. 2070: A bill for an act relating to insurance; regulating the comprehensive health insurance plan; increasing access to the plan; providing tax credits to certain employers who provide qualified health insurance; establishing requirements for minimum benefits plans; requiring offers of additional coverages; establishing demonstration projects for the uninsured; appropriating money; amending Minnesota Statutes 1988, sections 62E.03; 62E.14, by adding a subdivision; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapters 62A; 62C; 62D; 62E; and 290.

Referred to the Committee on Commerce.

Mr. Chmielewski introduced—

S.F. No. 2071: A bill for an act relating to retirement; public employees retirement association; authorizing a certain member to purchase prior service credit.

Referred to the Committee on Governmental Operations.

Mr. Cohen introduced—

S.F. No. 2072: A bill for an act relating to Minnesota Statutes; correcting erroneous, ambiguous, and omitted text and obsolete references; eliminating certain redundant, conflicting, and superseded provisions; making miscellaneous technical corrections to statutes and other laws; amending Minnesota Statutes 1988, sections 11A.14, subdivision 5; 15.0597, subdivision 1; 15.50, subdivisions 2 and 5; 16B.53, subdivision 3; 62C.141; 115.49, subdivision 4; 163.06, subdivision 6; 197.55; 232.21, subdivision 7; 256B.69, subdivision 6; 257.41; 273.124, subdivision 13; 273.1315; 333.135; 336.9-105; 353A.02, subdivision 14; 354.05, subdivision 23; 354.66, subdivision 7; 412.701; 412.711; 459.07; 469.155, subdivision 12; 481.12; 626.556, subdivision 10c; Minnesota Statutes 1989 Supplement, sections 18.022, subdivision 2; 62A.045; 105.41, subdivision 1a; 115C.03, subdivision 9; 124.86, subdivision 2; 127.455; 144.6501, subdivision 10; 168.013, subdivision 1a; 168.33, subdivision 2; 176.421, subdivision 7; 204C.361; 236.02, subdivision 7; 245.462, subdivision 4; 256E.08, subdivision 5; 256H.08; 256H.22, subdivisions 2 and 3; 260.185, subdivision 1; 270B.12, subdivision 7; 273.119, subdivision 1; 319A.20; 336.2A-104; 352.01, subdivision 2b; 352.72, subdivision 1; 352B.30, subdivision 1; 383D.41, subdivisions 1 and 2; 422A.05, subdivision 2a; 469.129, subdivision 1; 501B.61, subdivision 1; 563.01, subdivision 3; 609.605, subdivision 3; Minnesota Statutes Second 1989 Supplement, sections 121.904, subdivision 4a; 245A.14, subdivision 6; and 275.50, subdivision 5; and Laws 1989, chapters 329, article 8, section 15, subdivision 2; 332, section 3, subdivision 3; repealing Minnesota Statutes 1988, sections 11A.19, subdivisions 1 to 8; 43A.192; Minnesota Statutes 1989 Supplement, sections 11A.19, subdivision 9; and 226.01 to 226.06.

Referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Messrs. Samuelson, Vickerman and Ms. Berglin introduced—

S.F. No. 2073: A bill for an act relating to human services; clarifying case management services under medical assistance; specifying requirements for an individual service plan; requiring county boards to document unavailability of money for services to persons with mental retardation or related conditions; amending Minnesota Statutes 1988, section 256B.092, subdivisions 1a, 1b, and by adding subdivisions.

Referred to the Committee on Health and Human Services.

Messrs. Purfeerst, DeCramer, Morse, Mehrkens and Solon introduced—

S.F. No. 2074: A bill for an act relating to traffic regulations; requiring brakes on certain vehicles weighing 3,000 pounds or more; amending Minnesota Statutes 1988, section 169.67, subdivision 3; Minnesota Statutes 1989 Supplement, section 169.67, subdivision 4.

Referred to the Committee on Transportation.

Mrs. Adkins introduced—

S.F. No. 2075: A bill for an act relating to public purchasing; establishing programs for purchasing from certain small targeted group businesses and businesses located in economically disadvantaged areas; requiring prompt payment to subcontractors; providing penalties; amending Minnesota Statutes 1988, sections 16A.124, subdivision 1; 16B.07, by adding a subdivision; 16B.20, subdivisions 1 and 3; 161.321, subdivisions 1, 4, 5, and by adding a subdivision; Minnesota Statutes 1989 Supplement, sections 16B.19; 16B.20, subdivision 2; 16B.21; 16B.22; 16B.226; 116J.68; 136.27; 136.72; 137.31, subdivision 6; 161.321, subdivisions 2, 3, and 6; 161.3211; 241.27, subdivision 2; 471.345, subdivision 8; and 473.142; Laws 1989, chapter 352, section 25; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapters 16A; 16B; and 137; repealing Minnesota Statutes 1989 Supplement, sections 16B.189; 137.31, subdivision 3a; and 645.445, subdivision 5.

Referred to the Committee on Governmental Operations.

Mr. Dicklich introduced—

S.F. No. 2076: A bill for an act relating to education; allowing independent school district No. 712 to establish a special account; amending Laws 1984, chapter 463, article 6, section 15, subdivision 2.

Referred to the Committee on Education.

Ms. Piper introduced—

S.F. No. 2077: A bill for an act relating to health; establishing an adolescent pregnancy division within the Minnesota department of health; specifying duties; authorizing grants for pregnancy prevention; authorizing emergency rules; appropriating money; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 145.

Referred to the Committee on Health and Human Services.

Messrs. Morse, Davis, Purfeerst, Vickerman and Benson introduced—

S.F. No. 2078: A bill for an act relating to the environment; authorizing the sale of bonds to seal abandoned wells.

Referred to the Committee on Finance.

Ms. Piper, Messrs. Purfeerst and Mehrkens introduced—

S.F. No. 2079: A bill for an act relating to state parks; renaming Helmer Myre and Nerstrand Woods state parks; amending Minnesota Statutes 1988, section 85.012, subdivisions 27 and 45.

Referred to the Committee on Environment and Natural Resources.

Messrs. Larson, Decker, Piepho, McGowan and Anderson introduced—

S.F. No. 2080: A bill for an act relating to taxation; repealing the lawful gambling combined receipts tax; providing for refunds; appropriating money; repealing Minnesota Statutes Second 1989 Supplement, section 349.212, subdivision 6.

Referred to the Committee on Taxes and Tax Laws.

Mr. Pogemiller introduced—

S.F. No. 2081: A bill for an act relating to taxation; clarifying the application of certain rates of gross premium tax to mutual insurance companies; clarifying exemptions from corporate franchise tax; amending Minnesota Statutes Second 1989 Supplement, sections 60A.15, subdivision 1; and 290.05, subdivision 1.

Referred to the Committee on Taxes and Tax Laws.

Mr. Stumpf introduced—

S.F. No. 2082: A bill for an act relating to education; increasing secondary sparsity revenue; amending Minnesota Statutes 1989 Supplement, section 124A.22, subdivision 6.

Referred to the Committee on Education.

Mr. Stumpf introduced—

S.F. No. 2083: A bill for an act relating to education; allowing school districts to provide transportation for nonresident pupils if the pupils present themselves on a regular transportation route; amending Minnesota Statutes 1988, section 123.39, subdivision 6.

Referred to the Committee on Education.

Mr. Stumpf introduced—

S.F. No. 2084: A bill for an act relating to motor vehicles; providing for temporary permit while awaiting delivery of special vehicle license plates; requiring registered owner of motor vehicle to list address of primary residence on application for registration; clarifying when inspection fee must be paid to receive certificate of inspection for salvage vehicle; clarifying disclosure requirements for motor vehicle pollution control system;

amending Minnesota Statutes 1988, sections 168.09, by adding a subdivision; 168.10, subdivision 1; and 325E.0951, subdivision 3a; Minnesota Statutes 1989 Supplement, section 168A.152, subdivision 2.

Referred to the Committee on Transportation.

Mr. Stumpf introduced—

S.F. No. 2085: A bill for an act relating to education; permitting the Badger school district to borrow against taxes levied by the district, including taxes on which penalties have accrued.

Referred to the Committee on Education.

Mr. Stumpf introduced—

S.F. No. 2086: A bill for an act relating to education; permitting the Argyle school district to transfer money from the debt redemption fund to the capital expenditure fund.

Referred to the Committee on Education.

Mr. Brandl introduced—

S.F. No. 2087: A bill for an act proposing an amendment to the Minnesota Constitution, article IV, sections 2, 3, and 4; providing for election of senators at-large from residential districts to six-year terms for six consecutive years; providing coordination between the old and new systems of election; providing for public finance of senate and house of representative election; providing for the recall of senators and representatives; providing by law for a senate of 36 members and a house of representatives of 151 members; amending Minnesota Statutes 1989, sections 2.021 and 2.031, subdivision 1.

Referred to the Committee on Elections and Ethics.

Mr. Brandl introduced—

S.F. No. 2088: A bill for an act proposing an amendment to the Minnesota Constitution, article IV, sections 2, 3, and 4; providing for election of senators at-large to six-year terms for six consecutive years; providing coordination between the old and new systems of election; providing for public finance of senate and house of representatives election; providing for the recall of senators and representatives; providing by law for a senate of 36 members and a house of representatives of 151 members; amending Minnesota Statutes 1989, sections 2.021; and 2.031, subdivision 1.

Referred to the Committee on Elections and Ethics.

Mr. Brandl introduced—

S.F. No. 2089: A bill for an act relating to crime; imposing penalties for assaulting social workers and other medical and social service employees; prohibiting repeated threats of crimes of violence; amending Minnesota Statutes 1988, sections 609.2231, by adding a subdivision; and 609.713, by adding a subdivision.

Referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Messrs. Vickerman, Schmitz, Bertram, Renneke and Bernhagen introduced—

S.F. No. 2090: A bill for an act relating to towns; regulating maintenance of tunnels; regulating town meetings; providing for town deputy treasurer; amending Minnesota Statutes 1988, sections 160.25, subdivision 3; 365.51, subdivision 1; and 365.58; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 367.

Referred to the Committee on Local and Urban Government.

Mr. Cohen introduced—

S.F. No. 2091: A bill for an act relating to health; providing additional funding for family planning grants; establishing an outreach program for pregnant women eligible for medical assistance; appropriating money.

Referred to the Committee on Health and Human Services.

Mr. Johnson, D.E. introduced—

S.F. No. 2092: A bill for an act relating to cities; regulating financial operations of municipal hospitals; amending Minnesota Statutes 1988, section 412.221, subdivision 16.

Referred to the Committee on Local and Urban Government.

Mr. Lessard introduced—

S.F. No. 2093: A bill for an act relating to education; allowing independent school district No. 319 to make certain fund transfers in each of the next five fiscal years.

Referred to the Committee on Education.

Mr. Luther introduced—

S.F. No. 2094: A bill for an act relating to education; modifying the general education fund balance reduction; amending Minnesota Statutes Second 1989 Supplement, section 124A.26, subdivision 1.

Referred to the Committee on Education.

Ms. Berglin introduced—

S.F. No. 2095: A bill for an act relating to housing; providing grants and loans for rental property damaged by a police drug raid or during the transfer of controlled substances; amending Minnesota Statutes 1988, sections 462A.05, by adding subdivisions; and 462A.21, by adding subdivisions; Minnesota Statutes 1989 Supplement, section 609.5315, subdivision 5.

Referred to the Committee on Economic Development and Housing.

Ms. Berglin introduced—

S.F. No. 2096: A bill for an act relating to real property; changing the period of redemption for certain property located in a targeted neighborhood; amending Minnesota Statutes 1988, section 281.17.

Referred to the Committee on Taxes and Tax Laws.

Ms. Berglin introduced—

S.F. No. 2097: A bill for an act relating to taxation; increasing the income levels of debtors whose medical debts are exempt from collection under the revenue recapture act; amending Minnesota Statutes 1988, section 270A.03, subdivision 5.

Referred to the Committee on Taxes and Tax Laws.

Mr. Brandl introduced—

S.F. No. 2098: A bill for an act proposing an amendment to the Minnesota Constitution, article IV, sections 2, 3, and 4; providing for election of senators at-large to six-year terms and representatives for four-year terms; providing coordination between the old and new systems of election; providing for public finance of senate and house of representatives election; providing for the recall of senators and representatives; providing by law for a senate of 36 members and a house of representatives of 151 members; amending Minnesota Statutes 1989, sections 2.021 and 2.031, subdivision 1.

Referred to the Committee on Elections and Ethics.

Mr. Belanger introduced—

S.F. No. 2099: A bill for an act relating to consumer protection; regulating the disclosure of personal identification information on credit card transaction forms; providing a penalty; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 325G.

Referred to the Committee on Commerce.

Mr. Belanger introduced—

S.F. No. 2100: A bill for an act relating to health; establishing an exception to the moratorium on licensing of nursing home beds; amending Minnesota Statutes 1989 Supplement, section 144A.071, subdivision 3.

Referred to the Committee on Health and Human Services.

Mr. Belanger introduced—

S.F. No. 2101: A bill for an act relating to taxation; property; allowing homestead treatment from homesteads purchased to replace a homestead acquired under eminent domain; amending Minnesota Statutes 1988, section 273.124, by adding a subdivision.

Referred to the Committee on Taxes and Tax Laws.

Mr. Belanger introduced—

S.F. No. 2102: A bill for an act relating to commerce; regulating escrow accounts for mortgaged residences; amending Minnesota Statutes 1988, section 47.20, subdivision 9.

Referred to the Committee on Commerce.

Mr. Moe, D.M.; Ms. Berglin, Mr. Cohen, Ms. Flynn and Mrs. Adkins introduced—

S.F. No. 2103: A bill for an act relating to state government; providing sanctions for failure to comply with affirmative action requirements; amending Minnesota Statutes 1988, sections 15A.081, subdivision 7b; 15A.082, by adding a subdivision; and 43A.18, subdivision 5.

Referred to the Committee on Governmental Operations.

Mr. Moe, D.M. introduced—

S.F. No. 2104: A bill for an act relating to retirement; providing for retirement of peace officers in gambling enforcement division of department of public safety; amending Minnesota Statutes 1988, sections 43A.34, subdivision 4; 352B.01, subdivision 2; and 352B.14, subdivision 4; Minnesota Statutes 1989 Supplement, section 352.01, subdivision 2b.

Referred to the Committee on Governmental Operations.

Messrs. Moe, D.M. and Morse introduced—

S.F. No. 2105: A bill for an act relating to public employee retirement plans; requiring the regular reporting of investment performance results calculated on a time-weighted total rate of return basis; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 356.

Referred to the Committee on Governmental Operations.

Messrs. Benson; Frederickson, D.R.; Renneke; Piepho and Decker introduced—

S.F. No. 2106: A bill for an act relating to transportation; providing for 15 percent state reimbursement to towns for cost of building bridge approaches under certain conditions; appropriating money; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 165.

Referred to the Committee on Transportation.

Mr. Diessner introduced—

S.F. No. 2107: A bill for an act relating to taxation; property; providing a special levy to pay certain watershed capital improvement costs; amending Minnesota Statutes Second 1989 Supplement, section 275.50, subdivision 5.

Referred to the Committee on Taxes and Tax Laws.

Messrs. Solon, Spear, Purfeerst and Anderson introduced—

S.F. No. 2108: A bill for an act relating to liquor; authorizing liquor stores to sell candy liqueurs; exempting certain signs from cost limits; authorizing removal of partially consumed wine bottles from licensed premises; eliminating the requirement for a vote on municipal liquor store continuance upon population change; amending Minnesota Statutes 1988, sections 340A.101, subdivision 10; 340A.308; and 340A.404, by adding a subdivision; repealing Minnesota Statutes 1988, section 340A.601, subdivision 2.

Referred to the Committee on Commerce.

Mrs. Adkins, Messrs. Solon, Purfeerst and Anderson introduced—

S.F. No. 2109: A bill for an act relating to insurance; regulating cancellations, reductions, and nonrenewals of commercial property and liability insurance; amending Minnesota Statutes 1988, section 60A.38, by adding a subdivision.

Referred to the Committee on Commerce.

Mr. Solon, Ms. Flynn, Messrs. Larson and Freeman introduced—

S.F. No. 2110: A bill for an act relating to insurance; accident and health; providing for coordination of benefits between group and individual contracts; amending Minnesota Statutes 1989 Supplement, section 62A.046.

Referred to the Committee on Commerce.

Messrs. Langseth; Beckman; Stumpf; Frederickson, D.R. and Decker introduced—

S.F. No. 2111: A bill for an act relating to education; authorizing the state board of education to waive certain size requirements for combination; amending Minnesota Statutes 1989 Supplement, section 122.241, subdivision 3.

Referred to the Committee on Education.

Mr. Merriam introduced—

S.F. No. 2112: A bill for an act relating to bonds; authorizing certain negotiated sales; authorizing issuance of capital appreciation bonds; authorizing the commissioner of finance to make certain covenants to the purchasers of certain bonds or certificates of indebtedness; requiring identification of certain accounts; providing for the reduction and cancellation of certain bond sale authorizations; appropriating money; amending Minnesota Statutes 1988, sections 16A.641, subdivisions 4, 6, and by adding subdivisions; and 16A.672, by adding a subdivision; Minnesota Statutes 1989 Supplement, sections 16A.631; and 16A.641, subdivision 7; repealing Minnesota Statutes 1988, section 16A.651.

Referred to the Committee on Finance.

Messrs. Marty and Dicklich introduced—

S.F. No. 2113: A bill for an act relating to utilities; regulating sale and service of energy-consuming products, appliances, and equipment by public utilities; amending Minnesota Statutes 1989 Supplement, section 216B.01; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 216B.

Referred to the Committee on Public Utilities and Energy.

Messrs. Moe, D.M.; Morse; Marty; Waldorf and Decker introduced—

S.F. No. 2114: A bill for an act relating to the operation of state government; changing certain procedures and limits for contracts with the state; establishing an advisory task force; authorizing reimbursement of certain expenses; changing certain vehicle marking and color provisions; clarifying certain transfer authority; protecting governments that purchase certain insurance; amending Minnesota Statutes 1988, sections 3.736, subdivision

8; 16B.07, subdivision 3; 16B.09, by adding a subdivision; 16B.17, subdivision 3; 16B.41, subdivision 4; 16B.58, subdivision 7; 16B.85, subdivision 5; and 466.06; and Minnesota Statutes 1989 Supplement, sections 16B.54, subdivision 2; and 40.46, subdivision 1.

Referred to the Committee on Governmental Operations.

Mr. Schmitz introduced—

S.F. No. 2115: A bill for an act relating to peace officers; authorizing licensed peace officers to operate motor vehicles and watercraft without lights under certain circumstances; providing exemption from tort liability; amending Minnesota Statutes 1988, sections 169.48; and 361.15; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 169.

Referred to the Committee on Transportation.

Mr. Hughes, Ms. Reichgott, Messrs. Metzen and Knaak introduced—

S.F. No. 2116: A bill for an act relating to education; eliminating the per pupil unit cap on intermediate district levies; amending Minnesota Statutes 1989 Supplement, sections 136D.27, subdivision 1; 136D.74, subdivision 2; and 136D.87, subdivision 1.

Referred to the Committee on Education.

Messrs. Morse; Moe, D.M. and Mrs. Lantry introduced—

S.F. No. 2117: A bill for an act relating to public employment; limiting certain severance payments to public employees; restricting administrative leaves for University of Minnesota employees; amending Minnesota Statutes 1988, section 465.72, subdivision 1; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapters 43A and 137.

Referred to the Committee on Governmental Operations.

Mr. Morse and Mrs. Lantry introduced—

S.F. No. 2118: A bill for an act relating to the public employees insurance plan trust fund; clarifying the authority to expend excess police state aid amounts; amending Minnesota Statutes 1989 Supplement, section 43A.316, subdivision 9.

Referred to the Committee on Governmental Operations.

Messrs. Piepho; Frederickson, D.R. and Beckman introduced—

S.F. No. 2119: A bill for an act relating to Blue Earth county; permitting the appointment of the auditor, recorder, and treasurer; authorizing the reorganization of county offices.

Referred to the Committee on Local and Urban Government.

Messrs. Frederickson, D.R.; Frederickson, D.J.; Dicklich; Bernhagen and Davis introduced—

S.F. No. 2120: A bill for an act relating to wells; amending the definition of exploratory boring; amending Minnesota Statutes 1989 Supplement, section 1031.005, subdivision 9.

Referred to the Committee on Environment and Natural Resources.

Messrs. Anderson, Vickerman, Larson and Mehrkens introduced—

S.F. No. 2121: A bill for an act relating to education; removing the requirement that members of an education district must be in the same ECSU; amending Minnesota Statutes 1989 Supplement, section 123.58, subdivision 4.

Referred to the Committee on Education.

Messrs. Anderson, Lessard, Decker, Bernhagen and Bertram introduced—

S.F. No. 2122: A bill for an act relating to taxation; sales and use; providing a deduction for postage costs; amending Minnesota Statutes 1988, section 297A.26, by adding a subdivision.

Referred to the Committee on Taxes and Tax Laws.

Messrs. Storm, Benson, Decker and Piepho introduced—

S.F. No. 2123: A bill for an act relating to finance; requiring the commissioner of finance to prepare quarterly revenue and spending forecasts; amending Minnesota Statutes 1988, section 16A.06, by adding a subdivision.

Referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Dahl introduced—

S.F. No. 2124: A bill for an act relating to agriculture; changing provisions and procedures related to apiaries; imposing penalties; appropriating money; amending Minnesota Statutes 1988, sections 19.54; 19.55; 19.56; 19.57; 19.58, subdivisions 1, 4, 8, and 9; 19.59; 19.62; 19.64; and 19.65; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 19.

Referred to the Committee on Agriculture and Rural Development.

Messrs. Morse; Johnson, D.J.; Luther; Hughes and Peterson, R.W. introduced—

S.F. No. 2125: A bill for an act relating to education; equalizing a portion of the debt service levy; appropriating money; amending Minnesota Statutes 1988, section 275.125, subdivision 4; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 124.

Referred to the Committee on Education.

Messrs. Morse, Vickerman, Stumpf, DeCramer and Bernhagen introduced—

S.F. No. 2126: A bill for an act relating to health; clarifying requirements for water well construction and ownership; amending Minnesota Statutes 1989 Supplement, sections 103I.005, subdivisions 8, 16, and by adding a subdivision; 103I.101, subdivisions 2 and 6; 103I.111, subdivision 5; 103I.205, subdivisions 1, 2, 4, and 8; 103I.208, subdivision 2, and by adding a subdivision; 103I.301, subdivision 3; 103I.325, subdivision 2; 103I.541, subdivision 1, and by adding subdivisions; 103I.681; 103I.685; 103I.691; 103I.705, subdivisions 2 and 3; Laws 1989, chapter 326, article

3, section 49; repealing Minnesota Statutes 1989 Supplement, sections 103I.005, subdivision 19; 103I.211; 103I.301, subdivision 5; 103I.321; 103I.325, subdivision 1; and 103I.533.

Referred to the Committee on Environment and Natural Resources.

Mr. Bernhagen introduced—

S.F. No. 2127: A bill for an act relating to forestry; implementing a statewide program to encourage maintenance and expansion of community and urban forests; assigning responsibilities to various state agencies and municipalities.

Referred to the Committee on Agriculture and Rural Development.

Messrs. Solon; Frederickson, D.R. and Kroening introduced—

S.F. No. 2128: A bill for an act relating to retirement; making a variety of technical changes in the laws governing benefits and administration of various statewide and local public pension plans; amending Minnesota Statutes 1988, sections 3A.03, subdivision 2; 352.73, by adding a subdivision; 352B.11, subdivision 4; 352C.09, subdivision 2; 352D.05, subdivision 3; 354.05, subdivision 13; 354.07, subdivision 4; 354.146, subdivision 1; 354.42, subdivisions 2 and 3; 354.46, subdivision 1; 354.52, subdivision 2; 354.55, subdivision 19; 356.302, subdivisions 3 and 4; Minnesota Statutes 1989 Supplement, sections 352.01, subdivision 25; 352.031, subdivisions 2, 3, and by adding a subdivision; 352.115, subdivision 3; 352.116, subdivisions 1, 1a, and by adding a subdivision; 352.93, subdivisions 2a and 3; 352B.08, subdivisions 2a and 3; 352B.11, subdivision 2; 353.01, subdivision 37; 353.29, subdivision 3; 353.30; 353.651, subdivision 4; 354.05, subdivision 38; 354.071, subdivisions 2, 3, and by adding a subdivision; 354.44, subdivision 6; 354.45, subdivision 1a; 354.46, subdivision 2; 354.47, subdivision 1; 354.48, subdivision 3; 354.49, subdivisions 2 and 3; 354.50, subdivision 5; 354.55, subdivision 11; 354.65; 354.66, subdivision 2; 354A.011, subdivision 15a; 354A.31, subdivisions 4, 6, and 7; 354A.32, subdivisions 1 and 1a; 354B.02, subdivisions 2 and 3; 354B.03, subdivisions 1 and 3; 356.371, subdivision 3; 356.86, subdivisions 2, 5, and 6; Laws 1989, chapter 319, article 19, section 7, subdivision 4; repealing Minnesota Statutes 1988, sections 11A.19, subdivisions 1 to 8; 354.05, subdivisions 23, 24, 33, and 34; 354.146, subdivision 2; and 354.62, subdivisions 1, 3, 4, 5, and 6; Minnesota Statutes 1989 Supplement, sections 11A.19, subdivision 9; 353.87, subdivision 5; 354.44, subdivision 7; and 354.62, subdivisions 2 and 7.

Referred to the Committee on Governmental Operations.

Messrs. Solon and Anderson introduced—

S.F. No. 2129: A bill for an act relating to insurance; modifying the effective date of the statutory notice requirement for cancellation or non-renewal of individual life policies; amending Laws 1989, chapter 330, section 38.

Referred to the Committee on Commerce.

Messrs. Cohen, Solon and Anderson introduced—

S.F. No. 2130: A bill for an act relating to insurance; regulating the practices and record keeping of, and disclosures by, public adjusters; amending Minnesota Statutes 1988, section 72B.135, by adding subdivisions.

Referred to the Committee on Commerce.

Messrs. Solon, Purfeerst and Anderson introduced—

S.F. No. 2131: A bill for an act relating to insurance; regulating health claim appeals; amending Minnesota Statutes 1988, section 65B.525, by adding a subdivision; Minnesota Statutes 1989 Supplement, sections 65B.525, subdivision 1; and 72A.327.

Referred to the Committee on Commerce.

Messrs. Marty, Luther, Pogemiller, Laidig and Merriam introduced—

S.F. No. 2132: A bill for an act relating to crimes; making it a crime to obtain telecommunication services by fraud; requiring forfeiture of telecommunication devices used for fraudulent purposes; prescribing penalties; amending Minnesota Statutes 1988, section 609.89, subdivision 1; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 609.

Referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Spear introduced—

S.F. No. 2133: A bill for an act relating to crime; creating a legislative study commission to study whether the current criminal defense of mental illness should be changed.

Referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Spear introduced—

S.F. No. 2134: A bill for an act relating to crime; imposing penalties on persons who commit a crime while wearing or possessing soft body armor; permitting summary forfeiture of weapons used to commit a controlled substance offense; permitting summary forfeiture of soft body armor worn or possessed during the commission of a crime; amending Minnesota Statutes 1988, section 609.5316, subdivision 3; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 609.

Referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Dahl introduced—

S.F. No. 2135: A bill for an act relating to state departments and agencies; appropriating money for a study by the department of administration on providing financial incentives for meeting agency objectives under budget.

Referred to the Committee on Governmental Operations.

Messrs. Pehler, Peterson, R.W. and Larson introduced—

S.F. No. 2136: A bill for an act relating to education; changing the duration and membership of the task force on education organization; amending Laws 1988, chapter 718, article 6, section 23, subdivisions 1, 2, and 7.

Referred to the Committee on Education.

Mr. Samuelson, Ms. Piper, Messrs. Dicklich, Vickerman and Frederickson, D.J. introduced—

S.F. No. 2137: A bill for an act relating to human services; increasing payment rates for medical providers; providing a wage increase for staff of nursing homes, intermediate care facilities, developmental achievement centers, and waived service providers.

Referred to the Committee on Health and Human Services.

Mr. Chmielewski introduced—

S.F. No. 2138: A bill for an act relating to traffic regulations; regulating approaches of vehicles to certain intersections; amending Minnesota Statutes 1988, section 169.20, subdivision 1.

Referred to the Committee on Transportation.

Mr. Chmielewski, Mrs. Lantry, Ms. Piper, Messrs. Samuelson and Kroening introduced—

S.F. No. 2139: A bill for an act relating to health; providing for planning for a surveillance system for occupational diseases; appropriating money.

Referred to the Committee on Employment.

Mr. Chmielewski and Ms. Piper introduced—

S.F. No. 2140: A bill for an act relating to workers' compensation; establishing a method of premium calculation for workers' compensation insurance; amending Minnesota Statutes 1988, section 79.52, by adding a subdivision.

Referred to the Committee on Employment.

Messrs. Beckman, Laidig and Vickerman introduced—

S.F. No. 2141: A bill for an act relating to real property; providing for plat monuments; imposing a penalty; amending Minnesota Statutes 1988, sections 505.02, subdivision 1; and 505.03, subdivision 1; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 505.

Referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Messrs. Morse, Hughes, Bernhagen, Merriam and Dahl introduced—

S.F. No. 2142: A bill for an act relating to education; equalizing a portion of the referendum levy; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 124A.

Referred to the Committee on Education.

Messrs. Hughes, Luther, Morse, Merriam and Dahl introduced—

S.F. No. 2143: A bill for an act relating to education; changing the training and experience funding; amending Minnesota Statutes 1988, section 124A.22, subdivision 4.

Referred to the Committee on Education.

Messrs. Dicklich; Johnson, D.J.; Samuelson; Chmielewski and Lessard introduced—

S.F. No. 2144: A bill for an act relating to state lands; requiring condemnation and sale of certain trust lands constituting lakeshore lots; authorizing a bond issue to establish a revolving fund to finance acquisitions; appropriating money; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 92; repealing Minnesota Statutes 1988, section 92.67.

Referred to the Committee on Environment and Natural Resources.

Messrs. Chmielewski, Ramstad, Gustafson and Ms. Piper introduced—

S.F. No. 2145: A bill for an act relating to public employees; providing for an award of interest on certain essential employee arbitrations; amending Minnesota Statutes 1988, section 179A.16, by adding a subdivision.

Referred to the Committee on Governmental Operations.

Mrs. Lantry introduced—

S.F. No. 2146: A bill for an act relating to motor vehicles; establishing and regulating manufacturer's registration plates; amending Minnesota Statutes 1989 Supplement, section 168.27, subdivisions 1, 16, and 17.

Referred to the Committee on Transportation.

Messrs. Frederickson, D.J.; Purfeerst and Benson introduced—

S.F. No. 2147: A bill for an act relating to transportation; exempting fertilizer and agricultural chemical retailers from certain regulations on transporting hazardous materials; amending Minnesota Statutes 1988, section 221.033, subdivision 2.

Referred to the Committee on Transportation.

Messrs. Johnson, D.J.; Dicklich and Marty introduced—

S.F. No. 2148: A bill for an act proposing an amendment to the Minnesota Constitution, article XIII, by adding a section; requiring that an affordable health insurance program be provided for Minnesota residents.

Referred to the Committee on Commerce.

Messrs. Dicklich and Johnson, D.J. introduced—

S.F. No. 2149: A bill for an act relating to occupations and professions; prohibiting certain acts by protective agents and security guards during a labor dispute; amending Minnesota Statutes 1988, section 326.3384, by adding a subdivision; and amending Minnesota Statutes 1989 Supplement, section 326.3384, subdivision 2.

Referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Metzen introduced—

S.F. No. 2150: A bill for an act relating to the environment; authorizing the imposition of landfill fees on facilities for the disposal of demolition debris; amending Minnesota Statutes 1989 Supplement, section 115A.921.

Referred to the Committee on Environment and Natural Resources.

Messrs. Benson, Larson, Knutson, Mmes. Lantry and McQuaid introduced—

S.F. No. 2151: A bill for an act relating to insurance; accident and health; requiring the commissioner of commerce to administer health care plans for Minnesota residents who are not covered by other plans; establishing minimum benefits for these plans; allowing a tax credit for premiums paid for coverage; appropriating money; amending Minnesota Statutes 1988, sections 290.92, subdivision 5; and 290.93, subdivision 4; Minnesota Statutes 1989 Supplement, sections 290.01, subdivision 19a; and 290.92, subdivision 5a; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 290; proposing coding for new law as Minnesota Statutes, chapter 62K.

Referred to the Committee on Commerce.

Messrs. McGowan, Ramstad, Piepho, Mrs. Pariseau and Mr. Anderson introduced—

S.F. No. 2152: A bill for an act relating to insurance; accident and health; requiring the commissioner of commerce to administer health care plans for Minnesota residents who are not covered by other plans; establishing minimum benefits for these plans; allowing a tax credit for premiums paid for coverage; appropriating money; amending Minnesota Statutes 1988, sections 290.92, subdivision 5; and 290.93, subdivision 4; Minnesota Statutes 1989 Supplement, sections 290.01, subdivision 19a; and 290.92, subdivision 5a; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 290; proposing coding for new law as Minnesota Statutes, chapter 62K.

Referred to the Committee on Commerce.

Mr. Marty introduced—

S.F. No. 2153: A bill for an act relating to insurance; clarifying an insurer's duty to provide loss or claims experience data to an insured; amending Minnesota Statutes 1989 Supplement, section 72A.20, subdivision 26.

Referred to the Committee on Commerce.

Messrs. Frank, Samuelson and Metzen introduced—

S.F. No. 2154: A bill for an act relating to elections; providing that certain voter registrations are not deficient for lack of an address; allowing certain persons with no permanent address to vote in certain elections; amending Minnesota Statutes 1988, sections 201.071, subdivision 3; 203B.16, by adding a subdivision; and 203B.17.

Referred to the Committee on Elections and Ethics.

Messrs. Frank, Samuelson and Metzen introduced—

S.F. No. 2155: A bill for an act relating to elections; clarifying certain campaign financial reporting requirements; amending Minnesota Statutes 1989 Supplement, section 211A.02, subdivision 1.

Referred to the Committee on Elections and Ethics.

Messrs. Pehler; Frederickson, D.J.; Peterson, R.W.; Vickerman and Knaak introduced—

S.F. No. 2156: A bill for an act relating to local government; allowing municipalities to enter into certain contracts to reduce energy and operating costs; amending Minnesota Statutes 1988, section 471.345, by adding a subdivision; repealing Minnesota Statutes 1988, section 471.345, subdivision 9.

Referred to the Committee on Local and Urban Government.

Ms. Berglin introduced—

S.F. No. 2157: A bill for an act relating to human services; establishing a human resources trust fund for long-term activities to assure adequate food, housing, employment, health care, and education for state citizens; appropriating money; proposing coding for new law as Minnesota Statutes, chapter 256J.

Referred to the Committee on Health and Human Services.

Messrs. Dicklich, Freeman, Frank and Storm introduced—

S.F. No. 2158: A bill for an act relating to utilities; regulating flexible gas utility rates; repealing sunset provisions relating to flexible gas utility rates; amending Minnesota Statutes 1988, section 216B.163; and Laws 1987, chapter 371, section 4.

Referred to the Committee on Public Utilities and Energy.

Ms. Reichgott introduced—

S.F. No. 2159: A bill for an act relating to education; delaying the date by which the regent candidate advisory council must submit recommendations to the legislature; amending Minnesota Statutes 1988, section 137.0245, subdivision 4.

Referred to the Committee on Education.

Messrs. Merriam; Morse; Peterson, R.W.; Frederickson, D.R. and Dahl introduced—

S.F. No. 2160: A bill for an act relating to education; providing for the environmental education act; creating the office of environmental education; proposing coding for new law as Minnesota Statutes, chapter 126A; repealing Minnesota Statutes 1988, sections 116E.01; 116E.02; 116E.03, subdivisions 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 7a, 8, and 9; and 116E.04; Minnesota Statutes 1989 Supplement, sections 116E.03, subdivision 1; and 116E.035.

Referred to the Committee on Environment and Natural Resources.

Mr. Larson introduced—

S.F. No. 2161: A bill for an act relating to state lands; authorizing private sale of certain tax-forfeited land in Becker county.

Referred to the Committee on Environment and Natural Resources.

Mr. Davis introduced—

S.F. No. 2162: A bill for an act proposing an amendment to the Minnesota Constitution, article IV, section 2, to set the number of members of the senate and house of representatives at four senators and eight representatives times the number of congressional districts.

Referred to the Committee on Elections and Ethics.

Mr. Brandl introduced—

S.F. No. 2163: A bill for an act relating to taxation; providing a sales tax exemption for certain chair lifts, ramps, and elevators; amending Minnesota Statutes Second 1989 Supplement, section 297A.25, subdivision 43.

Referred to the Committee on Taxes and Tax Laws.

Messrs. Johnson, D.E.; Bernhagen; Vickerman; Frederickson, D.J. and DeCramer introduced—

S.F. No. 2164: A bill for an act relating to human services; providing for services for persons with mental retardation in the Willmar catchment area; amending Minnesota Statutes 1989 Supplement, section 252.025, subdivision 4.

Referred to the Committee on Health and Human Services.

Mr. Luther introduced—

S.F. No. 2165: A bill for an act relating to occupations and professions; providing for independent medical examinations by doctors of chiropractic; amending Minnesota Statutes 1988, sections 148.01, subdivision 1; and 148.08, subdivision 3; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 148.

Referred to the Committee on Health and Human Services. Mr. Luther questioned the reference thereon and, under Rule 35, the bill was referred to the Committee on Rules and Administration.

Mr. DeCramer introduced—

S.F. No. 2166: A bill for an act relating to courts; providing for the transfer of certain duties of the court administrator; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 373.

Referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Messrs. Frederickson, D.R.; Dicklich and Ms. Piper introduced—

S.F. No. 2167: A bill for an act relating to utilities; requiring municipal electric power agencies to keep financial records as required for public utilities and to undergo annual independent financial audits; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 453.

Referred to the Committee on Public Utilities and Energy.

Ms. Piper, Mr. Samuelson, Mrs. Lantry, Messrs. Vickerman and Renneke introduced—

S.F. No. 2168: A bill for an act relating to human services; allowing cast metal restoration dental services under medical assistance for persons whose disabilities prevent them from removing dentures; amending Minnesota Statutes 1988, section 256B.0625, subdivision 9.

Referred to the Committee on Health and Human Services.

Mr. Pogemiller introduced—

S.F. No. 2169: A bill for an act relating to taxation; property; reducing the class rate applied to certain nonprofit student housing; amending Minnesota Statutes Second 1989 Supplement, sections 273.13, subdivision 25; and 273.1316, subdivisions 1, 6, and 7.

Referred to the Committee on Taxes and Tax Laws.

Mr. Pogemiller introduced—

S.F. No. 2170: A bill for an act relating to education; appropriating money to the labor studies and resource center to train teachers in labor history and in the role of labor in the economy.

Referred to the Committee on Education.

Messrs. Lessard; Samuelson; Johnson, D.J. and Dicklich introduced—

S.F. No. 2171: A bill for an act relating to waters; changing the requirements for appropriation permits; requiring the commissioner of natural resources to report to the legislature; amending Minnesota Statutes 1988, section 105.417, subdivision 5; Minnesota Statutes 1989 Supplement, sections 103L.205, subdivision 1; and 105.41, subdivision 1.

Referred to the Committee on Environment and Natural Resources.

Messrs. Lessard; Samuelson; Johnson, D.J. and Dicklich introduced—

S.F. No. 2172: A bill for an act relating to waters; requiring the commissioner of natural resources to establish a plan for drought emergencies; creating a drought task force; amending Minnesota Statutes 1989 Supplement, section 473.156, subdivision 1; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 105.

Referred to the Committee on Environment and Natural Resources.

Messrs. Lessard, Bernhagen, Stumpf, Merriam and Dahl introduced—

S.F. No. 2173: A bill for an act relating to the environment; providing assistance to eligible recipients on methods to prevent toxic pollution; providing financial assistance to research and demonstrate alternative means to prevent toxic pollution; requiring facilities to develop plans to prevent toxic pollution; providing penalties; appropriating money; proposing coding for new law as Minnesota Statutes, chapter 115D.

Referred to the Committee on Environment and Natural Resources.

Messrs. Stumpf and Lessard introduced—

S.F. No. 2174: A bill for an act relating to public lands; providing payment equivalency for lost revenue from certain federal land leased to the state to be paid from revenue generated from the land; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 84A.

Referred to the Committee on Environment and Natural Resources.

Messrs. Dahl; Lessard; Peterson, R.W. and Laidig introduced—

S.F. No. 2175: A bill for an act relating to crimes; prohibiting wild land arson fires; providing penalties; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 609.

Referred to the Committee on Environment and Natural Resources.

Messrs. Pogemiller and Spear introduced—

S.F. No. 2176: A bill for an act relating to crimes; reclassifying the crime of criminal vehicular operation resulting in death as "criminal vehicular homicide"; eliminating negligence as an element of the crime when the driver is under the influence of alcohol or drugs; clarifying that persons whose alcohol concentration, as measured within two hours of the time of driving, is 0.10 or more may be convicted of criminal vehicular homicide or injury; amending Minnesota Statutes 1989 Supplement, section 609.21.

Referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Spear introduced—

S.F. No. 2177: A bill for an act relating to traffic safety; allowing impoundment of license plates by administrative action for repeat violations of the driving while intoxicated provisions; amending Minnesota Statutes 1988, section 168.041, subdivision 3a, and by adding subdivisions.

Referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Messrs. Spear and Pogemiller introduced—

S.F. No. 2178: A bill for an act relating to peace officers; requiring applicants seeking initial peace officer licensure on or after August 1, 1994, to have successfully completed a professional peace officer education program; requiring the board of peace officer standards and training to adopt rules by August 1, 1993, providing for the certification of professional peace officer education programs in accredited colleges and universities; requiring the board to establish a task force to assist in the formulation of these rules; requiring the board to submit an interim report to the legislature concerning the development of these rules; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 626.

Referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Marty introduced—

S.F. No. 2179: A bill for an act relating to local government in Ramsey county; eliminating certain performance bonds; permitting fees for inspections by the county surveyor; amending Minnesota Statutes 1988, section

383A.32, subdivision 3; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 383A.

Referred to the Committee on Local and Urban Government.

Messrs. Spear, Luther and Solon introduced—

S.F. No. 2180: A bill for an act relating to insurance; regulating appeals of health claims; amending Minnesota Statutes 1989 Supplement, section 72A.327.

Referred to the Committee on Commerce.

Ms. Flynn, Mr. Morse, Ms. Piper and Mr. Freeman introduced—

S.F. No. 2181: A bill for an act relating to labor; regulating joint labor-management committees; regulating public employee elections; amending Minnesota Statutes 1988, sections 179.02, by adding a subdivision; 179.84, subdivision 1; 179.85; 179A.04, subdivision 3; and 179A.12, subdivision 7.

Referred to the Committee on Governmental Operations.

Ms. Berglin, Messrs. Vickerman, Spear and Brandl introduced—

S.F. No. 2182: A bill for an act relating to courts; providing for partial state reimbursement of county costs for court-ordered care, examination, or treatment of juveniles; appropriating money; amending Minnesota Statutes 1989 Supplement, section 260.251, subdivision 1.

Referred to the Committee on Health and Human Services.

Mses. Berglin, Piper, Mr. Vickerman and Ms. Flynn introduced—

S.F. No. 2183: A bill for an act relating to human services; authorizing counties to retain one-half of the nonfederal share of money collected by the county for assistance furnished; amending Minnesota Statutes 1988, section 256.863.

Referred to the Committee on Health and Human Services.

Mrs. McQuaid and Mr. McGowan introduced—

S.F. No. 2184: A bill for an act relating to retirement; public employees retirement association; authorizing a purchase of prior service credit for certain former St. Louis Park city elected officials.

Referred to the Committee on Governmental Operations.

Messrs. Pehler, Merriam and Samuelson introduced—

S.F. No. 2185: A bill for an act relating to education; providing for aid for courses with independent study when pupils complete the specified hours; making adult high school graduation aid conform to aid for other secondary pupils; amending Minnesota Statutes 1988, section 124.261; Minnesota Statutes 1989 Supplement, section 124.19, subdivision 7.

Referred to the Committee on Education.

Messrs. Solon; Frederickson, D.R.; Kroening; Mrs. Lantry and Mr. Freeman introduced—

S.F. No. 2186: A bill for an act relating to retirement; reallocating powers and duties among actuaries retained by the legislative commission on pensions and retirement and various public pension plans; appropriating money; amending Minnesota Statutes 1988, sections 3.85, subdivisions 10 and 11; 3A.11, subdivision 1; 11A.18, subdivision 11; 352.01, subdivision 12; 352.03, subdivision 6; 352.119, subdivision 2; 352.85, subdivision 6; 352.86, subdivision 4; 352B.02, subdivision 1e; 352B.26, subdivision 3; 353.01, subdivision 14; 353.03, subdivision 3a; 353.271, subdivision 2; 353.29, subdivision 6; 354.05, subdivision 7; 354.06, subdivision 2a; 354.07, subdivision 1; 354.42, subdivision 5; 354A.011, subdivision 3a; 354A.021, subdivision 7; 354A.33; 354A.41, subdivision 2; 356.20, subdivisions 3 and 4; 356.215, subdivisions 2, 3, 5, 6, and 7; 422A.01, subdivision 6; 422A.04, subdivision 3; 422A.06, subdivisions 2, 5, and 8; 422A.101, as amended; 422A.15, subdivisions 2 and 3; 422A.16, subdivisions 2 and 3a; 422A.17; 422A.23, subdivisions 6 and 7; 490.121, subdivision 20; 490.124, subdivision 11; Minnesota Statutes 1989 Supplement, sections 11A.18, subdivision 9; 136.82, subdivision 2; 352B.08, subdivision 3; 353.30, subdivision 3; 354.35; 354A.32, subdivision 1; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapters 3A and 352C; repealing Minnesota Statutes 1989 Supplement, section 352.116, subdivision 4.

Referred to the Committee on Governmental Operations.

Mr. Diessner introduced—

S.F. No. 2187: A bill for an act relating to abortion; providing the manner of authorizing abortion for minors; amending Minnesota Statutes 1988, section 144.343; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 144.

Referred to the Committee on Health and Human Services.

Ms. Reichgott, Mrs. Pariseau, Mr. Spear and Ms. Berglin introduced—

S.F. No. 2188: A bill for an act relating to children; providing improved procedures to protect the safety and welfare of abused and neglected children; providing for more permanent placements of children in need of protection or services; improving data practices; appropriating money for early intervention and targeted family services, and for family planning grants; amending Minnesota Statutes 1988, sections 147.09; 260.011, subdivision 2; 260.155, subdivision 1; 626.556, subdivision 1, and by adding a subdivision; 626.559, subdivision 2; Minnesota Statutes 1989 Supplement, sections 245A.04, subdivision 3; 260.015, subdivision 2a; 260.161, subdivision 2; 260.171, subdivision 4; 260.191, subdivision 1; 260.221, subdivision 1; 626.556, subdivisions 2, 10e, and 11; and 626.558, subdivision 1; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapters 245 and 260.

Referred to the Committee on Health and Human Services.

Ms. Reichgott, Mr. Spear, Ms. Flynn, Messrs. Pogemiller and McGowan introduced—

S.F. No. 2189: A bill for an act relating to family law; requiring child custody investigators to consider statutory factors in preparing custody reports; authorizing courts to exclude a respondent from the place of employment of a petitioner in an order for protection; clarifying the probable cause arrest provision for violations of orders for protection; authorizing bonds to ensure compliance with orders for protection; authorizing referrals to prosecuting authorities for violations of orders for protection; amending Minnesota Statutes 1988, sections 518.167, subdivision 2; and 518B.01, subdivisions 6, 7, and 14.

Referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Messrs. Morse, Merriam, Dahl and Laidig introduced—

S.F. No. 2190: A bill for an act relating to the environment; recognizing the hydrological cycle of water purification through the atmosphere; establishing a list of persistent toxic substances; requiring the pollution control agency to establish best available reduction technology, to monitor toxic emissions, and to adopt standards and a plan to regulate toxic release/discharge, ambient concentration, and deposition; requiring reports to the legislature; appropriating money; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 116.

Referred to the Committee on Environment and Natural Resources.

Messrs. Morse, Dicklich and DeCramer introduced—

S.F. No. 2191: A bill for an act relating to education; deleting the four-year or equivalent limitation on post-secondary child care grants; amending Minnesota Statutes 1989 Supplement, section 136A.125, subdivision 2.

Referred to the Committee on Education.

Mr. Freeman, Ms. Flynn, Messrs. Laidig, Morse and Marty introduced—

S.F. No. 2192: A bill for an act relating to crime; expanding the crime of first degree murder to include certain deaths caused by domestic abuse; imposing penalties; amending Minnesota Statutes 1988, section 609.185.

Referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Spear introduced—

S.F. No. 2193: A bill for an act relating to traffic safety; expanding the crime of refusing to submit to an implied consent test; expanding the crime of aggravated driving while intoxicated; amending Minnesota Statutes 1988, section 169.129; Minnesota Statutes 1989 Supplement, section 169.121, subdivision 1a.

Referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Messrs. Merriam, Novak, Bertram and Mrs. McQuaid introduced—

S.F. No. 2194: A bill for an act relating to hazardous materials; directing the commissioner of public safety to plan a system for a regional hazardous

materials incident response program; establishing an advisory council; appropriating money.

Referred to the Committee on Governmental Operations.

Messrs. Morse, Merriam and Novak introduced—

S.F. No. 2195: A bill for an act relating to waste; prohibiting certain types of low-level radioactive waste from being disposed of at other than licensed facilities; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 116C.

Referred to the Committee on Environment and Natural Resources.

Messrs. Ramstad, Spear and Freeman introduced—

S.F. No. 2196: A bill for an act relating to sentencing; requiring court administrators to maintain information on the felony sentencing practices of the district court judges; amending Minnesota Statutes 1988, section 485.07.

Referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Benson, Mrs. Pariseau, Messrs. McGowan, Piepho and Mrs. McQuaid introduced—

S.F. No. 2197: A bill for an act proposing an amendment to the Minnesota Constitution, article IV, section 4, and to article V, section 2, limiting the term of consecutive service of the governor, senators, and representatives to 12 consecutive years.

Referred to the Committee on Elections and Ethics.

Messrs. Benson; Frederickson, D.R.; Piepho; Mrs. McQuaid and Mr. Anderson introduced—

S.F. No. 2198: A bill for an act relating to human services; providing increased wages for direct care staff at privately operated community-based residential programs; transferring and appropriating money.

Referred to the Committee on Health and Human Services.

Ms. Piper introduced—

S.F. No. 2199: A bill for an act relating to human services; imposing requirements for adoptions; requiring certain records; classifying certain records as private data and confidential data; clarifying interstate and inter-country placements; requiring adoption placement to be done by an authorized agency; requiring a preplacement adoption family study for an independent adoption; requiring a statement of rights of birth and adoptive parents for placement pursuant to termination of parental rights; establishing expenses to be paid by the adoptive parents; imposing penalties; amending Minnesota Statutes 1988, sections 257.01; 257.02; 257.05; 257.06; 257.41; 257.45; 257.46; 259.21, subdivisions 1, 6, and by adding subdivisions; 259.22, subdivisions 1 and 2; 259.24, subdivisions 1, 8, and by adding a subdivision; 259.27, subdivisions 1 and 5; 259.28, subdivision 1; 259.31; 259.33; 259.40, subdivisions 1 and 4; 259.47, subdivisions 1, 3, and 4; 260.242, subdivision 2; and 317.65, subdivision 7; Minnesota Statutes 1989 Supplement, section 257.03; proposing coding for new law

in Minnesota Statutes, chapters 257 and 259.

Referred to the Committee on Health and Human Services.

Mr. Peterson, R.W. introduced—

S.F. No. 2200: A bill for an act relating to the collection and dissemination of data; proposing classifications of data as private and nonpublic; clarifying access to data on decedents; changing classification nomenclature as it relates to medical examiner's data; establishing a statute of limitations for actions brought; amending Minnesota Statutes 1988, sections 13.10, subdivision 3; 13.83, subdivisions 4, 5, 7, and 9; Minnesota Statutes 1989 Supplement, sections 13.83, subdivision 8; 171.06, subdivision 3; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 13; repealing Minnesota Statutes 1988, section 13.641.

Referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Peterson, R.W. introduced—

S.F. No. 2201: A bill for an act relating to education; permitting the department of education to distribute grants to innovative adult basic education providers; amending Laws 1989, chapter 329, article 4, section 19, subdivision 2.

Referred to the Committee on Education.

Mr. Peterson, R.W. introduced—

S.F. No. 2202: A bill for an act relating to education; providing for the development of two regional assessment and training center sites for learning disabled adults; appropriating money.

Referred to the Committee on Education.

Messrs. Knaak, Anderson, Stumpf and Laidig introduced—

S.F. No. 2203: A bill for an act relating to employment and training; providing for a one-month probationary period for participants in the wage subsidy program; amending Minnesota Statutes 1988, section 268.681, subdivision 3.

Referred to the Committee on Employment.

Mr. Brandl introduced—

S.F. No. 2204: A bill for an act relating to human services; establishing requirements, procedures, and incentives for child support and medical support enforcement; appropriating money; amending Minnesota Statutes 1988, sections 171.07, subdivision 1a; 518.551, subdivisions 1 and 5; 518.611, subdivisions 1, 2, 8, 8a, and by adding a subdivision; 518C.02, by adding subdivisions; 518C.03; 518C.05; 518C.09; 518C.12; 518C.27, subdivision 1; and Minnesota Statutes 1989 Supplement, sections 256.74, subdivision 1; 518.551, subdivision 10; 518.611, subdivision 4; 518.613, subdivision 2; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 256.

Referred to the Committee on Health and Human Services.

Messrs. Moe, D.M.; Morse; Laidig and Ramstad introduced—

S.F. No. 2205: A bill for an act relating to the metropolitan waste control commission; providing for criminal and civil penalties for violations of pretreatment standards; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 473.

Referred to the Committee on Local and Urban Government.

Mr. Pogemiller, Ms. Flynn, Messrs. Solon and Marty introduced—

S.F. No. 2206: A bill for an act relating to education; extending certain levies and bonding authority for school districts in cities of the first class; amending Minnesota Statutes 1989 Supplement, sections 124.225, subdivision 1; 275.125, subdivisions 5e and 6i; Laws 1959, chapter 462, section 3, subdivision 10, as amended.

Referred to the Committee on Education.

Mr. Berg introduced—

S.F. No. 2207: A bill for an act relating to agriculture; requiring cash discounts on agricultural production inputs if there are interest discounts on credit terms for seller-financed sales; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 325E.

Referred to the Committee on Agriculture and Rural Development.

Ms. Flynn and Mr. McGowan introduced—

S.F. No. 2208: A bill for an act relating to crimes; making it a crime for an alleged or adjudicated juvenile delinquent who is 18 years old to escape from a local juvenile correctional facility; amending Minnesota Statutes 1988, section 609.485, subdivisions 2 and 4.

Referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Ms. Flynn and Mr. McGowan introduced—

S.F. No. 2209: A bill for an act relating to juvenile justice; providing that it is a prima facie case for reference for prosecution as an adult if a child is alleged to have committed a felony offense as part of, or subsequent to, the delinquent act of escape from confinement to a local juvenile correctional facility; amending Minnesota Statutes 1988, sections 260.015, subdivision 5; and Minnesota Statutes 1989 Supplement, section 260.125, subdivision 3.

Referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Ms. Flynn introduced—

S.F. No. 2210: A bill for an act relating to occupations and professions; defining license requirements for asbestos contractors, consultants, and project monitors; providing penalties; amending Minnesota Statutes 1988, sections 326.71; 326.72; 326.73; 326.74; 326.75, by adding a subdivision; 326.78, subdivision 1, and by adding a subdivision; and 326.80; Minnesota Statutes 1989 Supplement, section 326.78, subdivision 2; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 326.

Referred to the Committee on Health and Human Services.

Mr. Luther introduced—

S.F. No. 2211: A bill for an act relating to insurance; accident and health; prohibiting the nondiagnostic use of X-rays; regulating trade practices; regulating the payment of health claims; amending Minnesota Statutes 1988, sections 72A.19, subdivision 1; 72A.20, subdivision 12, and by adding subdivisions; 72A.201, subdivisions 3 and 4; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapters 62A and 72A.

Referred to the Committee on Commerce.

Messrs. Vickerman and Stumpf introduced—

S.F. No. 2212: A bill for an act relating to drivers' licenses; providing for electronically produced images on drivers' licenses; amending Minnesota Statutes 1988, sections 171.07, subdivisions 1a and 6; and 171.071; Minnesota Statutes 1989 Supplement, section 171.07, subdivisions 1 and 3.

Referred to the Committee on Transportation.

Messrs. DeCramer, Vickerman, Metzen and Mrs. McQuaid introduced—

S.F. No. 2213: A bill for an act relating to traffic regulations; regulating wheel flaps and covered loads; imposing a penalty; amending Minnesota Statutes 1988, sections 169.733; and 169.81, subdivision 5, and by adding a subdivision.

Referred to the Committee on Transportation.

ADJOURNMENT

Mr. Moe, R.D. moved that the Senate do now adjourn until 2:00 p.m., Thursday, March 1, 1990. The motion prevailed.

Patrick E. Flahaven, Secretary of the Senate