NINTH DAY

St. Paul, Minnesota, Thursday, January 31, 1991 The Senate met at 2:00 p.m. and was called to order by the President.

CALL OF THE SENATE

Mr. Berg 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. Arlene Joy Ackerman.

The roll was called, and the following Senators answered to their names:

Adkins	Day	Johnston .	Moe, R.D.	Riveness
Beckman	DeCramer	Kelly	Mondale	Sams
Belanger	Dicklich	Knaak	Morse	Samuelson
Benson, D.D.	Flynn	Kroening	Neuville	Solon
Benson, J.E.	Frank	Laidig	Novak	Spear
Berg	Frederickson, D.J.	Langseth	Olson	Storm
Berglin	Frederickson, D.R.	Larson	Pappas	Stumpf
Bernhagen	Gustafson	Lessard	Pariseau	Traub
Bertram	Halberg	Luther	Piper	Vickerman
Brataas	Hottinger	Marty	Pogemiller	Waldorf
Chmielewski	Hughes	McGowan	Price	
Cohen	Johnson, D.E.	Mehrkens	Ranum	
Dahl	Johnson, D.J.	Merriam	Reichgott	
Davis	Johnson, J.B.	Metzen	Renneke	

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. Finn was excused from the Session of today.

EXECUTIVE AND OFFICIAL COMMUNICATIONS

The following communication was received and referred to the committee indicated.

January 24, 1991

The Honorable Jerome Hughes President of the Senate

Dear Sir:

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

COMMISSIONER, PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION

Delores J. Knaak, 4243 Oakmede Lane, White Bear Lake, Ramsey County, Minnesota, has been appointed by me, effective January 7, 1991, for a term expiring on the first Monday in January, 1997.

(Referred to the Committee on Energy and Public Utilities.)

Warmest regards, Arne H. Carlson, Governor

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS

Mr. Mehrkens moved that the name of Mr. Frederickson, D.J. be added as a co-author to S.F. No. 20. The motion prevailed.

Mr. Solon moved that the names of Messrs. Metzen, Riveness and Price be added as co-authors to S.F. No. 44. The motion prevailed.

Mr. Samuelson moved that the name of Mr. Larson be added as a coauthor to S.F. No. 68. The motion prevailed.

Mr. Solon moved that the name of Mr. Mondale be added as a co-author to S.F. No. 85. The motion prevailed.

Mr. Day moved that the name of Mr. Hottinger be added as a co-author to S.F. No. 96. The motion prevailed.

Mr. Chmielewski moved that the name of Mr. Hottinger be added as a co-author to S.F. No. 109. 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. Knaak introduced-

S.F. No. 118: A bill for an act relating to animals; tightening laws prohibiting cruel treatment of certain animals, including equines; increasing certain penalties; amending Minnesota Statutes 1990, sections 343.21, subdivisions 9 and 10; 346.43; and 346.44; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 343.

Referred to the Committee on Veterans and General Legislation.

Mr. Moe, R.D. introduced—

S.F. No. 119: A bill for an act relating to the city of Crookston; permitting the establishment of special service districts in the city of Crookston.

Referred to the Committee on Local Government.

Mses. Berglin, Piper, Mr. Storm and Ms. Reichgott introduced—

S.F. No. 120: A bill for an act relating to children; requiring peace officers executing health and welfare holds to notify parents or custodians of available social services; appropriating money; amending Minnesota Statutes 1990, section 260.165, by adding a subdivision.

Referred to the Committee on Health and Human Services.

Messrs. Finn; Moe, R.D. and Ms. Berglin introduced—

S.F. No. 121: A bill for an act relating to health; authorizing nursing homes with 100 or fewer beds that are located within 75 miles of each other to share an administrator; amending Minnesota Statutes 1990, section 144A.04, subdivision 5.

Referred to the Committee on Health and Human Services.

Ms. Pappas, Mr. Kelly, Ms. Traub, Messrs. Dahl and Larson introduced—

S.F. No. 122: A bill for an act relating to education; authorizing an additional community education levy to provide parent education opportunities; amending Minnesota Statutes 1990, section 121.88, by adding a subdivision; and 124.2713, by adding subdivisions.

Referred to the Committee on Education.

Messrs. Lessard, Solon, Dahl, Stumpf and Davis introduced—

S.F. No. 123: A bill for an act proposing an amendment to the Minnesota Constitution, article I, adding a section to provide that the right to keep and bear arms shall not be abridged.

Referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Messrs. Cohen, Mondale, Mrs. Brataas, Mses. Berglin and Traub introduced—

S.F. No. 124: A bill for an act relating to crimes; prohibiting persons from interfering with access to medical facilities; prescribing penalties; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 609.

Referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

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

S.F. No. 125: A bill for an act relating to education; equalizing a portion of the debt service levy; limiting the referendum levy; equalizing a portion of the referendum levy; changing the training and experience formula; equalizing training and experience revenue; appropriating money; amending Minnesota Statutes 1990, sections 124A.03, by adding subdivisions; 124A.22, subdivision 4, by adding subdivisions; and 275.125, subdivision 4; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapters 124 and 124A.

Referred to the Committee on Education.

Mr. Bernhagen introduced—

S.F. No. 126: A bill for an act relating to Meeker county; authorizing the county board to provide for an addition to the county hospital.

Referred to the Committee on Local Government.

Mr. Marty, Mses. Berglin, Ranum and Mr. Belanger introduced—

S.F. No. 127: A bill for an act relating to civil commitment; prohibiting ex parte judicial release orders during the emergency hold period; amending Minnesota Statutes 1990, section 253B.05, subdivision 3.

Referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Messrs. Hottinger and Sams introduced-

S.F. No. 128: A bill for an act relating to public safety; clarifying requirement of "MN" designation within a school bus body identification number; allowing state patrol to enforce certain school bus requirements regarding operation and construction; providing penalties; amending Minnesota Statutes 1990, sections 169.44, subdivision 17; 169.45; and 169.451.

Referred to the Committee on Transportation.

Mr. Cohen introduced—

S.F. No. 129: A bill for an act relating to taxation; providing an exemption for sales of sacramental wine; amending Minnesota Statutes 1990, section 297A.25, by adding a subdivision.

Referred to the Committee on Taxes and Tax Laws.

Mr. Marty and Ms. Ranum introduced—

S.F. No. 130: A bill for an act relating to public safety; regulating amusement rides; requiring safety inspections of amusement rides; providing penalties; appropriating money; proposing coding for new law as Minnesota Statutes, chapter 184B.

Referred to the Committee on Employment.

Messrs. Sams, Hottinger, Finn and Ms. Johnson, J.B. introduced-

S.F. No. 131: A bill for an act relating to traffic regulations; defining school bus to include the transportation of pre-elementary students; amending Minnesota Statutes 1990, section 169.01, subdivision 6.

Referred to the Committee on Transportation.

Ms. Johnson, J.B. introduced—

S.F. No. 132: A bill for an act relating to public safety; providing for wheelchair securement devices in transit buses for transporting disabled people; amending Minnesota Statutes 1990, sections 299A.11; and 299A.12, subdivision 1, and by adding a subdivision.

Referred to the Committee on Transportation.

Mr. Berg introduced—

S.F. No. 133: A bill for an act relating to agriculture; removing the prohibition against corporate livestock farming; amending Minnesota Statutes 1990, section 500.24, subdivision 2.

Referred to the Committee on Agriculture and Rural Development.

Messrs. Berg, Lessard and Frederickson, D.R. introduced—

S.F. No. 134: A bill for an act relating to game and fish; authorizing an experimental season on mourning doves in a designated area; requiring mourning dove stamps and setting a fee for them; requiring a report to the legislature on the experimental season.

Referred to the Committee on Environment and Natural Resources.

Mr. Johnson, D.E. introduced—

S.F. No. 135: A bill for an act relating to education; approving a maximum effort school loan program capital loan.

Referred to the Committee on Education.

Messrs. Berg; Frederickson, D.R. and Frederickson, D.J. introduced-

S.F. No. 136: A bill for an act relating to game and fish; shortening the allowed season for pheasant; amending Minnesota Statutes 1990, section 97B.711, subdivision 1.

Referred to the Committee on Environment and Natural Resources.

Messrs. Marty and Finn introduced-

S.F. No. 137: A bill for an act relating to energy; improving energy efficiency by prohibiting incandescent lighting in certain exit signs; amending Minnesota Statutes 1990, sections 16B.61, subdivision 3; and 299F.011, by adding a subdivision.

Referred to the Committee on Energy and Public Utilities.

Ms. Johnston, Messrs. Langseth, Neuville, Ms. Pappas and Mr. Mehrkens introduced —

S.F. No. 138: A bill for an act relating to taxation; allocating revenue from motor vehicle excise tax; proposing an amendment to the Minnesota Constitution, article XIV, to dedicate proceeds of a tax on the purchase price of a motor vehicle to highway and transit purposes; amending Minnesota Statutes 1990, section 297B.09.

Referred to the Committee on Transportation.

Messrs. Berg, Lessard, Bernhagen and Frederickson, D.R. introduced—

S.F. No. 139: A bill for an act relating to natural resources; designating raccoon and fox as unprotected wild animals; amending Minnesota Statutes 1990, sections 97A.015, subdivisions 45 and 53; 97A.475, subdivision 3; 97A.485, subdivision 9; 97A.511; 97A.541; 97B.075; 97B.601, subdivisions 3 and 4; 97B.621, subdivision 3; 97B.655, subdivision 1; repealing Minnesota Statutes 1990, sections 97B.005, subdivision 4; 97B.621, subdivisions 1, 2, and 4; and 97B.631.

Referred to the Committee on Environment and Natural Resources.

Messrs. Kelly, Spear, Cohen, Ms. Ranum and Mr. Knaak introduced—

S.F. No. 140: A bill for an act relating to data practices; clarifying media access to identifying information on juveniles who are parties to traffic accidents; amending Minnesota Statutes 1990, sections 169.09, subdivision 13; and 260.161, subdivision 3.

Referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Ms. Traub and Mr. Merriam introduced-

S.F. No. 141: A bill for an act relating to human services; delaying the effective date of the moratorium on new negotiated rate facility agreements.

Referred to the Committee on Finance.

Messrs. Novak, Vickerman, DeCramer, Price and Bernhagen introduced—

S.F. No. 142: A bill for an act relating to natural resources; increasing the watershed administrative fund limit; establishing a natural resource protection fund; amending Minnesota Statutes 1990, section 103D.905, subdivision 3, and by adding a subdivision.

Referred to the Committee on Environment and Natural Resources.

Mr. Marty and Ms. Ranum introduced-

S.F. No. 143: A bill for an act relating to public employees; regulating affirmative action in state and metropolitan government; amending Minnesota Statutes 1990, sections 43A.191, subdivision 2; and 473.143, subdivision 2.

Referred to the Committee on Governmental Operations.

Messrs. Samuelson, Sams, Bertram, Mrs. Pariseau and Mr. Benson, D.D. introduced—

S.F. No. 144: A bill for an act proposing an amendment to the Minnesota Constitution, article XI, section 5; permitting the payment of bonuses to veterans of the Iraq conflict.

Referred to the Committee on Veterans and General Legislation.

Mrs. Benson, J.E. introduced—

S.F. No. 145: A bill for an act relating to education; approving a maximum effort school loan program capital loan.

Referred to the Committee on Education.

Messrs. Solon and Gustafson introduced-

S.F. No. 146: A bill for an act relating to the Duluth transit authority; providing for the transportation of students; repealing Laws 1988, chapter 573, section 2.

Referred to the Committee on Transportation.

Messrs. Solon and Gustafson introduced-

S.F. No. 147: A bill for an act relating to charitable organizations; modifying the definitions of registered combined charitable organizations; amending Minnesota Statutes 1990, section 309.501, subdivision 1.

Referred to the Committee on Taxes and Tax Laws.

ADJOURNMENT

Mr. Moe, R.D. moved that the Senate do now adjourn until 2:00 p.m., Monday, February 4, 1991. The motion prevailed.

Patrick E. Flahaven, Secretary of the Senate