

**SEVENTY-FIFTH DAY**

St. Paul, Minnesota, Tuesday, March 10, 1992

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

**CALL OF THE SENATE**

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

Prayer was offered by Senator Dean E. Johnson.

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

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

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. Day and Ms. Traub were excused from the Session of today.

**EXECUTIVE AND OFFICIAL COMMUNICATIONS**

The following communication was received.

March 2, 1992

Mr. Patrick E. Flahaven  
Secretary of the Senate

Dear Sir:

Pursuant to Minnesota Laws 1991, and because of the resignation of Mr.

Sams, I have made the following appointment:

Chapter 292, Article 5, Section 62: Minnesota Early Childhood Care and Education Council - Ms. Piper

Sincerely,  
Jerome M. Hughes  
President of the Senate

**MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE**

Mr. President:

I have the honor to announce the passage by the House of the following Senate File, AS AMENDED by the House, in which amendments the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully requested:

S.F. No. 1623: A bill for an act relating to alcoholic beverages; authorizing the issuance of an on-sale intoxicating liquor license.

Senate File No. 1623 is herewith returned to the Senate.

Edward A. Burdick, Chief Clerk, House of Representatives

Returned March 9, 1992

**CONCURRENCE AND REPASSAGE**

Mr. Luther moved that the Senate concur in the amendments by the House to S.F. No. 1623 and that the bill be placed on its repassage as amended. The motion prevailed.

S.F. No. 1623: A bill for an act relating to intoxicating liquor; authorizing the city of Brooklyn Park to issue an on-sale license to the city's economic development authority for a restaurant at the Edinburgh, U.S.A. golf course; specifying that the city is the licensee for purposes of civil liability and insurance.

Was read the third time, as amended by the House, and placed on its repassage.

The question was taken on the repassage of the bill, as amended.

The roll was called, and there were yeas 55 and nays 0, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Adkins	Dahl	Johnson, D.E.	McGowan	Pogemiller
Beckman	Davis	Johnson, D.J.	Mehrkens	Price
Belanger	DeCramer	Johnson, J.B.	Merriam	Reichgott
Benson, D.D.	Finn	Johnston	Metzen	Renneke
Benson, J.E.	Frank	Kelly	Moe, R.D.	Riveness
Berg	Frederickson, D.J.	Kroening	Mondale	Sams
Berglin	Frederickson, D.R.	Langseth	Morse	Solon
Bernhagen	Gustafson	Larson	Neuville	Spear
Bertram	Halberg	Lessard	Olson	Stumpf
Chmielewski	Hottinger	Luther	Pappas	Terwilliger
Cohen	Hughes	Marty	Pariseau	Vickerman

So the bill, as amended, was repassed and its title was agreed to.

**MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE - CONTINUED**

Mr. President:

I have the honor to announce the passage by the House of the following House Files, herewith transmitted: H.F. Nos. 1911, 2259, 917, 2002, 2142, 1827, 1833 and 2044.

Edward A. Burdick, Chief Clerk, House of Representatives

Transmitted March 9, 1992

**FIRST READING OF HOUSE BILLS**

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

H.F. No. 1911: A bill for an act relating to Hubbard county; authorizing the private sale of certain land which was exchanged for tax-forfeited land.

Referred to the Committee on Rules and Administration for comparison with S.F. No. 1766, now on General Orders.

H.F. No. 2259: A bill for an act relating to retirement; setting an earlier accrual date for a certain retired member of the state retirement system.

Referred to the Committee on Rules and Administration for comparison with S.F. No. 2239.

H.F. No. 917: A bill for an act relating to commerce; requiring additional license for motor vehicle lessor, wholesaler, or auctioneer when establishing additional place of doing business in a second class city outside of the metropolitan area; amending Minnesota Statutes 1990, section 168.27, subdivision 10.

Referred to the Committee on Rules and Administration for comparison with S.F. No. 1109, now on General Orders.

H.F. No. 2002: A bill for an act relating to community service; directing the Minnesota office on volunteer services to prepare a federal grant proposal.

Referred to the Committee on Rules and Administration for comparison with S.F. No. 1908, now on the Calendar.

H.F. No. 2142: A bill for an act relating to employment; leaves of absence; assigning duties to the division of labor standards; modifying provisions relating to school conference leave for employees with children; amending Minnesota Statutes 1990, sections 177.26, subdivision 2; and 181.9412; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 181.

Referred to the Committee on Employment.

H.F. No. 1827: A bill for an act relating to livestock diseases; modifying requirements for certain tests; providing for adoption of certain rules; amending Minnesota Statutes 1990, sections 35.245, subdivisions 1 and 2; and 35.251; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 35; repealing Minnesota Statutes 1990, section 35.245, subdivision 1a.

Referred to the Committee on Rules and Administration for comparison with S.F. No. 1681, now on the Calendar.

H.F. No. 1833: A bill for an act relating to traffic regulations; permitting certain cities to provide for volunteer enforcement of certain regulations; amending Minnesota Statutes 1990, section 169.346, by adding a subdivision.

Referred to the Committee on Transportation.

H.F. No. 2044: A bill for an act relating to water; creating an exemption from certain requirements relating to once-through water use permits; amending Minnesota Statutes 1990, section 103G.271, subdivision 5.

Referred to the Committee on Rules and Administration for comparison with S.F. No. 1830, now on General Orders.

### REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

Mr. Moe, R.D. moved that the Committee Reports at the Desk be now adopted, with the exception of the reports on S.F. Nos. 1914, 2323 and 2314. The motion prevailed.

Mr. Novak from the Committee on Energy and Public Utilities, to which was referred

S.F. No. 1297: A bill for an act relating to cooperatives; applying the open meeting law to certain electric cooperatives; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 308A.

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

Delete everything after the enacting clause and insert:

“Section 1. [308A.327] [ELECTRIC COOPERATIVE; BOARD MEETINGS.]

*A regular or special meeting of the board of directors of an electric cooperative that has more than 50,000 members must be open to all members of the cooperative. The board shall give reasonable prior notice of meetings. The board may close a meeting or a portion of a meeting, provided the board has made a written determination that a closed meeting is necessary for one of the following reasons:*

*(1) to discuss personnel matters, compensation issues, labor negotiations, billing and credit information, or an issue that may tend to prejudice the reputation of an individual;*

*(2) to discuss threatened or pending litigation, issues subject to an attorney-client privilege, or other legal information, the knowledge of which may have an adverse effect on the cooperative's legal position; or*

*(3) to discuss or disclose information that, if discussed in an open meeting, would result in impairment of the cooperative's competitive or financial position, interfere with a business opportunity, or reveal proprietary information.*

*For the purposes of clause (3), a business opportunity means an opportunity for substantial financial improvement of the cooperative that, if generally known, would likely jeopardize the opportunity itself.*

*The board may close a portion of a meeting after announcing during an open meeting the item of business to be discussed during the closed portion.”*

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

Mr. Novak from the Committee on Energy and Public Utilities, to which was re-referred

S.F. No. 1993: A bill for an act relating to transportation; providing tax incentives for the use of alternative means of commuting; directing the regional transit board to establish a program to reduce traffic congestion; prohibiting right turns in front of buses; providing public transit operations priority in the event of an energy supply emergency; establishing a demonstration enforcement project for high occupancy vehicle lane use; amending Minnesota Statutes 1990, sections 169.01, by adding a subdivision; 169.19, subdivision 1; 216C.15, subdivision 1; and 290.01, subdivision 19b, and by adding a subdivision; Minnesota Statutes 1991 Supplement, sections 169.346, subdivision 1; and 290.01, subdivision 19d; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapters 169; 290; and 473.

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

Page 2, line 2, delete "Such"

Page 2, line 3, delete "roadways shall" and insert "portions must"

Page 2, line 5, delete "shall" and insert "may"

Page 2, line 10, delete "shall" and insert "is" and delete "be"

Page 8, lines 23 and 24, delete "By July 1, 1993."

Page 9, line 1, delete "By July 1, 1993."

Page 9, line 6, delete "Beginning in 1996, and" and delete "after that"

Page 9, line 11, after "designating" insert "or revising the designation of" and after "zones" insert "and vehicle occupancy rate goals"

Page 9, line 17, delete "must" and insert "shall"

Page 10, after line 27, insert:

"Sec. 11. [INITIAL DEADLINES.]

*The regional transit board shall initially take the actions required by section 8 according to the following schedule:*

*(1) the initial collection and analysis of data required by section 8, subdivision 2, must be done by July 1, 1993;*

*(2) the initial designation of commuter trip reduction zones and setting of vehicle occupancy rate goals required by section 8, subdivision 3, must be done by July 1, 1993; and*

*(3) notwithstanding section 8, subdivision 3, the periodic review and revision of zones and goals must begin in 1996."*

Page 10, line 28, delete "11" and insert "12"

Page 10, line 29, delete "10" and insert "11"

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

Mr. Novak from the Committee on Energy and Public Utilities, to which was re-referred

S.F. No. 1298: A bill for an act relating to cooperatives; providing for equal representation on the board from districts or units of certain cooperatives; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 308A.

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

Page 1, line 9, after "*that*" insert "*has 35,000 or more members and that nominates, elects, or otherwise*"

Page 1, line 13, after the period, insert "*The number of members in any one district or unit may not vary by more than ten percent from the average number of members for the districts or units.*"

Page 1, line 14, before "*If*" insert "*The bylaws must provide for a survey to take place at least once every ten years to determine whether the number of members in a district or local unit has changed.*"

Page 1, line 15, delete "*ten*" and insert "*15*"

Page 1, after line 18, insert:

"Sec. 2. [EFFECTIVE DATE AND APPLICATION.]

*Section 1 is effective the day following final enactment. Each electric cooperative subject to section 1 shall survey the location of its members and shall redistrict, if required to do so under that section, within one year after its first annual meeting held after the effective date.*"

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

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

S.F. No. 2350: A bill for an act relating to housing; providing for an emergency mortgage and rental assistance pilot project; appropriating money; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 462A.

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

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

S.F. No. 1839: A bill for an act relating to the city of Richfield; providing for the application of fiscal disparities to a certain tax increment financing district.

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

Mr. Metzen from the Committee on Economic Development and Housing, to which was re-referred

S.F. No. 1705: A bill for an act relating to the city of Minneapolis; authorizing the city to issue general obligation bonds to finance certain parking, plaza, and other improvements related to federal courts project.

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

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

S.F. No. 1914: A bill for an act relating to transportation; authorizing nonoperating assistance for public transit service; amending Minnesota Statutes 1990, section 174.24, subdivisions 3, 5, and by adding subdivisions; repealing Minnesota Statutes 1990, section 174.245.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass. Mr. Merriam questioned the reference thereon and, under Rule 35, the bill was referred to the Committee on Rules and Administration.

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

S.F. No. 2323: A bill for an act relating to cultural resources; reorganizing the nature of a Saint Paul tourism and cultural district; appropriating money.

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 STATE CAPITAL CITY CIVIC AND CULTURAL RESOURCES COMMISSION.]

*Subdivision 1. The legislature finds that the capital city of Saint Paul:*

*(1) encourages the use of many of its downtown facilities for state agencies and their personnel;*

*(2) encourages a wide range of cultural attractions for tourists and visitors to the capital city that reflect its multicultural city and state community; and*

*(3) encourages the development of a strong link between downtown civic and cultural amenities to aid in economic development by establishing a true and distinguishable identity, building upon its civic and cultural industries to increase day and night time vitality.*

*Subd. 2. A Minnesota state capital city civic and cultural resources commission is established to review and recommend to the state legislature, the Ramsey county board, and the mayor of Saint Paul, the proper use of state and local financial resources to develop Saint Paul as a “cultural capital,” a resource for the state and region, including, but not limited to:*

*(1) acquisition, construction, expansion, and remodeling of facilities comprising the cultural capital area of Saint Paul and downtown, including, but not limited to, the Saint Paul Civic Center complex, Science Museum of Minnesota, Children’s Museum, Minnesota Museum of Art, Minnesota History Center, Ordway Music Theatre, and Landmark Center;*

*(2) plans for the possible use of the downtown area as educational and visitors’ center for the capital city;*

*(3) stabilization and ongoing support of the civic and cultural industries; and*

*(4) development of the Mississippi River front within the downtown area*

*as a visitor and tourism attraction.*

*Subd. 3. The commission shall be composed of 22 members selected as follows:*

*(1) one member from the Minnesota house of representatives, selected by the speaker from among the members whose district represents all or part of the city of Saint Paul;*

*(2) one member from the Minnesota senate, selected by the senate committee on rules and administration from among the members whose district represents all or part of the city of Saint Paul;*

*(3) one member of the Ramsey county board, selected by the county board;*

*(4) the mayor of the city of Saint Paul, who shall be the commission's chair;*

*(5) two members of the Saint Paul city council, selected by the council;*

*(6) the lieutenant governor of the state of Minnesota;*

*(7) eight members of the public, selected by the mayor of the city of Saint Paul, who are residents of or have their principal place of business located within the city of Saint Paul; and*

*(8) seven members of the public appointed by the Saint Paul city council, with each council member selecting one person who is a resident of the council member's ward.*

*The commission membership must include representation from the following groups: business, labor, art funders and providers, and civic and education.*

*Members of the commission shall serve without compensation. Expenses that would be reimbursed for state employees shall be reimbursed to members. The commission may accept gifts, grants, or donations from public and private entities to assist with the cost of its work. Gifts, grants, or donations are not subject to Minnesota Statutes, chapter 10A, or other law or rule regulating lobbying expenses.*

*Subd. 4. The members of the commission shall hold their first meeting on or before May 15, 1992. The commission shall review plans and recommend priorities for the development and financing of projects and programs. It shall submit a report on its findings and prioritized recommendations to the legislature, the city of Saint Paul, and the Ramsey county board on or before January 1, 1993.*

## **Sec. 2. [EFFECTIVE DATE.]**

*Section 1 takes effect the day following final enactment and expires upon the submission of the report under section 1, subdivision 4."*

Delete the title and insert:

**"A bill for an act providing for a study of the civic and cultural functions of downtown Saint Paul."**

And when so amended the bill do pass. Mr. Merriam questioned the reference thereon and, under Rule 35, the bill was referred to the Committee on Rules and Administration.

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

S.F. No. 2328: A bill for an act relating to drivers' licenses; eliminating requirement for drivers of special transportation vehicles to take examination for license endorsement; making technical changes; amending Minnesota Statutes 1991 Supplement, sections 171.01, subdivision 24; 171.02, subdivision 2; 171.10, subdivision 2; 171.13, subdivision 5; and 171.323, subdivisions 1 and 3.

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

Page 2, line 5, strike "special"

Page 2, line 6, strike "transportation service vehicle,"

Page 2, line 8, after the period, insert "*No class of license shall be valid to operate a special transportation service vehicle within the metropolitan area as defined in section 473.121, subdivision 2, unless so endorsed.*"

Page 4, line 11, strike "while a person is so licensed" and insert "*of a person operating a special transportation service vehicle*"

Page 4, line 26, delete "6" and insert "5"

Page 4, line 27, after the period, insert "*Section 6 is effective the day after the rules of the commissioner of transportation under Minnesota Statutes, section 174.30, are adopted.*"

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

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

S.F. No. 2144: A bill for an act relating to metropolitan government; authorizing the acquisition and betterment of transit facilities and equipment and providing financing for their cost; amending Minnesota Statutes 1990, section 473.39.

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

Page 3, line 8, delete "\$110,000,000" and insert "\$116,500,000"

Page 3, line 10, delete "\$22,600,000" and insert "\$29,100,000"

Page 3, line 12, before the comma, insert "*and replacement service program vehicles*"

Page 3, line 15, delete "\$30,000,000" and insert "\$32,000,000"

Page 3, line 16, delete "\$60,000,000" and insert "\$63,000,000"

Page 3, line 17, delete "\$20,000,000" and insert "\$21,500,000"

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

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

S.F. No. 2314: A bill for an act relating to cities; requiring an equitable distribution of state and local funds in neighborhood revitalization programs; amending Minnesota Statutes 1990, section 469.203, by adding a subdivision.

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

Page 1, line 7, delete "469.203" and insert "469.1831"

Page 1, line 9, delete "6" and insert "8"

Page 1, line 11, delete "*targeted*"

Page 1, line 12, delete "*and financing*"

Page 1, lines 13 and 14, delete "*sections 469.201 to 469.206*" and insert "*this section*"

Amend the title as follows:

Page 1, line 3, delete "state and"

Page 1, line 5, delete "469.203" and insert "469.1831"

And when so amended the bill do pass. Mr. Merriam questioned the reference thereon and, under Rule 35, the bill was referred to the Committee on Rules and Administration.

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

S.F. No. 2335: A bill for an act relating to tax increment financing; authorizing the establishment of manufacturing districts; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 469.

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

Page 2, after line 22, insert:

"Sec. 2. [EFFECTIVE DATE.]

*Section 1 is effective the day following final enactment.*"

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

Mrs. Adkins from the Committee on Local Government, to which was referred

S.F. No. 1921: A bill for an act relating to drivers' licenses; increasing fees; amending Minnesota Statutes 1990, section 171.06, subdivisions 2 and 4.

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

Mr. Moe, R.D. from the Committee on Rules and Administration, to which was referred

H.F. No. 1862 for comparison with companion Senate File, reports the following House File was found not identical with companion Senate File as follows:

<b>GENERAL ORDERS</b>		<b>CONSENT CALENDAR</b>		<b>CALENDAR</b>	
H.F. No.	S.F. No.	H.F. No.	S.F. No.	H.F. No.	S.F. No.
1862	1721				

Pursuant to Rule 49, the Committee on Rules and Administration recommends that H.F. No. 1862 be amended as follows:

Delete all the language after the enacting clause of H.F. No. 1862 and insert the language after the enacting clause of S.F. No. 1721, the first engrossment; further, delete the title of H.F. No. 1862 and insert the title of S.F. No. 1721, the first engrossment.

And when so amended H.F. No. 1862 will be identical to S.F. No. 1721, and further recommends that H.F. No. 1862 be given its second reading and substituted for S.F. No. 1721, and that the Senate File be indefinitely postponed.

Pursuant to Rule 49, this report was prepared and submitted by the Secretary of the Senate on behalf of the Committee on Rules and Administration. Amendments adopted. Report adopted.

### **SECOND READING OF SENATE BILLS**

S.F. Nos. 1297, 1298 and 2328 were read the second time.

### **SECOND READING OF HOUSE BILLS**

H.F. No. 1862 was read the second time.

### **MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS**

Ms. Reichgott moved that her name be stricken as a co-author to S.F. No. 1841. The motion prevailed.

Mr. Mondale moved that the name of Ms. Ranum be added as a co-author to S.F. No. 1841. The motion prevailed.

Ms. Johnston moved that the name of Mr. Marty be added as a co-author to S.F. No. 1870. The motion prevailed.

Mr. Belanger moved that his name be stricken as a co-author to S.F. No. 1997. The motion prevailed.

Mr. Pogemiller moved that the names of Messrs. Sams and Stumpf be added as co-authors to S.F. No. 2273. The motion prevailed.

Mr. Cohen moved that the name of Mr. Bertram be added as a co-author to S.F. No. 2409. The motion prevailed.

Mr. Samuelson moved that the name of Mr. Hottinger be added as a co-author to S.F. No. 2411. The motion prevailed.

Mr. Pogemiller moved that his name be stricken as chief author, shown as a co-author, and the name of Mr. Waldorf be shown as chief author to S.F. No. 2418. The motion prevailed.

Mr. Samuelson moved that the name of Mr. Finn be added as a co-author to S.F. No. 2433. The motion prevailed.

Mrs. Pariseau moved that the name of Mr. Marty be added as a co-author to S.F. No. 2456. The motion prevailed.

Ms. Johnson, J.B. moved that the names of Messrs. Solon and Mehrkens be added as co-authors to S.F. No. 2497. The motion prevailed.

Mr. Kroening moved that the name of Ms. Flynn be added as a co-author to S.F. No. 2508. The motion prevailed.

Mr. Frederickson, D.J. moved that the name of Mr. Morse be added as a co-author to S.F. No. 2517. The motion prevailed.

Ms. Berglin moved that S.F. No. 1790 be withdrawn from the Committee on Environment and Natural Resources and re-referred to the Committee on Governmental Operations. The motion prevailed.

Mr. Laidig introduced—

Senate Resolution No. 119: A Senate resolution congratulating the Mahomed High School gymnastics team on winning the 1992 Class A State Gymnastics Championship.

Referred to the Committee on Rules and Administration.

Mr. Pogemiller moved that S.F. No. 2388 be withdrawn from the Committee on Judiciary and re-referred to the Committee on Finance. The motion prevailed.

Mr. Finn moved that S.F. No. 1900 be withdrawn from the Committee on Health and Human Services and re-referred to the Committee on Judiciary. 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. DeCramer introduced—

S.F. No. 2544: A bill for an act relating to education; requiring a school breakfast program be operated in certain schools; amending Minnesota Statutes 1991 Supplement, section 124.6472, subdivision 1.

Referred to the Committee on Education.

Ms. Johnson, J.B. introduced—

S.F. No. 2545: A bill for an act relating to consumer protection; providing that tests must be performed on appliances that exhaust air from a residential dwelling; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 325F.

Referred to the Committee on Commerce.

Messrs. Johnson, D.E.; Merriam; Benson, D.D. and Moe, R.D. introduced—

S.F. No. 2546: A bill for an act relating to public administration; authorizing spending to acquire and to better public land and buildings and other

public improvements of a capital nature with certain conditions; authorizing issuance of state bonds; appropriating money; amending Minnesota Statutes 1991 Supplement, section 16A.11, subdivision 1.

Referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Pogemiller introduced—

S.F. No. 2547: A bill for an act relating to retirement; Minneapolis police relief association; recodifying the local laws applicable to the local relief association; amending Laws 1980, chapter 607, article XV, sections 8, 9, as amended, and 10; Laws 1989, chapter 319, article 19, sections 6 and 7, subdivisions 1 and 4, as amended; and Laws 1990, chapter 589, article 1, section 6; repealing Minnesota Statutes 1957, sections 423.71; 423.715; 423.72; 423.725; 423.73; 423.735; 423.74; 423.745; 423.75; 423.755; 423.76; 423.765; 423.77; 423.775; Special Laws 1891, chapter 143; Laws 1943, chapter 280; Laws 1949, chapter 406; Laws 1953, chapter 127; Laws 1957, chapters 721 and 939; Laws 1959, chapters 428 and 662; Laws 1961, chapter 532; Laws 1963, chapter 315; Laws 1965, chapters 493, 520, and 534; Laws 1967, chapters 820 and 825; Laws 1969, chapters 258 and 560; Laws 1973, chapters 272 and 309; Laws 1975, chapter 428; Laws 1980, chapter 607, article XV, section 21; Laws 1983, chapter 88; Laws 1987, chapters 322, sections 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, and 8; and 372, article 2, sections 2, 3, 4, 6, and 15; Laws 1988, chapters 572, sections 3, 5, and 6; and 574, sections 2, 4, and 5; Laws 1990, chapter 589, article 1, section 4; and Laws 1991, chapter 90.

Referred to the Committee on Governmental Operations.

Mr. Pogemiller introduced—

S.F. No. 2548: A bill for an act relating to health; authorizing an exception to the nursing home moratorium to allow the replacement of a nursing home condemned as part of a city economic redevelopment plan; amending Minnesota Statutes 1991 Supplement, section 144A.071, subdivision 3.

Referred to the Committee on Health and Human Services.

Mr. Pogemiller introduced—

S.F. No. 2549: A bill for an act relating to retirement; judges retirement fund; eliminating the offset for Social Security benefits; amending Minnesota Statutes 1990, section 355.391, subdivision 1; Minnesota Statutes 1991 Supplement, section 490.123, subdivision 1a; repealing Minnesota Statutes 1990, section 490.129.

Referred to the Committee on Governmental Operations.

Messrs. Hottinger and Beckman introduced—

S.F. No. 2550: A bill for an act relating to health; modifying replacement restrictions under the nursing home moratorium exception process; amending Minnesota Statutes 1990, section 144A.073, subdivision 5.

Referred to the Committee on Health and Human Services.

Mr. Stumpf introduced—

S.F. No. 2551: A bill for an act relating to commerce; trade practices; prohibiting certain practices by recreational equipment manufacturers; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 325E.

Referred to the Committee on Commerce.

Messrs. Benson, D.D.; Mehrkens; Mmes. Pariseau and Benson, J.E. introduced—

S.F. No. 2552: A bill for an act relating to education; modifying the system for funding K-12 education and realigning responsibilities for governing schools between the state and local school boards; reducing funding for certain aids; reducing the general education tax rate; amending Minnesota Statutes 1991 Supplement, sections 124A.03, subdivision 1c; 124A.04, subdivision 2; and 124A.23, subdivision 1; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 477A; repealing Minnesota Statutes 1991 Supplement, section 124A.03, subdivision 1d.

Referred to the Committee on Education.

Mr. Merriam introduced—

S.F. No. 2553: A bill for an act relating to crimes; machine guns; allowing collectors to possess machine guns manufactured before May 19, 1986; amending Minnesota Statutes 1990, section 609.67, subdivision 3.

Referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Ms. Olson and Mr. Mehrkens introduced—

S.F. No. 2554: A bill for an act relating to education; making technical, substantive, and clarifying changes to certain provisions governing programs administered by the department; appropriating money; amending Minnesota Statutes 1990, sections 120.101, subdivision 5; 120.102, subdivision 1; 120.17, subdivisions 3a and 16; 122.22, by adding a subdivision; 122.23, subdivision 13, and by adding a subdivision; 122.242, subdivision 1; 122.531, subdivisions 1a, 2, 2a, 2b, 2c, and by adding a subdivision; 122.532, subdivision 2; 124C.61; 126.12, subdivision 2; 126.22, by adding a subdivision; 275.125, subdivision 10; Minnesota Statutes 1991 Supplement, sections 120.062, subdivision 8a; 120.17, subdivision 3b; 120.181; 122.22, subdivision 9; 122.23, subdivision 2; 122.242, subdivision 9; 124.19, subdivisions 1 and 1b; 124.214, subdivisions 2 and 3; 124.2601, subdivision 6; 124A.03, subdivisions 2 and 2a; 125.185, subdivision 4a; 125.62, subdivision 6; 275.065, subdivision 1; 373.42, subdivision 2; Laws 1991, chapter 265, articles 3, section 39, subdivision 16; 4, section 30, subdivision 11; 7, section 41, subdivision 4; 8, section 14 and section 19, subdivision 14; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 124A; repealing Minnesota Statutes 1990, sections 121.25; 121.26; 121.27; 121.28; and 124.19, subdivision 4.

Referred to the Committee on Education.

Messrs. Neuville; Johnson, D.E.; Benson, D.D. and McGowan introduced—

S.F. No. 2555: A bill for an act relating to education; establishing a higher education savings plan; appropriating money; amending Minnesota Statutes 1990, section 136A.121, by adding a subdivision; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 290.

Referred to the Committee on Education.

Ms. Olson, Mrs. Pariseau and Ms. Johnston introduced—

S.F. No. 2556: A bill for an act relating to education; including in the PER policy a procedure for parents to review the content of instructional materials; amending Minnesota Statutes 1990, section 126.666, subdivision 1.

Referred to the Committee on Education.

Messrs. Neuville; Day; Renneke; Frederickson, D.R. and Benson, D.D. introduced—

S.F. No. 2557: A bill for an act relating to occupations and professions; providing that contractors with five or fewer employees are exempt from regulations as residential building contractors; amending Minnesota Statutes 1991 Supplement, section 326.84, subdivision 3.

Referred to the Committee on Commerce.

Messrs. Finn, Dahl and Dicklich introduced—

S.F. No. 2558: A bill for an act relating to education; modifying the capital expenditure health and safety program; amending Minnesota Statutes 1990, sections 124.83, subdivisions 2 and 6, and by adding subdivisions; 182.666, subdivisions 6 and 7; Minnesota Statutes 1991 Supplement, section 124.83, subdivision 1; Laws 1991, chapter 265, article 5, section 24, subdivision 4.

Referred to the Committee on Education.

Messrs. Marty and Davis introduced—

S.F. No. 2559: A bill for an act relating to agriculture; requiring advance notification procedures for applications of landscape pesticides; requiring posting of warning signs following landscape pesticide application; requiring licensing of retail outlet dealers; amending Minnesota Statutes 1990, sections 18B.01, by adding subdivisions; 18B.06, by adding a subdivision; 18D.331, by adding a subdivision; and 325F.245, subdivision 2; Minnesota Statutes 1991 Supplement, section 18D.331, subdivision 1; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 18B; repealing Minnesota Statutes 1990, section 18B.09.

Referred to the Committee on Agriculture and Rural Development.

Messrs. DeCramer and Vickerman introduced—

S.F. No. 2560: A bill for an act relating to health; changing the membership requirements of the board of nursing; amending Minnesota Statutes 1990, section 148.181, subdivision 1.

Referred to the Committee on Health and Human Services.

Mr. Johnson, D.E. introduced—

S.F. No. 2561: A bill for an act relating to human services; regarding transferring and restructuring of work readiness; amending Minnesota Statutes 1990, sections 237.701, subdivision 1; 256D.01, subdivision 1; 256D.02, subdivision 12a; 256D.05, by adding a subdivision; 256D.051, subdivisions 3b, 13, and by adding a subdivision; 256D.09, subdivisions 2a and 3; 261.001, subdivision 1; 261.003; 261.063; and 383A.06, subdivision 1; Minnesota Statutes 1991 Supplement, sections 256D.03, subdivisions 2 and 2a; 256D.05, subdivisions 1 and 6; 256D.051, subdivisions 3 and 8; 256D.065; 256D.10; and 256D.101, subdivision 1; repealing Minnesota Statutes 1990, sections 256D.051, subdivisions 6b, 7, 9, 10, and 15; 256D.052; 256D.111; and 256D.113; Minnesota Statutes 1991 Supplement, sections 256D.051, subdivisions 1, 1a, 2, 3a, and 6; 256D.101, subdivision 3; and 261.062.

Referred to the Committee on Health and Human Services.

Messrs. Hottinger, Morse, Langseth, Ms. Flynn and Mr. Finn introduced—

S.F. No. 2562: A bill for an act relating to education; requiring the higher education coordinating board to prorate state grants by the number of credits taken; amending Minnesota Statutes 1991 Supplement, section 136A.121, subdivision 6.

Referred to the Committee on Education.

Mr. Bernhagen introduced—

S.F. No. 2563: A bill for an act relating to taxation; proposing administrative and policy changes; amending Minnesota Statutes 1990, sections 60A.15, subdivision 1; 270.07, subdivision 3; 275.065, subdivision 4; 289A.26, subdivisions 3, 4, 7, and 9; 290.01, subdivision 6; 290A.03, subdivisions 11 and 13; 290A.19; 297A.14, subdivision 1; and 299F.21, subdivision 1; Minnesota Statutes 1991 Supplement, sections 10A.322, subdivision 1; 10A.43, subdivision 3; 270A.03, subdivision 7; 289A.20, subdivision 4; 289A.26, subdivisions 1 and 6; 289A.37, subdivision 1; 289A.50, subdivision 1; 290A.04, subdivision 2h; 297A.135, subdivision 1, and by adding a subdivision; 297A.25, subdivision 12, as amended; 375.192, subdivision 2; Laws 1991, chapter 291, article 10, section 23; repealing Minnesota Statutes 1990, sections 10A.43, subdivision 5; 60A.15, subdivision 6; and 290A.03, subdivisions 12a and 14; Minnesota Statutes 1991 Supplement, sections 10A.322, subdivision 4; 290.06, subdivision 23; and 295.367.

Referred to the Committee on Taxes and Tax Laws.

Mr. Bernhagen introduced—

S.F. No. 2564: A bill for an act relating to taxation; property tax relief; changing the funding and payment of certain aids to local governments; requiring a study by the advisory commission on intergovernmental relations; appropriating money; amending Minnesota Statutes 1990, sections

473H.10, subdivision 3; and 477A.015; Minnesota Statutes 1991 Supplement, sections 3.862, subdivision 3; 16A.711, subdivisions 1, 3, and 4; 477A.0132; and 477A.014, subdivision 1a; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 16A; repealing Laws 1991, chapter 291, article 2, section 3.

Referred to the Committee on Taxes and Tax Laws.

Mr. Renneke introduced—

S.F. No. 2565: A bill for an act relating to the bureau of mediation services; eliminating the Minnesota public employment relations board; modifying arbitration procedures; amending Minnesota Statutes 1990, sections 14.03, subdivision 2; 43A.06, subdivision 2; 179A.03, subdivisions 3, 5, and 17; 179A.10, subdivisions 1 and 3; 179A.12, subdivision 3; 179A.13, subdivision 3; 179A.16, subdivisions 3, 5, and 8; 179A.17; 179A.18, subdivision 1; 179A.20, subdivision 1; 179A.21, subdivisions 2 and 3; 179A.22, subdivision 4; and 179A.25; Minnesota Statutes 1991 Supplement, sections 179A.04, subdivision 3; 179A.13, subdivision 2; and 179A.16, subdivisions 4, 6, and 7; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 179A; repealing Minnesota Statutes 1990, section 179A.05, as amended.

Referred to the Committee on Governmental Operations.

Mr. Renneke introduced—

S.F. No. 2566: A bill for an act relating to the department of employee relations; modifying expense account terms and uses; amending Minnesota Statutes 1991 Supplement, section 43A.48.

Referred to the Committee on Governmental Operations.

Mr. Merriam introduced—

S.F. No. 2567: A bill for an act relating to sentencing; regulating the awarding of jail credit to certain offenders; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 609.

Referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Sams, Ms. Johnson, J.B.; Messrs. Davis, Finn and Day introduced—

S.F. No. 2568: A bill for an act relating to economic development; authorizing the commissioner of trade and economic development to certify designated cities; providing tax credits for job creation; providing an exemption from sales tax for certain equipment and materials; authorizing the establishment of business opportunity districts; requiring regional development commissions to establish permit information centers; amending Minnesota Statutes 1990, section 116C.34, subdivision 1; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 116C; proposing coding for new law as Minnesota Statutes, chapter 116S.1

Referred to the Committee on Economic Development and Housing.

Messrs. Metzen; Johnson, D.E.; Bertram and Samuelson introduced—

S.F. No. 2569: A bill for an act relating to gambling; permitting church and school fundraisers to include games of chance; amending Minnesota

Statutes 1990, section 609.761, by adding a subdivision.

Referred to the Committee on Gaming Regulation.

Mr. Larson, Ms. Johnston, Messrs. Vickerman, Day and Mrs. Benson, J.E. introduced—

S.F. No. 2570: A bill for an act relating to workers' compensation; regulating benefits, providers, dispute resolution, and insurance; appropriating money; imposing penalties; amending Minnesota Statutes 1990, sections 15A.083, subdivision 7; 79.095; 79.251, by adding subdivisions; 79.252, subdivisions 1 and 3; 79.55, subdivision 2; 79.56, by adding a subdivision; 79.58, subdivision 2; 79.61, subdivision 1; 175.007; 176.011, subdivisions 3, 11a, 18, 27, and by adding a subdivision; 176.021, subdivision 3; 176.041, subdivision 1a; 176.061, subdivision 10, and by adding a subdivision; 176.081, subdivisions 1, 2, and 3; 176.101, subdivisions 1, 2, 4, 5, 6, 8, and by adding subdivisions; 176.102, subdivisions 1, 2, 4, 6, 9, and 11; 176.103, subdivisions 2, 3, and by adding a subdivision; 176.105, subdivisions 1 and 4; 176.111, subdivisions 6, 7, 8, 12, 14, 15, 18, 20, and 21; 176.135, subdivisions 1, 5, 6, and 7; 176.136, subdivisions 1, 2, and by adding subdivisions; 176.179; 176.181, subdivision 3, and by adding a subdivision; 176.183; 176.215, by adding a subdivision; 176.221, subdivision 6a; 176.261; 176.305, subdivision 1; 176.351, subdivision 2a; 176.421, subdivision 7; 176.442; 176.461; 176.645, subdivisions 1 and 2; 176.66, subdivision 11; 176.82; 176.83, subdivision 5, and by adding a subdivision; 176A.03, by adding a subdivision; 221.141, subdivision 1; 268.08, subdivision 3; 353.33, subdivision 5; 480A.06, subdivisions 3 and 4; 609.52, subdivision 2; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapters 79; and 176; repealing Minnesota Statutes 1990, sections 79.54; 79.57; 79.58, subdivision 1; 175A.01; 175A.02; 175A.03; 175A.04; 175A.05; 175A.06; 175A.07; 175A.08; 175A.09; 175A.10; 176.011, subdivision 26; 176.101, subdivisions 3a, 3b, 3c, 3d, 3e, 3f, 3g, 3h, 3i, 3j, 3k, 3l, 3m, 3n, 3o, 3p, 3q, 3r, 3s, 3t, and 3u; 176.106; 176.111, subdivision 8a; 176.131; 176.132; 176.135, subdivision 3; and 176.136, subdivision 5.

Referred to the Committee on Employment.

Ms. Berglin introduced—

S.F. No. 2571: A bill for an act relating to human services; revising requirements for collecting fees from recipients of alternative care services; amending Minnesota Statutes 1991 Supplement, section 256B.0913, subdivision 12.

Referred to the Committee on Health and Human Services.

Messrs. Lessard and Finn introduced—

S.F. No. 2572: A bill for an act relating to agriculture; requiring labels for packaged wild rice offered for wholesale or retail sale in Minnesota to customers or consumers in Minnesota to include the place of origin and the method of harvesting; eliminating annual reporting requirements and modifying record keeping requirements; amending Minnesota Statutes 1990, section 30.49, subdivisions 1, 2, 3, and by adding subdivisions.

Referred to the Committee on Agriculture and Rural Development.

Mr. Pogemiller, Ms. Ranum, Messrs. Morse; Frederickson, D.R. and Riveness introduced—

S.F. No. 2573: A bill for an act relating to state government; clarifying that the open meeting law applies to advisory bodies; providing that a court may award attorney's fees to the prevailing party in an action brought under the open meeting law; amending Minnesota Statutes 1990, section 471.705, subdivision 2; Minnesota Statutes 1991 Supplement, section 471.705, subdivision 1.

Referred to the Committee on Governmental Operations.

Ms. Flynn introduced—

S.F. No. 2574: A bill for an act relating to the city of Minneapolis; authorizing community service officers to enforce certain ordinances.

Referred to the Committee on Local Government.

Ms. Berglin introduced—

S.F. No. 2575: A bill for an act relating to human services; establishing nursing facility property reimbursement; amending Minnesota Statutes 1990, sections 246B.41, subdivision 2; 256B.421, subdivision 1; and 256B.431, subdivision 4; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 256B; repealing Minnesota Statutes 1990, section 256B.431, subdivisions 3, 3a, 3b, 3c, 3d, 3g, 3h, 3i, and 3j; Minnesota Statutes 1991 Supplement, section 256B.431, subdivision 3f; Minnesota Rules, part 9549.0060, subparts 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, and 13.

Referred to the Committee on Health and Human Services.

Mr. Laidig introduced—

S.F. No. 2576: A bill for an act relating to the environment; providing that diesel-powered motor vehicles that are exempt from testing may verify the exemption at the place of registration rather than at a testing station; amending Minnesota Statutes 1990, section 116.61, subdivision 1.

Referred to the Committee on Environment and Natural Resources.

Mr. Laidig introduced—

S.F. No. 2577: A bill for an act relating to lawful gambling; specifying organizations eligible to conduct lawful gambling without a license from the gambling control board; amending Minnesota Statutes 1990, section 349.166, subdivision 2.

Referred to the Committee on Gaming Regulation.

Ms. Berglin introduced—

S.F. No. 2578: A bill for an act relating to chemical abuse prevention and treatment; requiring coordinated prevention efforts concerning fetal alcohol syndrome and drug-exposed infants; appropriating money for community chemical abuse prevention program grants; providing grants for chemical dependency programs targeted at pregnant women and mothers, high-risk youth, and young children; requiring chemical use assessments for certain juveniles at an earlier stage of the juvenile court process; clarifying the

duties of the office of drug policy and the chemical abuse prevention resource council; expanding the council's membership; requiring the development of a chemical health index model; requiring a statewide chemical health media campaign; appropriating money; amending Minnesota Statutes 1990, sections 241.021, by adding a subdivision; 254A.14, by adding a subdivision; 254A.17, subdivision 1, and by adding a subdivision; 260.151, subdivision 1; and 260.172, by adding a subdivision; Minnesota Statutes 1991 Supplement, sections 299A.30, subdivision 2; 299A.31, subdivision 1; and 299A.32, subdivision 2a; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapters 145; and 299A.

Referred to the Committee on Health and Human Services.

Ms. Berglin introduced—

S.F. No. 2579: A bill for an act relating to education; prohibiting the use of state money to or for schools that use names or mascots demeaning to Native Americans; amending Minnesota Statutes 1990, sections 124.19, by adding a subdivision; and 136A.16, by adding a subdivision; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapters 123 and 135A.

Referred to the Committee on Education.

Ms. Berglin introduced—

S.F. No. 2580: A bill for an act relating to aging; establishing an advisory task force to study issues of concern to Indian elders; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 256.

Referred to the Committee on Health and Human Services.

Mr. Kroening introduced—

S.F. No. 2581: A bill for an act relating to retirement; providing level benefits for members of the Minneapolis fire department relief association.

Referred to the Committee on Governmental Operations.

Mr. Benson, D.D. introduced—

S.F. No. 2582: A bill for an act relating to counties; animal control; changing authority and procedures for regulating certain dogs and cats and indemnifying livestock owners for damage by dogs; amending Minnesota Statutes 1990, sections 347.08; 347.09; 347.13; and 347.19; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapters 347 and 375; repealing Minnesota Statutes 1990, sections 347.10; 347.11; 347.12; 347.14; 347.15; and 347.16.

Referred to the Committee on Veterans and General Legislation.

Mr. Mehrkens introduced—

S.F. No. 2583: A bill for an act relating to taxation; sales tax; exempting municipal art organizations from sales tax on tickets and admissions; amending Minnesota Statutes 1990, section 297A.25, subdivision 24.

Referred to the Committee on Taxes and Tax Laws.

Ms. Pappas, Mr. Hottinger, Meses. Ranum; Johnson, J.B. and Traub introduced—

S.F. No. 2584: A bill for an act relating to community service; providing the Minnesota jobs in community service act; establishing a community service program; appropriating money; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapters 16B; and 121.

Referred to the Committee on Health and Human Services.

Ms. Johnson, J.B. introduced—

S.F. No. 2585: A bill for an act relating to education; requiring faculty, staff, and students in post-secondary institutions to participate in violence prevention and sexual harassment training programs; requiring campus escort services; requiring recommendations from the higher education coordinating board about curricula, based upon a survey of graduates and current course offerings; authorizing grants for multidisciplinary training programs; appropriating money; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 135A.

Referred to the Committee on Education.

Mr. Hottinger introduced—

S.F. No. 2586: A bill for an act relating to education; allowing independent school district No. 77, Mankato, to start school before Labor Day in 1992.

Referred to the Committee on Education.

Mr. Hottinger introduced—

S.F. No. 2587: A bill for an act relating to intoxicating liquor; authorizing Blue Earth county to issue an on-sale license to a billiard hall in the county.

Referred to the Committee on Commerce.

Mses. Pappas, Berglin, Messrs. Langseth, Frank and Kelly introduced—

S.F. No. 2588: A bill for an act relating to transportation; abolishing transportation regulation board and transferring regulatory responsibilities for motor carriers and common carriers by rail to department of transportation; amending Minnesota Statutes 1990, sections 174.02, subdivision 4; 174.10; 218.041, subdivision 8; 219.39; 221.022; 221.161, subdivision 1; 221.185, subdivision 5a; 221.221, subdivision 2; 221.295; and 222.633; Minnesota Statutes 1991 Supplement, sections 15A.081, subdivision 1; and 174.03, subdivision 2; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 174; repealing Minnesota Statutes 1990, sections 174A.01; 174A.02; 174A.03; 174A.04; 174A.05; 174A.06; 218.011, subdivision 7; 221.011, subdivision 2b; and 221.0315.

Referred to the Committee on Transportation.

Mrs. Pariseau, by request, introduced—

S.F. No. 2589: A bill for an act relating to utilities; authorizing municipalities to enter into franchise agreements with telephone companies; amending Minnesota Statutes 1990, section 237.16, subdivision 1, and by

adding a subdivision.

Referred to the Committee on Energy and Public Utilities.

Mrs. Pariseau, by request, introduced—

S.F. No. 2590: A bill for an act relating to local government; city special service districts; providing that special services be defined in the city's ordinance; amending Minnesota Statutes 1990, section 428A.01, subdivision 3.

Referred to the Committee on Local Government.

Mrs. Pariseau, Messrs. Bernhagen, Halberg and Ms. Johnston introduced—

S.F. No. 2591: A bill for an act proposing an amendment to the Minnesota Constitution, article IV, section 12; providing that the legislature meet in regular session in odd-numbered years.

Referred to the Committee on Elections and Ethics.

Mr. Larson, Ms. Olson, Mr. Vickerman, Mmes. Benson, J.E. and Pariseau introduced—

S.F. No. 2592: A bill for an act relating to state government; forbidding state employees from receiving benefits for airline trips paid for by the state; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 43A.

Referred to the Committee on Governmental Operations.

Mr. Kroening and Ms. Flynn introduced—

S.F. No. 2593: A bill for an act relating to retirement; Minneapolis teachers; providing authority for Minneapolis teachers retirement fund association to amend its articles of incorporation to modify disability benefits for basic program members.

Referred to the Committee on Governmental Operations.

Mses. Pappas, Ranum, Messrs. Belanger; Frederickson, D.J. and Ms. Reichgott introduced—

S.F. No. 2594: A bill for an act relating to taxation; imposing additional sales tax on adult oriented materials; providing for deposit of the revenue in a sexual assault and domestic violence account; amending Minnesota Statutes 1990, sections 297A.01, by adding a subdivision; 297A.02, by adding a subdivision; and 297A.44, by adding a subdivision; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 16A.

Referred to the Committee on Taxes and Tax Laws.

Mr. Renneke introduced—

S.F. No. 2595: A bill for an act relating to utilities; making adjustments in how telephone service rates are determined when extended area telephone service is established; amending Minnesota Statutes 1990, section 237.161, subdivision 3, and by adding a subdivision.

Referred to the Committee on Energy and Public Utilities.

Mrs. Brataas, Messrs. Stumpf, Morse, Renneke and Waldorf introduced—

S.F. No. 2596: A bill for an act relating to retirement; public employees police and fire fund; authorizing the purchase of service credit for military service by honorably discharged veterans; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 353.

Referred to the Committee on Governmental Operations.

Ms. Pappas, Messrs. Novak, Spear, Marty and Knaak introduced—

S.F. No. 2597: A bill for an act relating to state government; increasing the size of the council on Asian-Pacific Minnesotans; providing for representation of various Asian-Pacific communities on the council; amending Minnesota Statutes 1991 Supplement, section 3.9226, subdivision 1.

Referred to the Committee on Governmental Operations.

Messrs. Finn, Stumpf, Hottinger, Langseth and Samuelson introduced—

S.F. No. 2598: A bill for an act relating to education; amending post-secondary enrollment options funding for school districts for fiscal year 1993 and later years; reenacting and amending Minnesota Statutes 1990, section 123.3514, subdivisions 6 and 6b, as amended; and amending Laws 1991, chapter 265, article 9, section 75.

Referred to the Committee on Education.

Mr. Frank introduced—

S.F. No. 2599: A bill for an act relating to retirement; Columbia Heights paid firefighters relief association; authorizing the termination of the relief association; providing a procedure for the conversion of retirement benefits for the active and retired membership; continuing certain state aid payments; amending Laws 1965, chapter 605, sections 5, 16, 18 and 31; Laws 1975, chapter 424, section 13; and Laws 1977, chapter 374, sections 39, 40, 45, 47, 49, 51, as amended, and 54; repealing Laws 1965, chapter 605, sections 1, 2, 4, 5, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 13, 14, 15, 17, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 29, and 30; Laws 1975, chapter 424, sections 1, 2, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, and 12; Laws 1977, chapter 374, sections 38, 48, 52, 53, 56, 57, 58, and 59; Laws 1978, chapter 563, sections 29 and 30; Laws 1979, chapter 201, section 40; and Laws 1981, chapter 224, section 267.

Referred to the Committee on Governmental Operations.

Mr. Beckman, Ms. Traub, Messrs. Metzen and Davis introduced—

S.F. No. 2600: A bill for an act relating to economic development; creating a mission statement for the department of trade and economic development; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 116J.

Referred to the Committee on Economic Development and Housing.

Mr. Beckman, Ms. Traub, Messrs. Metzen and Davis introduced—

S.F. No. 2601: A bill for an act relating to economic development; creating standards for quasi-public agencies; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 15.

Referred to the Committee on Governmental Operations.

Ms. Berglin, Mr. Benson, D.D.; Ms. Piper and Mr. Larson introduced—

S.F. No. 2602: A bill for an act relating to health care; providing health coverage for low-income uninsured persons; establishing statewide and regional cost containment programs; reforming requirements for health insurance companies; establishing rural health system initiatives; creating quality of care and data collection programs; revising malpractice laws; creating a health care access account; imposing taxes; appropriating money; amending Minnesota Statutes 1990, sections 43A.316, by adding a subdivision; 62A.02, subdivisions 1, 2, 3, and by adding subdivisions; 62E.11, by adding a subdivision; 62H.01; 136A.1355, subdivisions 2 and 3; 145.682, subdivision 4; 256.936, subdivisions 1, 2, 3, 4, and by adding subdivisions; and 290.01, subdivision 19b; Minnesota Statutes 1991 Supplement, sections 62A.31, subdivision 1; 145.61, subdivision 5; 145.64, subdivision 2; 256.936, subdivision 5; and 297.02, subdivision 1; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapters 16A; 62A; 62E; 62J; 136A; 137; 144; 144A; 256; 256B; 295; and 604; proposing coding for new law as Minnesota Statutes, chapter 62L; repealing Minnesota Statutes 1990, sections 62A.02, subdivisions 4 and 5.

Referred to the Committee on Commerce.

Ms. Berglin, Mr. Benson, D.D.; Ms. Piper, Mr. Larson and Mr. Johnson, D.J. introduced—

S.F. No. 2603: A bill for an act relating to health care; providing health coverage for low-income uninsured persons; establishing statewide and regional cost containment programs; reforming requirements for health insurance companies; establishing rural health system initiatives; creating quality of care and data collection programs; revising malpractice laws; creating a health care access account; imposing taxes; appropriating money; amending Minnesota Statutes 1990, sections 43A.316, by adding a subdivision; 62A.02, subdivisions 1, 2, 3, and by adding subdivisions; 62E.11, by adding a subdivision; 62H.01; 136A.1355, subdivisions 2 and 3; 145.682, subdivision 4; 256.936, subdivisions 1, 2, 3, 4, and by adding subdivisions; and 290.01, subdivision 19b; Minnesota Statutes 1991 Supplement, sections 62A.31, subdivision 1; 145.61, subdivision 5; 145.64, subdivision 2; 256.936, subdivision 5; and 297.02, subdivision 1; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapters 16A; 62A; 62E; 62J; 136A; 137; 144; 144A; 256; 256B; 295; and 604; proposing coding for new law as Minnesota Statutes, chapter 62L; repealing Minnesota Statutes 1990, sections 62A.02, subdivisions 4 and 5.

Referred to the Committee on Health and Human Services.

Ms. Berglin, Mr. Benson, D.D.; Ms. Piper, Mrs. Benson, J.E. and Mr. Hottinger introduced—

S.F. No. 2604: A bill for an act relating to health care; providing health coverage for low-income uninsured persons; establishing statewide and regional cost containment programs; reforming requirements for health insurance companies; establishing rural health system initiatives; creating quality of care and data collection programs; revising malpractice laws; creating a health care access account; imposing taxes; appropriating money; amending Minnesota Statutes 1990, sections 43A.316, by adding a subdivision; 62A.02, subdivisions 1, 2, 3, and by adding subdivisions; 62E.11, by adding a subdivision; 62H.01; 136A.1355, subdivisions 2 and 3; 145.682, subdivision 4; 256.936, subdivisions 1, 2, 3, 4, and by adding subdivisions; and 290.01, subdivision 19b; Minnesota Statutes 1991 Supplement, sections 62A.31, subdivision 1; 145.61, subdivision 5; 145.64, subdivision 2; 256.936, subdivision 5; and 297.02, subdivision 1; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapters 16A; 62A; 62E; 62J; 136A; 137; 144; 144A; 256; 256B; 295; and 604; proposing coding for new law as Minnesota Statutes, chapter 62L; repealing Minnesota Statutes 1990, sections 62A.02, subdivisions 4 and 5.

Referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Messrs. Johnson, D.J.; Riveness; Samuelson and Beckman introduced—

S.F. No. 2605: A bill for an act relating to the emergency jobs program; modifying program conditions; amending Minnesota Statutes 1990, sections 268.676, subdivision 1; 268.77, subdivision 1; and 268.681, subdivisions 1 and 2.

Referred to the Committee on Economic Development and Housing.

### ADJOURNMENT

Mr. Moe, R.D. moved that the Senate do now adjourn until 1:00 p.m., Wednesday, March 11, 1992. The motion prevailed.

Patrick E. Flahaven, Secretary of the Senate