

SIXTY-FOURTH DAY

St. Paul, Minnesota, Monday, February 28, 1994

The Senate met at 11:00 a.m. 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 the Chaplain, Rev. Duane Pribula.

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:

Anderson	Dille	Knutson	Moe, R.D.	Reichgott Junge
Beckman	Finn	Krentz	Mondale	Riveness
Belanger	Flynn	Kroening	Morse	Robertson
Benson, D.D.	Frederickson	Laidig	Murphy	Runbeck
Benson, J.E.	Hanson	Langseth	Neuville	Saris
Berg	Hottinger	Larson	Novak	Samuelson
Berglin	Janezich	Lesewski	Oliver	Solon
Bertram	Johnson, D.E.	Lessard	Olson	Spear
Betzold	Johnson, D.J.	Luther	Pappas	Stevens
Chandler	Johnson, J.B.	Marty	Pariseau	Stumpf
Chmielewski	Johnston	McGowan	Piper	Terwilliger
Cohen	Kelly	Merriam	Pogemiller	Vickerman
Day	Kiscaden	Metzen	Ranum	Wiener

The President declared a quorum present.

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

EXECUTIVE AND OFFICIAL COMMUNICATIONS

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

February 1, 1994

The Honorable Allan H. Spear
President of the Senate

Dear Sir:

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

MINNESOTA HOUSING FINANCE AGENCY

Michael Finch, 5713 Garfield Ave. S., Minneapolis, Hennepin County, has been appointed by me, effective February 2, 1994, for a term expiring on the first Monday in January, 1998.

(Referred to the Committee on Jobs, Energy and Community Development.)

Warmest regards,
Arne H. Carlson, Governor

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 Senate Resolution No. 34 and reports pertaining to appointments. The motion prevailed.

Ms. Berglin from the Committee on Health Care, to which was referred

S.F. No. 1842: A bill for an act relating to human services; protection of vulnerable adults; requiring a report to the legislature; appropriating money; amending Minnesota Statutes 1992, section 626.557, subdivisions 2, 10a, and 12.

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

Ms. Berglin from the Committee on Health Care, to which was referred

S.F. No. 1806: A bill for an act relating to nursing; allowing certified clinical specialists in psychiatric or mental health nursing to prescribe and administer drugs; appropriating money; amending Minnesota Statutes 1992, section 148.235, by adding subdivisions; Minnesota Statutes 1993 Supplement, section 148.235, subdivision 2.

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

Page 2, line 30, after "that" insert "*specifies the responsibility for the diagnosis and*"

Page 2, line 36, after the period, insert "*Nothing in this subdivision removes or limits the legal professional liability of the treating psychiatrist and mental health clinic or hospital for the prescription and administration of drugs by a clinical specialist in accordance with this subdivision.*"

Page 3, after line 11, insert:

"For purposes of this subdivision "advanced practice nurses" includes only the practices identified in this section."

Page 3, delete section 4

Page 3, line 17, delete "4" and insert "3"

Renumber the sections in sequence

Amend the title as follows:

Page 1, line 4, delete "appropriating money;"

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

Ms. Berglin from the Committee on Health Care, to which was referred

S.F. No. 1319: A bill for an act relating to health; modifying the definition of review organization; amending Minnesota Statutes 1992, section 145.61, subdivision 5, and 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 1992, section 145.61, is amended by adding a subdivision to read:

Subd. 4c. "Preferred provider organization" means an organization that contracts with insurance carriers or other entities to arrange a network of health care providers whose services are offered to the insureds or other covered persons.

Sec. 2. Minnesota Statutes 1992, section 145.61, subdivision 5, is amended to read:

Subd. 5. "Review organization" means a nonprofit organization acting according to clause (k) or a committee whose membership is limited to professionals, administrative staff, and consumer directors, except where otherwise provided for by state or federal law, and which is established by one or more of the following: a hospital, ~~by~~ a clinic, ~~by~~ a nursing home, ~~by~~ one or more state or local associations of professionals, ~~by~~ an organization of professionals from a particular area or medical institution, ~~by~~ a health maintenance organization as defined in chapter 62D, ~~by~~ a nonprofit health service plan corporation as defined in chapter 62C, a preferred provider organization, ~~by~~ a professional standards review organization established pursuant to United States Code, title 42, section 1320c-1 et seq., ~~or by~~ a medical review agent established to meet the requirements of section 256B.04, subdivision 15, or 256D.03, subdivision 7, paragraph (b), ~~or by~~ the department of human services, or a nonprofit corporation established by one or more of the above referenced entities, to gather and review information relating to the care and treatment of patients for the purposes of:

(a) evaluating and improving the quality of health care rendered in the area or medical institution or by the entity or organization which established the review organization;

(b) reducing morbidity or mortality;

(c) obtaining and disseminating statistics and information relative to the treatment and prevention of diseases, illness and injuries;

(d) developing and publishing guidelines showing the norms of health care in the area or medical institution or in the entity or organization which established the review organization;

(e) developing and publishing guidelines designed to keep within reasonable bounds the cost of health care;

(f) reviewing the quality or cost of health care services provided to enrollees of health maintenance organizations, health service plans, *preferred provider organizations*, and insurance companies;

(g) acting as a professional standards review organization pursuant to United States Code, title 42, section 1320c-1 et seq.;

(h) determining whether a professional shall be granted staff privileges in a medical institution, membership in a state or local association of professionals, or participating status in a nonprofit health service plan corporation, health maintenance organization, *preferred provider organization*, or insurance company, or whether a professional's staff privileges, membership, or participation status should be limited, suspended or revoked;

(i) reviewing, ruling on, or advising on controversies, disputes or questions between:

(1) health insurance carriers, nonprofit health service plan corporations, ~~or~~ health maintenance organizations, *self-insurers* and their insureds, subscribers, ~~or~~ enrollees, *or other covered persons*;

(2) professional licensing boards and health providers licensed by them;

(3) professionals and their patients concerning diagnosis, treatment or care, or the charges or fees therefor;

(4) professionals and health insurance carriers, nonprofit health service plan corporations, ~~or~~ health maintenance organizations, *or self-insurers* concerning a charge or fee for health care services provided to an insured, subscriber, ~~or~~ enrollee, *or other covered person*;

(5) professionals or their patients and the federal, state, or local government, or agencies thereof;

(j) providing underwriting assistance in connection with professional liability insurance coverage applied for or obtained by dentists, or providing assistance to underwriters in evaluating claims against dentists;

(k) acting as a medical review agent under section 256B.04, subdivision 15, or 256D.03, subdivision 7, paragraph (b);

(l) providing recommendations on the medical necessity of a health service, or the relevant prevailing community standard for a health service;

(m) reviewing a provider's professional practice as requested by the health care analysis unit under section 62J.32; ~~or~~

(n) providing quality assurance as required by United States Code, title 42, sections 1396r(b)(1)(b) and 1395i-3(b)(1)(b) of the Social Security Act;

(o) providing information to group purchasers of health care services when that information was originally generated within the review organization for a purpose specified by this subdivision; or

(p) providing information to other, affiliated or nonaffiliated review organizations, when that information was originally generated within the review organization for a purpose specified by this subdivision, and as long as that information will further the purposes of a review organization as specified by this subdivision.

Sec. 3. Minnesota Statutes 1992, section 145.64, subdivision 1, is amended to read:

Subdivision 1. [DATA AND INFORMATION.] All data and information acquired by a review organization, in the exercise of its duties and functions, or by an individual or other entity acting at the direction of a review board, shall be held in confidence, shall not be disclosed to anyone except to the extent necessary to carry out one or more of the purposes of the review organization, and shall not be subject to subpoena or discovery. No person described in section 145.63 shall disclose what transpired at a meeting of a review organization except to the extent necessary to carry out one or more of the purposes of a review organization. The proceedings and records of a review organization shall not be subject to discovery or introduction into evidence in any civil action against a professional arising out of the matter or matters which are the subject of consideration by the review organization. Information, documents or records otherwise available from original sources shall not be immune from discovery or use in any civil action merely because they were presented during proceedings of a review organization, nor shall any person who testified before a review organization or who is a member of it be prevented from testifying as to matters within the person's knowledge, but a witness cannot be asked about the witness' testimony before a review organization or opinions formed by the witness as a result of its hearings.

The confidentiality protection and protection from discovery or introduction into evidence provided in this subdivision shall also apply to the governing body of the review organization and shall not be waived as a result of referral of a matter from the review organization to the governing body or consideration by the governing body of decisions, recommendations, or documentation of the review organization.

Sec. 4. Minnesota Statutes 1992, section 147.111, subdivision 3, is amended to read:

Subd. 3. [MEDICAL SOCIETIES.] A state or local medical society shall report to the board any termination, revocation, or suspension of membership or any other disciplinary action taken against a physician. If the society has received a complaint which might be grounds for discipline under sections 147.01 to 147.22 against a member physician on which it has not taken any disciplinary action, the society shall report the complaint and the reason why it has not taken action on it or shall direct the complainant to the board of medical practice. *This subdivision does not apply to a medical society when it performs peer review functions as an agent of an outside entity, organization, or system.*

Delete the title and insert:

"A bill for an act relating to health; modifying the definition of review organization; allowing review organizations to provide information to purchasers and other review organizations; providing confidentiality protection and protection from discovery process for the transfer of the information; clarifying the scope of confidentiality of review organization records; exempting medical societies from reporting obligations when performing peer review functions; amending Minnesota Statutes 1992, sections 145.61, subdivision 5, and by adding a subdivision; 145.64, subdivision 1; and 147.111, subdivision 3."

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

Mr. Spear from the Committee on Crime Prevention, to which was referred the following appointment as reported in the Journal for February 22, 1994:

DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTIONS
COMMISSIONER

Frank W. Wood

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

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

Mr. Moe, R.D. from the Committee on Rules and Administration, recommends that Senate Resolution No. 34, adopted by the Senate May 3, 1993, relating to Permanent Rules of the Senate, be amended as follows:

Rule 71 is amended to read:

PRIVILEGE OF REPORTERS

71. Provision shall be made for news reporters on the Senate floor in limited numbers, and in the Senate gallery. Because of limited space on the floor, permanent space is limited to those news agencies which have regularly covered the legislature, namely: The Associated Press, ~~United Press International~~, St. Paul Pioneer Press Dispatch, Star Tribune, Duluth News-Tribune and Herald, *Fargo Forum*, Rochester Post-Bulletin, St. Cloud Daily Times, WCCO radio, KSTP radio, and Minnesota Public Radio. An additional two spaces shall be provided to other reporters if space is available.

One person from each named agency and one person from the Senate Publications Office may be present at the press table on the Senate floor at any one time.

Other news media personnel may occupy seats provided in the Senate gallery.

The Committee on Rules and Administration may, through committee action or by delegating authority to the Secretary, allow television filming on the Senate floor on certain occasions.

The Secretary of the Senate shall compile and distribute to the public a directory of reporters accredited to report from the Senate floor. The directory must include each reporter's picture and news organization and a brief biography. The Secretary must issue each accredited reporter an identification badge showing the reporter's name and news organization.

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

Mr. Lessard from the Committee on Environment and Natural Resources, to which were referred the following appointments as reported in the Journal for January 19, 1993:

MINNESOTA POLLUTION CONTROL AGENCY

Edward A. Garvey
Keith H. Langmo

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.

Mr. Lessard from the Committee on Environment and Natural Resources, to which was referred the following appointment as reported in the Journal for May 6, 1993:

MINNESOTA ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY BOARD

Paul Toren

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

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

Mr. Lessard from the Committee on Environment and Natural Resources, to which were referred the following appointments as reported in the Journal for February 22, 1994:

ENVIRONMENTAL TRUST FUND CITIZENS'
ADVISORY COMMITTEE

Jack LaVoy
Jean Sanford

OFFICE OF WASTE MANAGEMENT
DIRECTOR

John R. Chell

MINNESOTA ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY BOARD

Bruce Bomier

MINNESOTA POLLUTION CONTROL AGENCY

Daniel D. Foley

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.

Mr. Lessard from the Committee on Environment and Natural Resources, to which was referred the following appointment as reported in the Journal for January 19, 1993:

BOARD OF WATER AND SOIL RESOURCES
CHAIR

D. James Nielsen

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

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

Mr. Lessard from the Committee on Environment and Natural Resources, to which were referred the following appointments as reported in the Journal for January 28, 1993:

ENVIRONMENTAL TRUST FUND CITIZENS'
ADVISORY COMMITTEE

Arlan H. Anderson
Ty Bischoff
Nancy Gibson

MINNESOTA ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY BOARD

Deanna Fairbanks

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.

Mr. Moe, R.D. from the Committee on Rules and Administration, recommends that Senate Resolution No. 34, adopted by the Senate May 3, 1993, relating to Permanent Rules of the Senate, be amended as follows:

Rule 27 is amended to read:

AUTHORIZED ELECTRICAL VOTING DEVICE

27. Unless otherwise ordered, a vote, except upon elections ~~and upon the overriding of a governor's veto~~, may be taken by means of the electrical voting system which is under the control of the President.

Rule 58 is amended to read:

COMMITTEE MEETINGS

58. All meetings of the Senate, its committees, committee divisions, and subcommittees are open to the public. A meeting of a caucus of the members of any of those bodies from the same political party need not be open to the public. A caucus of the Hennepin county, Ramsey county, or St. Louis county delegation is open to the public. For purposes of this rule, a meeting occurs when a quorum is present and action is taken regarding a matter within the jurisdiction of the body.

To the extent practical, meetings of all committees shall be announced to the public at least three calendar days prior to convening. The notice shall state the name of the committee, the bill or bills to be considered, the place and time

of meeting. The notice shall be posted on all Senate bulletin boards in the Capitol and the State Office Building. A notice shall be sent to the House of Representatives for posting as it deems necessary. If the three-day notice requirement cannot be met, known proponents and opponents of the bill shall be given simultaneous notice of the meeting as soon as practicable.

A delete-everything amendment or an amendment more than one page in length must be filed with the committee secretary and made available to the public no later than 4:00 p.m. on the last working day before it is offered to the committee, unless two-thirds of the members present vote to suspend the prefiling requirement.

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

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS

Mr. Spear moved that his name be stricken as a co-author to S.F. No. 341. The motion prevailed.

Mr. Marty moved that his name be stricken as chief author; shown as a co-author, and the name of Ms. Anderson be added as chief author to S.F. No. 341. The motion prevailed.

Ms. Krentz moved that the name of Mr. Stumpf be added as a co-author to S.F. No. 614. The motion prevailed.

Mr. McGowan moved that the name of Mr. Merriam be added as a co-author to S.F. No. 793. The motion prevailed.

Mr. Murphy moved that the names of Mr. Morse and Ms. Johnson, J.B. be added as co-authors to S.F. No. 1678. The motion prevailed.

Mr. Betzold moved that the name of Mr. Finn be added as a co-author to S.F. No. 1691. The motion prevailed.

Ms. Reichgott Junge moved that the name of Mr. Finn be added as a co-author to S.F. No. 1702. The motion prevailed.

Mr. Cohen moved that the name of Mr. Finn be added as a co-author to S.F. No. 1703. The motion prevailed.

Mr. Johnson, D.J. moved that his name be stricken as chief author, shown as a co-author and the name of Mr. Riveness be added as chief author to S.F. No. 1709. The motion prevailed.

Mr. Vickerman moved that the name of Mr. Finn be added as a co-author to S.F. No. 1745. The motion prevailed.

Mr. Betzold moved that the name of Ms. Ranum be added as a co-author to S.F. No. 1759. The motion prevailed.

Ms. Hanson moved that the name of Mr. Finn be added as a co-author to S.F. No. 1774. The motion prevailed.

Ms. Johnston moved that the name of Mr. Kelly be added as a co-author to S.F. No. 1785. The motion prevailed.

Mr. Bertram moved that the name of Mr. Finn be added as a co-author to S.F. No. 1799. The motion prevailed.

Mr. Knutson moved that the name of Mr. Lessard be added as a co-author to S.F. No. 1809. The motion prevailed.

Mr. Knutson moved that the name of Mr. Lessard be added as a co-author to S.F. No. 1810. The motion prevailed.

Mr. Bertram moved that the name of Mr. Lessard be added as a co-author to S.F. No. 1838. The motion prevailed.

Mr. Bertram moved that the names of Messrs. Morse and Stumpf be added as co-authors to S.F. No. 1830. The motion prevailed.

Ms. Anderson moved that the name of Mr. Morse be added as a co-author to S.F. No. 1844. The motion prevailed.

Mr. Betzold moved that S.F. No. 1689 be withdrawn from the Committee on Crime Prevention and re-referred to the Committee on Judiciary. The motion prevailed.

Mr. Vickerman moved that S.F. No. 1700 be withdrawn from the Committee on Judiciary and re-referred to the Committee on Veterans and General Legislation. The motion prevailed.

Mr. Belanger moved that S.F. No. 1736 be withdrawn from the Committee on Metropolitan and Local Government and re-referred to the Committee on Transportation and Public Transit. The motion prevailed.

Mr. Stumpf moved that S.F. No. 1756 be withdrawn from the Committee on Environment and Natural Resources and re-referred to the Committee on Metropolitan and Local Government. The motion prevailed.

Mr. Sams moved that S.F. No. 1609 be withdrawn from the Committee on Jobs, Energy and Community Development and re-referred to the Committee on Agriculture and Rural Development. The motion prevailed.

Without objection, remaining on the Order of Business of Motions and Resolutions, the Senate reverted to the Order of Business of Second Reading of Senate Bills.

SECOND READING OF SENATE BILLS

S.F. No. 1806 was read the second time.

INTRODUCTION AND FIRST READING OF SENATE BILLS

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

Mses. Piper, Berglin, Mr. Finn, Ms. Kiscaden and Mr. Sams introduced—

S.F. No. 1849: A bill for an act relating to occupations and professions; providing that health-related licensing boards may establish a program to protect the public from impaired regulated persons; providing for appointments; providing for rulemaking; appropriating money; amending Minnesota Statutes 1993 Supplement, section 214.06, subdivision 1; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 214.

Referred to the Committee on Health Care.

Ms. Piper, Mr. Samuelson, Ms. Kiscaden and Mr. Betzold introduced—

S.F. No. 1850: A bill for an act relating to human services; requiring the commissioner of human services to seek reform waivers in the program of aid to families with dependent children; authorizing vendor payments under certain circumstances; amending Minnesota Statutes 1992, sections 256.736, by adding a subdivision; 256.81; 256.979, by adding a subdivision; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 256.

Referred to the Committee on Family Services.

Messrs. Finn, Sams, Morse, Chandler and Ms. Olson introduced—

S.F. No. 1851: A bill for an act relating to appropriations; appropriating money for lake monitoring.

Referred to the Committee on Environment and Natural Resources.

Mrs. Benson, J.E.; Ms. Robertson, Mr. Johnson, D.E.; Meses. Lesewski and Johnston introduced—

S.F. No. 1852: A bill for an act relating to crime and crime prevention; imposing a mandatory minimum sentence on persons convicted of a third violent crime; imposing felony penalties on convicted felons who possess a firearm; creating a presumption in favor of certifying to adult court older juveniles who are alleged to have committed a violent or firearm-related crime; requiring parents to accompany their minor children to delinquency hearings; increasing penalties for and requiring consecutive sentencing of repeat DWI offenders; imposing penalties on motor vehicle owners who knowingly lend the vehicle to an intoxicated or unlicensed driver; requiring the commissioner of public safety to study the feasibility of a DWI offender tracking system; requiring certain sentencing guidelines modifications; providing for changes in the education and criminal laws to enhance safety in the schools; increasing protections for crime victims; requiring the establishment of a summer service camp pilot project for high-risk youth; regulating explosives, blasting agents, explosive devices, and incendiary devices; proposing an amendment to the Minnesota Constitution by adding a section to article IV that requires the legislature to provide by law for admissibility as evidence in trials of the results of DNA analysis; requiring all convicted violent offenders to provide a DNA specimen; changing the order of final argument in criminal cases; establishing pilot programs to improve supervision of probationers, parolees, and supervised releasees in the community; requiring a study of restorative justice sanctions; authorizing spending to make improvements of a capital nature to state correctional institutions; authorizing issuance of bonds; prescribing penalties; appropriating money for the Head Start program and for a variety of crime prevention and correctional programs; amending Minnesota Statutes 1992, sections 13.82, by adding a subdivision; 120.062, subdivision 7; 120.101, by adding a subdivision; 124.912, by adding a subdivision; 126.77, subdivision 1; 126.78; 127.03, subdivision 3; 127.29, subdivision 1, and by adding a subdivision; 127.30, by adding a subdivision; 127.31, by adding a subdivision; 127.35; 127.38; 169.797, subdivision 4; 260.015, subdivision 5; 260.111, by adding a subdivision; 260.125, subdivision 3, and by adding a subdivision; 260.145; 260.155, by adding a subdivision; 260.161, by adding a subdivision; 260.181, subdivision 4; 260.315; 299A.34, subdivision 1; 299F.71; 299F.72, subdivision 2, and by adding subdivisions; 299F.73; 299F.74; 299F.75; 299F.77;

299F.78, subdivision 1; 299F.79; 299F.80; 299F.82; 299F.83; 357.22; 357.241; 357.242; 609.02, subdivision 2, and by adding a subdivision; 609.055, subdivision 2; 609.066, subdivision 2; 609.105; 609.15, subdivision 1; 609.152, by adding a subdivision; 609.165, subdivision 1a; 609.168; 609.245; 611A.036; 611A.19; 611A.53, subdivision 2; 611A.73, subdivision 3; 624.731, subdivision 8; 626.76, subdivisions 1 and 2; 631.07; and 634.20; Minnesota Statutes 1993 Supplement, sections 13.32, subdivision 5; 13.82, subdivision 10; 120.101, subdivision 5; 121.831, subdivision 9; 169.121, subdivision 3; 169.129; 171.24; 260.161, subdivision 3; 299A.35, subdivision 1; 357.24; 540.18, subdivision 1; 609.035; 609.15, subdivision 2; 609.3461; 609.66, subdivision 1d; 609.902, subdivision 4; 611A.04, subdivisions 1 and 3; 611A.52, subdivision 8; 624.713; and 638.02, subdivision 2; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapters 169; 299A; 299C; 299F; and 609; repealing Minnesota Statutes 1992, sections 299F.72, subdivisions 3 and 4; 299F.78, subdivision 2; and 299F.815, as amended; Minnesota Statutes 1993 Supplement, section 299F.811.

Referred to the Committee on Crime Prevention.

Mr. Hottinger, Ms. Flynn, Mr. Mondale and Ms. Pappas introduced—

S.F. No. 1853: A bill for an act relating to cities; providing for annexation; proposing coding for new law as Minnesota Statutes, chapter 414A; repealing Minnesota Statutes 1992, sections 414.01; 414.011; 414.012; 414.02; 414.031; 414.0325; 414.033; 414.035; 414.036; 414.041; 414.051; 414.06; 414.061; 414.063; 414.065; 414.067; 414.07; 414.08; and 414.09.

Referred to the Committee on Metropolitan and Local Government.

Mr. Kroening introduced—

S.F. No. 1854: A bill for an act relating to retirement; Minnesota state retirement system; providing a retroactive exception to the reemployed annuitant earnings limitation for a certain individual.

Referred to the Committee on Governmental Operations and Reform.

Mr. Kelly introduced—

S.F. No. 1855: A bill for an act relating to peace officers; authorizing officers of states adjoining Minnesota to render assistance to peace officers of this state on request; granting these officers arrest authority in this state under certain circumstances; extending the state and local government tort liability laws to the conduct of these officers; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 626.

Referred to the Committee on Crime Prevention.

Mr. Lessard, Mrs. Pariseau, Messrs. Day, Janezich and Langseth introduced—

S.F. No. 1856: A bill for an act relating to local government; providing that the statutory procedure for tree removal does not apply to trees removed from town roads dedicated by plat; amending Minnesota Statutes 1992, section 160.22, subdivision 7a, and by adding a subdivision.

Referred to the Committee on Transportation and Public Transit.

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

S.F. No. 1857: A bill for an act relating to taxation; property; extending the agricultural homestead provisions of a relative to the father or mother; amending Minnesota Statutes 1993 Supplement, section 273.124, subdivision 1.

Referred to the Committee on Agriculture and Rural Development.

Messrs. Benson, D.D.; Merriam; Ms. Kiscaden and Mr. Morse introduced—

S.F. No. 1858: A bill for an act relating to natural resources; authorizing the commissioner of natural resources to sell lands in the Gordy Yaeger wildlife management area in Olmsted county; appropriating money.

Referred to the Committee on Environment and Natural Resources.

Messrs. Chandler, Lessard, Ms. Johnson, J.B.; Messrs. Frederickson and Merriam introduced—

S.F. No. 1859: A bill for an act relating to packaging; amending Minnesota Statutes 1992, sections 115A.03, by adding a subdivision; 115A.12, subdivision 1; 115A.5501, subdivisions 1, 2, and by adding subdivisions; Minnesota Statutes 1993 Supplement, sections 115A.03, subdivision 22b; and 115A.5501, subdivision 3; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 115A.

Referred to the Committee on Environment and Natural Resources.

Messrs. Riveness, Stumpf and Morse introduced—

S.F. No. 1860: A bill for an act relating to retirement; state university and state community college individual retirement account plans; clarifying various plan provisions; providing for plan coverage for technical college teachers; providing for an optional election of plan coverage for certain state university and community college teachers; mandating the preparation of plan recodification legislation; amending Minnesota Statutes 1992, sections 354.05, subdivision 2a; 354A.011, subdivision 15, and by adding a subdivision; 354B.01, by adding a subdivision; 354B.015; and 354B.02, by adding a subdivision; Minnesota Statutes 1993 Supplement, sections 352.04, subdivision 9; and 354B.02, subdivision 1; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 354B.

Referred to the Committee on Governmental Operations and Reform.

Mr. Riveness, Ms. Piper, Messrs. Samuelson and Kelly introduced—

S.F. No. 1861: A bill for an act relating to human services; appropriating money for crisis nursery and respite care programs.

Referred to the Committee on Family Services.

Messrs. Riveness, Metzen, Morse, Frederickson and Novak introduced—

S.F. No. 1862: A bill for an act relating to economic development; increasing the membership of the job skills partnership board; amending Minnesota Statutes 1993 Supplement, section 116L.03, subdivisions 1 and 2.

Referred to the Committee on Jobs, Energy and Community Development.

Mses. Pappas, Anderson, Kiscaden, Reichgott Junge and Mr. McGowan introduced—

S.F. No. 1863: A bill for an act relating to crime; recodifying and revising the crime of contributing to a minor's delinquency or need for protection or services; increasing penalties for certain acts; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 609; repealing Minnesota Statutes 1992, section 260.315.

Referred to the Committee on Crime Prevention.

Messrs. Knutson; Terwilliger; Benson, D.D. and Lessard introduced—

S.F. No. 1864: A bill for an act relating to marriage dissolution; providing for compensatory visitation; amending Minnesota Statutes 1992, section 518.175, by adding subdivisions.

Referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Ms. Runbeck, Mr. Knutson and Ms. Kiscaden introduced—

S.F. No. 1865: A bill for an act relating to child support; requiring the court reserve child support pending a custody evaluation under certain circumstances; amending Minnesota Statutes 1992, section 518.18.

Referred to the Committee on Family Services.

Messrs. Metzen, Laidig, Luther and Ms. Wiener introduced—

S.F. No. 1866: A bill for an act relating to capital improvements; appropriating money for the environmental impact statement for the Wakota bridge on Interstate Highway marked 494; authorizing the issuance of state bonds.

Referred to the Committee on Finance. Mr. Chmielewski questioned the reference thereon and, under Rule 35, the bill was referred to the Committee on Rules and Administration.

Ms. Berglin, Messrs. Hottinger, Betzold, Finn and Morse introduced—

S.F. No. 1867: A bill for an act relating to health; requiring the legislative auditor to study the administrative costs of providing health care services.

Referred to the Committee on Health Care.

Messrs. Day; Benson, D.D.; Kelly; Solon and Sams introduced—

S.F. No. 1868: A bill for an act relating to marriage dissolution; providing that both parents are child support obligors; establishing formulas for determining child support; amending Minnesota Statutes 1993 Supplement, section 518.551, subdivision 5.

Referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Messrs. Day, Stevens, Sams, Mrs. Pariseau and Mr. McGowan introduced—

S.F. No. 1869: A resolution memorializing Congress to propose an amendment to the United States Constitution to authorize Congress and the states to prohibit physical damage to the flag of the United States.

Referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Spear, Ms. Ranum, Messrs. Kelly, McGowan and Ms. Anderson introduced—

S.F. No. 1870: A bill for an act relating to crime victims; requiring the court at sentencing to inform victims how to implement their right to notice of offender release from correctional facilities; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 611A.

Referred to the Committee on Crime Prevention.

Messrs. Spear, McGowan and Luther introduced—

S.F. No. 1871: A bill for an act proposing an amendment to the Minnesota Constitution, adding a section to article XIII; providing for the admission of certain DNA evidence in judicial proceedings.

Referred to the Committee on Crime Prevention.

Ms. Hanson, Messrs. Murphy, Kroening and Langseth introduced—

S.F. No. 1872: A bill for an act relating to elevators; regulating persons who construct and repair elevators; requiring inspections; creating an advisory committee; setting minimum code standards; amending Minnesota Statutes 1992, sections 183.355, subdivision 3; 183.357; and 183.358; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 183.

Referred to the Committee on Jobs, Energy and Community Development.

Ms. Berglin introduced—

S.F. No. 1873: A bill for an act relating to human services; modifying provision concerning community mental health centers; amending Minnesota Statutes 1992, section 245.715.

Referred to the Committee on Health Care.

Messrs. Spear, Betzold, Ms. Kiscaden, Mr. Chmielewski and Ms. Reichgott Junge introduced—

S.F. No. 1874: A bill for an act relating to mental health; requesting the supreme court to conduct a study and make recommendations on commitment laws and procedures; establishing a task force and requiring appointments; appropriating money.

Referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Mondale, Ms. Flynn, Mr. Pogemiller and Ms. Pappas introduced—

S.F. No. 1875: A bill for an act relating to housing; creating a metropolitan reinvestment account; establishing uses; subjecting certain portions of homestead properties to the areawide tax rate; amending Minnesota Statutes 1992, sections 473F.02, by adding a subdivision; and 473F.08, subdivisions 2, 8a,

and by adding subdivisions; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 462A.

Referred to the Committee on Jobs, Energy and Community Development.

Mr. Murphy introduced—

S.F. No. 1876: A bill for an act relating to education; excluding cooperation and combination revenue from a fund balance determination for purposes of the referendum reduction; amending Minnesota Statutes 1992, section 124.2725, subdivision 16.

Referred to the Committee on Education.

Messrs. Benson, D.D.; Betzold and Hottinger introduced—

S.F. No. 1877: A bill for an act relating to human services; authorizing exceptions from vendor limitations in day training and habilitation service programs; amending Minnesota Statutes 1992, section 252.41, subdivision 9.

Referred to the Committee on Health Care.

Mr. Sams, Ms. Piper, Messrs. Betzold and Hottinger introduced—

S.F. No. 1878: A bill for an act relating to human services; authorizing projects which provide residential services in homes owned by persons with developmental disabilities; appropriating money; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 252.

Referred to the Committee on Health Care.

Messrs. Solon, Chandler and Ms. Johnston introduced—

S.F. No. 1879: A bill for an act relating to occupations and professions; requiring that concrete and masonry workers be licensed as residential contractors; amending Minnesota Statutes 1993 Supplement, sections 326.83, subdivisions 7, 19, and by adding a subdivision; 326.842; and 326.94, subdivision 1.

Referred to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection.

Mr. Merriam introduced—

S.F. No. 1880: A bill for an act relating to government; providing that a public body may close one or more meetings for preliminary consideration of charges against an individual subject to its authority; amending Minnesota Statutes 1992, section 471.705, subdivision 1d.

Referred to the Committee on Metropolitan and Local Government.

Messrs. Day; Benson, D.D.; Lessard; Sams and Solon introduced—

S.F. No. 1881: A bill for an act relating to marriage dissolution; providing for cooperative parenting and mandatory mediation; amending Minnesota Statutes 1992, sections 518.17, subdivision 2; and 518.619, by adding a subdivision.

Referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Chandler introduced—

S.F. No. 1882: A bill for an act relating to the state fire marshal; concerning fire protection; authorizing local units of government to adopt ordinances more stringent than the requirements of the uniform building code for the installation of fire protection sprinkler systems; amending Minnesota Statutes 1992, sections 299F.011, subdivision 4; and 299F.391, subdivision 3.

Referred to the Committee on Governmental Operations and Reform.

Mr. Lessard, Ms. Johnson, J.B.; Messrs. Kroening, Langseth and Chmielewski introduced—

S.F. No. 1883: A bill for an act relating to state government; requiring reimbursement of certain persons for legal expenses incurred.

Referred to the Committee on Finance.

Messrs. Kelly, McGowan, Luther and Cohen introduced—

S.F. No. 1884: A bill for an act relating to criminal procedure; proposing an amendment to the Minnesota Constitution, article I, section 7, to permit courts to deny a defendant's release on bail when necessary to protect the safety of any individual or the public or to ensure the defendant's appearance at court proceedings; enacting the Minnesota bail reform act; providing procedures governing pretrial and postconviction release and detention decisions; providing for appellate review of release and detention orders; imposing penalties for failure to appear in court as required and for commission of a crime while on release; amending Minnesota Statutes 1992, sections 589.16; 629.53; and 629.63; Minnesota Statutes 1993 Supplement, section 629.72, subdivision 2; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 609; proposing coding for new law as Minnesota Statutes, chapter 629A; repealing Minnesota Statutes 1992, sections 609.49; 629.44; 629.45; 629.47; 629.48; 629.49; 629.54; 629.55; 629.58; 629.59; 629.60; 629.61; 629.62; and 629.64.

Referred to the Committee on Crime Prevention.

Mr. Kelly, Ms. Krentz, Messrs. Beckman, Laidig and Chandler introduced—

S.F. No. 1885: A bill for an act relating to crime; establishing a state fund to pay rewards for information leading to the arrest and prosecution of criminal offenders; appropriating money; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 8.

Referred to the Committee on Crime Prevention.

Mr. Kelly, Ms. Ranum, Mr. Marty, Ms. Piper and Mr. Neuville introduced—

S.F. No. 1886: A bill for an act relating to juveniles; authorizing the juvenile court to require the presence of a minor's parent or guardian at hearings held during the delinquency proceedings; amending Minnesota Statutes 1992, section 260.155, by adding a subdivision.

Referred to the Committee on Crime Prevention.

Ms. Reichgott Junge, Messrs. Moe, R.D.; Murphy and Ms. Krentz introduced—

S.F. No. 1887: A bill for an act proposing an amendment to the Minnesota Constitution, article VIII, section 5; providing for recall of elected state officers.

Referred to the Committee on Ethics and Campaign Reform.

Ms. Reichgott Junge, Mr. Betzold, Ms. Flynn and Mr. Finn introduced—

S.F. No. 1888: A bill for an act relating to human rights; prohibiting marital status discrimination by public accommodations; amending Minnesota Statutes 1993 Supplement, section 363.03, subdivision 3.

Referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Cohen introduced—

S.F. No. 1889: A bill for an act relating to taxation; extending the availability of valuation exclusions for certain improvements made to property in 1992; amending Laws 1993, chapter 375, article 5, section 44.

Referred to the Committee on Taxes and Tax Laws.

Messrs. Cohen and Chandler introduced—

S.F. No. 1890: A bill for an act relating to the legislature; prescribing compensation for members; prohibiting per diem; allowing reimbursement of vouchered expenses only; proposing an amendment to the Minnesota Constitution, article IV, section 9; amending Minnesota Statutes 1992, sections 3.099, subdivisions 1, 3, and by adding subdivisions; 3.101; 3.103; 3A.01, subdivision 6a; 15A.082, subdivisions 1, 3, and 4; Laws 1993, chapter 192, section 2, subdivision 6.

Referred to the Committee on Rules and Administration.

Messrs. Sams, Samuelson, Janezich, Mses. Piper and Berglin introduced—

S.F. No. 1891: A bill for an act relating to human services; authorizing an increase in provider reimbursement for day training services.

Referred to the Committee on Health Care.

Messrs. Sams, Samuelson, Ms. Piper, Mr. Day and Ms. Berglin introduced—

S.F. No. 1892: A bill for an act relating to human services; clarifying the standards for payment rates for developmental achievement centers; authorizing appeals by vendors; amending Minnesota Statutes 1993 Supplement, section 252.46, subdivision 6, and by adding a subdivision.

Referred to the Committee on Health Care.

Messrs. Benson, D.D. and Berg introduced—

S.F. No. 1893: A bill for an act relating to fishing; permitting fences to be

erected across trout streams in certain instances; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 97C.

Referred to the Committee on Environment and Natural Resources.

Messrs. Benson, D.D.; Metzen; Moe, R.D.; Mses. Runbeck and Kiscaden introduced—

S.F. No. 1894: A bill for an act relating to administrative rules; repealing obsolete rules of the departments of agriculture, commerce, health, human services, public safety, public service, and revenue and the pollution control agency; removing internal references to repealed rules; amending Minnesota Rules, parts 1540.2140; 4400.4500, subpart 3; 7001.0140, subpart 2; 7001.0180; 7005.0100, subpart 8a; 7007.0100, subpart 7; 7009.0010, subpart 1; 7009.0030; 7009.0080; 7023.9050; 7035.2835, subpart 3; 7035.2835, subpart 6; 7035.2875, subpart 3; 7040.2800, subpart 1; 7045.0460, subpart 2; 8130.3500, subpart 3; and 8130.6500, subpart 5; repealing Minnesota Rules, parts 1540.0010, subparts 12, 18, 21, 22, and 24; 1540.0060; 1540.0070; 1540.0080; 1540.0100; 1540.0110; 1540.0120; 1540.0130; 1540.0140; 1540.0150; 1540.0160; 1540.0170; 1540.0180; 1540.0190; 1540.0200; 1540.0210; 1540.0220; 1540.0230; 1540.0240; 1540.0260; 1540.0320; 1540.0330; 1540.0340; 1540.0350; 1540.0370; 1540.0380; 1540.0390; 1540.0400; 1540.0410; 1540.0420; 1540.0440; 1540.0450; 1540.0460; 1540.0490; 1540.0500; 1540.0510; 1540.0520; 1540.0770; 1540.0780; 1540.0800; 1540.0810; 1540.0830; 1540.0880; 1540.0890; 1540.0900; 1540.0910; 1540.0920; 1540.0930; 1540.0940; 1540.0950; 1540.0960; 1540.0970; 1540.0980; 1540.0990; 1540.1000; 1540.1005; 1540.1010; 1540.1020; 1540.1030; 1540.1040; 1540.1050; 1540.1060; 1540.1070; 1540.1080; 1540.1090; 1540.1100; 1540.1110; 1540.1120; 1540.1130; 1540.1140; 1540.1150; 1540.1160; 1540.1170; 1540.1180; 1540.1190; 1540.1200; 1540.1210; 1540.1220; 1540.1230; 1540.1240; 1540.1250; 1540.1255; 1540.1260; 1540.1280; 1540.1290; 1540.1300; 1540.1310; 1540.1320; 1540.1330; 1540.1340; 1540.1350; 1540.1360; 1540.1380; 1540.1400; 1540.1410; 1540.1420; 1540.1430; 1540.1440; 1540.1450; 1540.1460; 1540.1470; 1540.1490; 1540.1500; 1540.1510; 1540.1520; 1540.1530; 1540.1540; 1540.1550; 1540.1560; 1549.1570; 1540.1580; 1540.1590; 1540.1600; 1540.1610; 1540.1620; 1540.1630; 1540.1640; 1540.1650; 1540.1660; 1540.1670; 1540.1680; 1540.1690; 1540.1700; 1540.1710; 1540.1720; 1540.1730; 1540.1740; 1540.1750; 1540.1760; 1540.1770; 1540.1780; 1540.1790; 1540.1800; 1540.1810; 1540.1820; 1540.1830; 1540.1840; 1540.1850; 1540.1860; 1540.1870; 1540.1880; 1540.1890; 1540.1900; 1540.1905; 1540.1910; 1540.1920; 1540.1930; 1540.1940; 1540.1950; 1540.1960; 1540.1970; 1540.1980; 1540.1990; 1540.2000; 1540.2010; 1540.2015; 1540.2020; 1540.2090; 1540.2100; 1540.2110; 1540.2120; 1540.2180; 1540.2190; 1540.2200; 1540.2210; 1540.2220; 1540.2230; 1540.2240; 1540.2250; 1540.2260; 1540.2270; 1540.2280; 1540.2290; 1540.2300; 1540.2310; 1540.2320; 1540.2325; 1540.2330; 1540.2340; 1540.2350; 1540.2360; 1540.2370; 1540.2380; 1540.2390; 1540.2400; 1540.2410; 1540.2420; 1540.2430; 1540.2440; 1540.2450; 1540.2490; 1540.2500; 1540.2510; 1540.2530; 1540.2540; 1540.2550; 1540.2560; 1540.2570; 1540.2580; 1540.2590; 1540.2610; 1540.2630; 1540.2640; 1540.2650; 1540.2660; 1540.2720; 1540.2730; 1540.2740; 1540.2760; 1540.2770; 1540.2780; 1540.2790; 1540.2800; 1540.2810; 1540.2820; 1540.2830; 1540.2840; 1540.3420; 1540.3430; 1540.3440; 1540.3450; 1540.3460; 1540.3470; 1540.3560; 1540.3600;

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 9540.2700.

Referred to the Committee on Governmental Operations and Reform.

Ms. Kiscaden, Messrs. Merriam; Betzold; Benson, D.D. and Neuville introduced—

S.F. No. 1895: A bill for an act relating to family law; adding a relevant factor in determination of a child's best interests; amending Minnesota Statutes 1992, section 518.17, subdivision 1.

Referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Mses. Pappas, Krentz, Mr. Chmielewski and Ms. Ranum introduced—

S.F. No. 1896: A bill for an act relating to transportation; including in state transportation plan and development guide certain transportation matters relating to metropolitan area; prohibiting federal block grant funds from being spent on trunk highways unless ancillary to public transit facilities; requiring compliance with comprehensive choice housing requirements before metropolitan council may approve proposed highway project or plan; adding metropolitan transit goals; amending Minnesota Statutes 1992, sections 174.03, subdivision 1a; 473.146, subdivision 3; 473.167, by adding a subdivision; and 473.371, subdivision 2; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 174.

Referred to the Committee on Transportation and Public Transit.

Ms. Wiener, Messrs. Metzen, Marty, Mses. Reichgott Junge and Runbeck introduced—

S.F. No. 1897: A bill for an act relating to state government; providing that the open appointments act applies to certain appointments made by legislators; amending Minnesota Statutes 1992, section 15.0597, subdivision 1.

Referred to the Committee on Governmental Operations and Reform.

Mses. Wiener, Piper, Messrs. Solon, Samuelson and Ms. Berglin introduced—

S.F. No. 1898: A bill for an act relating to insurance; health; requiring coverage for equipment and supplies for the management and treatment of diabetes; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 62A.

Referred to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection.

Ms. Wiener introduced—

S.F. No. 1899: A bill for an act relating to the city of Eagan; providing for the establishment of a special service district.

Referred to the Committee on Metropolitan and Local Government.

Ms. Wiener, Messrs. Metzen, Pogemiller and Ms. Reichgott Junge introduced—

S.F. No. 1900: A bill for an act relating to education; modifying the formula for abatement aids; appropriating money; amending Minnesota Statutes 1992, sections 124.214, subdivision 2; and 124A.032.

Referred to the Committee on Education.

Ms. Berglin, Mr. Finn and Ms. Anderson introduced—

S.F. No. 1901: A bill for an act relating to liquor; making rules of the commissioner of public safety on advertising of alcoholic beverages applicable to brand labels; authorizing the commissioner of public safety to refuse to register certain brand labels; amending Minnesota Statutes 1992, sections 340A.311; and 340A.507, subdivision 1.

Referred to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection.

Mr. Bertram introduced—

S.F. No. 1902: A bill for an act relating to nursing home reimbursement; modifying special provisions for moratorium exceptions; amending Minnesota Statutes 1992, section 256B.431, subdivision 17; Minnesota Statutes 1993 Supplement, section 144A.071, subdivision 4a.

Referred to the Committee on Health Care.

Messrs. Bertram and Sams introduced—

S.F. No. 1903: A bill for an act relating to agricultural economy; increasing extent of authorized state participation in rural finance authority loan restructuring program; repealing authorization for the commissioner of finance to issue obligations to assist agricultural-industrial facilities in Detroit Lakes; amending Minnesota Statutes 1992, section 41B.04, subdivision 8; repealing Laws 1992, chapter 543.

Referred to the Committee on Agriculture and Rural Development.

Mr. Benson, D.D.; Ms. Piper and Mr. Morse introduced—

S.F. No. 1904: A bill for an act relating to outdoor recreation; making additions to the state trail system; amending Minnesota Statutes 1992, section 85.015, subdivision 7, and by adding a subdivision.

Referred to the Committee on Environment and Natural Resources.

Messrs. Dille, Berg, Ms. Lesewski, Messrs. Bertram and Morse introduced—

S.F. No. 1905: A bill for an act relating to partition fences; requiring the department of natural resources and other state agencies to share in the expense of partition fences; amending Minnesota Statutes 1992, section 344.03, subdivision 1.

Referred to the Committee on Environment and Natural Resources.

Messrs. Metzen, Pogemiller, Stumpf, Morse and Johnson, D.E. introduced—

S.F. No. 1906: A bill for an act relating to retirement; correctional employees retirement plan of the Minnesota state retirement system; transferring various employment positions in the departments of corrections and human services from coverage by the general state employees retirement plan or the teachers retirement association to the correctional employees retirement plan; amending Minnesota Statutes 1992, sections 352.91, by adding subdivisions; and 352.92, subdivision 2.

Referred to the Committee on Governmental Operations and Reform.

Mr. Morse and Ms. Kiscaden introduced—

S.F. No. 1907: A bill for an act relating to education; post-secondary education; authorizing bonds and appropriating money for capital improvements at Winona state university.

Referred to the Committee on Education.

Messrs. Morse, Stumpf and Riveness introduced—

S.F. No. 1908: A bill for an act relating to public employment; correcting unintended omissions from previous early retirement legislation; ratifying certain prior payments.

Referred to the Committee on Governmental Operations and Reform.

Mr. Price, Ms. Krentz, Messrs. Morse, Dille and Murphy introduced—

S.F. No. 1909: A bill for an act relating to pollution; requiring that cities and counties adopt ordinances complying with pollution control agency rules regarding individual sewage treatment systems; requiring the agency to license sewage treatment professionals; requiring rulemaking; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 115.

Referred to the Committee on Environment and Natural Resources.

Ms. Wiener, Messrs. Moe, R.D., Merriam, Marty and Ms. Reichgott Junge introduced—

S.F. No. 1910: A bill for an act relating to motor vehicles; emission control inspections; requiring contractors operating public inspection stations to make available the opportunity to renew motor vehicle registrations and obtain plates or tabs at inspection stations; amending Minnesota Statutes 1992, section 116.62, subdivision 3; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 168.

Referred to the Committee on Transportation and Public Transit.

Messrs. Finn, Cohen, Betzold, Knutson and Ms. Reichgott Junge introduced—

S.F. No. 1911: A bill for an act relating to the secretary of state; changing filing procedures for corporations and certain organizations; providing for service of process on limited partnerships; changing requirements for filings governed by the uniform commercial code; amending Minnesota Statutes 1992, sections 302A.821, subdivision 1; 303.07, subdivision 2; 303.17, subdivisions 2 and 4; 315.23, subdivision 3; 315.44; Minnesota Statutes 1993 Supplement, sections 336.9-403; 336.9-407; 336.9-413; 336A.04, subdivision 3; 336A.09, subdivision 2; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 322A.

Referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Vickerman introduced—

S.F. No. 1912: A bill for an act relating to insurance; accident and health; permitting short term coverage; amending Minnesota Statutes 1993 Supplement, section 62A.65, by adding a subdivision.

Referred to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection.

Mses. Piper, Berglin, Messrs. Sams, Samuelson and Betzold introduced—

S.F. No. 1913: A bill for an act relating to human services; appropriating money for the child care fund.

Referred to the Committee on Family Services.

Mses. Johnston, Robertson, Mr. Larson, Mrs. Pariseau and Mr. Stevens introduced—

S.F. No. 1914: A bill for an act relating to education; safe schools; requiring students who transfer and school officials to transmit students' education records; allowing peace officers to disseminate certain information to schools and social service agencies; expanding the definition of directory information to include published photographs; expanding antiviolence programs in schools; establishing grant programs to develop curricula on ethics and parenting skills; precluding disruptive students from participating in the open enrollment program; making possession of a firearm or engaging in dangerous, disruptive, or violent behavior in a school zone grounds for immediate dismissal from school; providing for criminal prosecution of juveniles alleged to have possessed a firearm in a school zone; expanding the crime of possessing a dangerous weapon on school property to include the possession of replica firearms and the possession of weapons within 300 feet of school property; extending the juvenile court's continuing jurisdiction to a minor's 23rd birthday; expanding the crime of contributing to the delinquency of a minor to include parents and guardians who fail to provide reasonable supervision or control over their minor children; establishing a school-related crime hotline; increasing the limit on parental liability for personal injury torts committed by a minor; encouraging school districts to create alternative programs for disruptive students; appropriating money; amending Minnesota Statutes 1992, sections 120.062, subdivision 7; 120.101, by adding a subdivision; 124.912, by adding a subdivision; 126.77, subdivision 1; 126.78; 127.03, subdivision 3; 127.29, subdivision 1, and by adding a subdivision; 127.30, by adding a subdivision; 127.31, by adding a subdivision; 127.35; 127.38; 260.015, subdivision 5; 260.111, by adding a subdivision; 260.125, by adding a subdivision; 260.161, by adding a subdivision; 260.181, subdivision 4; 260.315; and 609.055, subdivision 2; Minnesota Statutes 1993 Supplement, sections 13.32, subdivision 5; 120.101, subdivision 5; 121.831, subdivision 9; 260.161, subdivision 3; 540.18, subdivision 1; and 609.66, subdivision 1d; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 299A.

Referred to the Committee on Education.

Messrs. Johnson, D.J.; Lessard and Solon introduced—

S.F. No. 1915: A bill for an act relating to game and fish; requiring return to the water of fish snagged in certain waters; amending Minnesota Statutes 1993 Supplement, section 97C.331.

Referred to the Committee on Environment and Natural Resources.

Mrs. Pariseau, Mr. McGowan, Mses. Johnston and Lesewski introduced—

S.F. No. 1916: A bill for an act relating to taxation; income; changing the dependent care credit; amending Minnesota Statutes 1992, section 290.067, subdivision 1.

Referred to the Committee on Taxes and Tax Laws.

Messrs. Novak, Kroening, Kelly and Langseth introduced—

S.F. No. 1917: A bill for an act relating to state government; requiring newly hired state employees to be state residents; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 43A.

Referred to the Committee on Governmental Operations and Reform.

Messrs. Belanger, McGowan, Neuville, Kelly and Beckman introduced—

S.F. No. 1918: A bill for an act relating to crime; making it murder in the first degree to cause the death of a local correctional officer; amending Minnesota Statutes 1992, section 609.185.

Referred to the Committee on Crime Prevention.

Mr. Kelly, Ms. Anderson, Messrs. Cohen, Belanger and Spear introduced—

S.F. No. 1919: A bill for an act relating to crime; providing mandatory minimum prison sentences for persons convicted of a drive-by shooting; prohibiting persons under the age of 21 from possessing a pistol or assault weapon; making it a felony for a person under the age of 21 to carry an assault weapon or for any person to sell a pistol or assault weapon to a person under the age of 21; prohibiting juvenile offenders from possessing any firearm for ten years following discharge from disposition for a violent offense; amending Minnesota Statutes 1993 Supplement, sections 609.11, subdivision 9; 624.713, subdivision 1; 624.7132, subdivision 15; and 624.7181, subdivision 2.

Referred to the Committee on Crime Prevention.

Messrs. Kelly, Spear and Cohen introduced—

S.F. No. 1920: A bill for an act relating to marriage dissolution; providing that interference with or denial of visitation is grounds for modification of a custody order; amending Minnesota Statutes 1992, section 518.18.

Referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Ms. Pappas, Mrs. Pariseau, Ms. Flynn, Mr. Novak and Ms. Robertson introduced—

S.F. No. 1921: A bill for an act relating to housing projects; providing for a housing bond credit enhancement program administered by the metropolitan council; authorizing the metropolitan council to provide additional security for bonds issued for qualifying housing projects; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 473.

Referred to the Committee on Metropolitan and Local Government.

Ms. Ranum introduced—

S.F. No. 1922: A bill for an act relating to wild animals; restricting the killing of dogs wounding, killing, or pursuing big game within the metropolitan area; amending Minnesota Statutes 1992, section 97B.011.

Referred to the Committee on Environment and Natural Resources.

Mr. Murphy introduced—

S.F. No. 1923: A bill for an act relating to the city of Red Wing; authorizing the city to extend the duration of a tax increment financing district.

Referred to the Committee on Metropolitan and Local Government.

Messrs. Sams, Riveness, Luther and Kelly introduced—

S.F. No. 1924: A bill for an act relating to energy; reestablishing electric energy policy; establishing a hierarchy of preferred electric energy sources; establishing a legislative task force to oversee implementation of energy policy; establishing intervenor compensation account with revenues from utility assessments; clarifying the availability of intervenor compensation in proceedings before the public utilities commission; authorizing the public utilities commission to set discounted rates for low-income customers; establishing specific guidelines for payment to small power producers and cogenerators under certain circumstances; requiring compliance by a utility with a conservation improvement and resource planning requirements prior to the utility seeking a certificate of need for new or expanded facilities and rate increases; amending various statutes to conform with the reestablished energy policy; providing funding for the building energy research center and the energy center at the Red Wing/Winona technical college; providing demonstration grants for wind energy conversion facilities at public postsecondary institutions; providing for state bonding; appropriating money; amending Minnesota Statutes 1992, sections 216A.07, subdivision 3; 216A.085, subdivision 1; 216B.01; 216B.02, by adding subdivisions; 216B.03; 216B.11; 216B.16, subdivision 6, and by adding a subdivision; 216B.162, subdivisions 2, 4, and 8; 216B.164, subdivisions 1, 3, 6, and 7; 216B.17, subdivisions 1, 6, and 6a; 216B.243, subdivisions 3, 3a, and 4; 216C.01, subdivision 1; 216C.05; 216C.09; 216C.10; 216C.14, subdivision 2; 216C.17, subdivision 5; 216C.18, subdivisions 1 and 1a; 216C.315; 216C.38, by adding a subdivision; and 216C.381, subdivision 1; Minnesota Statutes 1993 Supplement, sections 216B.16, subdivision 1; 216B.162, subdivision 7; 216B.164, subdivision 4; and 216B.2422, subdivisions 1, 2, 4, and by adding a subdivision; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapters 216B; and 216C; repealing Minnesota Statutes 1992, sections 216B.16, subdivision 10; Minnesota Statutes 1993 Supplement, section 216B.242.

Referred to the Committee on Jobs, Energy and Community Development.

Mr. Morse, Ms. Johnson, J.B. and Mr. Frederickson introduced—

S.F. No. 1925: A bill for an act relating to education; modifying the referendum revenue allowance reduction; amending Minnesota Statutes 1993 Supplement, section 124A.03, subdivision 3b.

Referred to the Committee on Education.

Mr. Merriam introduced—

S.F. No. 1926: A bill for an act relating to local government; authorizing the public library systems of the county of Anoka and the city of Anoka to merge and the county to provide library services for the city.

Referred to the Committee on Metropolitan and Local Government.

Mr. Sams and Ms. Piper introduced—

S.F. No. 1927: A bill for an act relating to human services; authorizing projects to demonstrate the effectiveness of case management alternatives for persons with developmental disabilities; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 252.

Referred to the Committee on Health Care.

Messrs. Stumpf; Moe, R.D.; Lessard and Finn introduced—

S.F. No. 1928: A bill for an act relating to snowmobiles; providing for the registration of collector snowmobiles; amending Minnesota Statutes 1992, section 84.82, by adding a subdivision.

Referred to the Committee on Environment and Natural Resources.

Messrs. Betzold and Merriam introduced—

S.F. No. 1929: A bill for an act relating to tax-forfeited land; authorizing sale by sealed bid; amending Minnesota Statutes 1992, section 282.01, by adding a subdivision.

Referred to the Committee on Environment and Natural Resources.

Mr. Betzold introduced—

S.F. No. 1930: A bill for an act relating to human services; mental health grants; rules concerning psychopathic personalities; treatment for alcohol, drug abuse, and chemical dependency; stepparent income standards under aid to families with dependent children; inpatient hospital payments; child support incentives; medical assistance for needy persons; state and county social service plans; organ and tissue transplants; family preservation; commissioner's reports; group residential housing payments and agreements; and paternity proceedings; amending Minnesota Statutes 1992, sections 245.696, subdivision 2; 254A.02, subdivision 11; 254B.04, subdivision 1; 254B.05, subdivision 1; 256.74, subdivision 1a; 256.969, subdivisions 10 and 16; 256B.69, subdivision 4; 256E.04; 256E.09, subdivision 3; 256H.24; and 257.60; Minnesota Statutes 1993 Supplement, sections 246B.04; 256.9685, subdivision 1; 256.979, subdivision 8; 256B.0629, subdivisions 3 and 4; 256F.11, subdivision 3; and 256L.04, subdivisions 1a and 2a; repealing Minnesota Statutes 1992, section 254A.16, subdivisions 3 and 4; Laws 1993, chapter 337, section 16.

Referred to the Committee on Health Care.

Mr. Betzold introduced—

S.F. No. 1931: A bill for an act relating to health; making changes of a technical and housekeeping nature; modifying provisions relating to lead abatement enforcement; amending Minnesota Statutes 1992, sections 126A.02, subdivision 2; 144.414, subdivision 3; and 144.878, by adding a subdivision; Minnesota Statutes 1993 Supplement, sections 144.872, subdivision 4; 144.873, subdivision 1; 144.874, subdivisions 1 and 3a; 144.8771, subdivision 2; 144.878, subdivision 5; 144.99, subdivisions 1 and 6; and 157.08; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 144; repealing Minnesota Statutes 1993 Supplement, sections 144.8771, subdivision 5; 144.8781, subdivisions 1, 2, 3, and 5; 157.082; and 157.09; Laws 1993,

chapter 286, section 11; Laws 1993, First Special Session chapter 1, article 9, section 49.

Referred to the Committee on Health Care.

Mr. Sams introduced—

S.F. No. 1932: A bill for an act relating to human services; modifying provisions concerning annual inflation adjustments in certain programs; amending Minnesota Statutes 1992, section 252.275, by adding a subdivision; Minnesota Statutes 1993 Supplement, sections 252.46, by adding a subdivision; and 256B.49, subdivision 4.

Referred to the Committee on Health Care.

Mr. Chandler, Mses. Pappas, Anderson and Johnson, J.B. introduced—

S.F. No. 1933: A bill for an act relating to metropolitan mosquito control; abolishing the metropolitan mosquito control district and commission; amending Minnesota Statutes 1992, sections 270.12, subdivision 3; 473.129, subdivision 6; 473.143, subdivision 1; and 473.8011; Minnesota Statutes 1993 Supplement, sections 3.9741, subdivision 1; 16B.122, subdivision 1; 275.065, subdivisions 3 and 5a; and 352.01, subdivision 2a; repealing Minnesota Statutes 1992, sections 473.701; 473.702; 473.703; 473.704, subdivisions 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 18, 19, and 20; 473.705; 473.706; 473.711, subdivisions 1, 2, 3, and 4; 473.712; 473.714; 473.715; and 473.716; Minnesota Statutes 1993 Supplement, sections 473.704, subdivision 17; and 473.711, subdivision 5.

Referred to the Committee on Metropolitan and Local Government.

Mr. Chandler, Mses. Pappas, Runbeck and Johnson, J.B. introduced—

S.F. No. 1934: A bill for an act relating to metropolitan mosquito control; requiring the metropolitan mosquito control commission to prepare and adopt a long-range comprehensive plan and budget subject to metropolitan council approval; amending Minnesota Statutes 1992, section 473.704, by adding a subdivision; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 473.

Referred to the Committee on Metropolitan and Local Government.

Mr. Chandler, Mses. Pappas and Johnson, J.B. introduced—

S.F. No. 1935: A bill for an act relating to metropolitan mosquito control; providing for conflict of interest rules to apply to employees of the commission; amending Minnesota Statutes 1992, section 473.706; Minnesota Statutes 1993 Supplement, section 10A.01, subdivision 18.

Referred to the Committee on Metropolitan and Local Government.

Mr. Chandler, Mses. Pappas; Runbeck; Johnson, J.B. and Anderson introduced—

S.F. No. 1936: A bill for an act relating to metropolitan mosquito control; requiring the metropolitan mosquito control district to submit to the environmental quality board an addendum report to the final supplemental environmental impact statement.

Referred to the Committee on Metropolitan and Local Government.

Messrs. Novak, Marty, Janezich, Frederickson and Chandler introduced—

S.F. No. 1937: A bill for an act relating to environmental education; providing an appropriation from the bond proceeds fund for a grant for capital improvements at the Laurentian Environmental Learning Center; appropriating money.

Referred to the Committee on Environment and Natural Resources.

Mr. Chandler, Ms. Anderson, Messrs. Kroening, Frederickson and Novak introduced—

S.F. No. 1938: A bill for an act relating to employment; providing for enforcement of an employees' right to review personnel records; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 181.

Referred to the Committee on Jobs, Energy and Community Development.

Messrs. Chandler and Pogemiller introduced—

S.F. No. 1939: A bill for an act relating to energy; reestablishing electric energy policy; establishing a hierarchy of preferred electric energy sources; establishing a legislative task force to oversee implementation of energy policy; establishing intervenor compensation account with revenues from utility assessments; clarifying the availability of intervenor compensation in proceedings before the public utilities commission; authorizing the public utilities commission to set discounted rates for low-income customers; establishing specific guidelines for payment to small power producers and cogenerators under certain circumstances; requiring compliance by a utility with a conservation improvement and resource planning requirements prior to the utility seeking a certificate of need for new or expanded facilities and rate increases; amending various statutes to conform with the reestablished energy policy; providing funding for the building energy research center and the energy center at the Red Wing/Winona technical college; providing demonstration grants for wind energy conversion facilities at public postsecondary institutions; providing for state bonding; appropriating money; amending Minnesota Statutes 1992, sections 216A.07, subdivision 3; 216A.085, subdivision 1; 216B.01; 216B.02, by adding subdivisions; 216B.03; 216B.11; 216B.16, subdivision 6, and by adding a subdivision; 216B.162, subdivisions 2, 4, and 8; 216B.164, subdivisions 1, 3, 6, and 7; 216B.17, subdivisions 1, 6, and 6a; 216B.243, subdivisions 3, 3a, and 4; 216C.01, subdivision 1; 216C.05; 216C.09; 216C.10; 216C.14, subdivision 2; 216C.17, subdivision 5; 216C.18, subdivisions 1 and 1a; 216C.315; 216C.38, by adding a subdivision; and 216C.381, subdivision 1; Minnesota Statutes 1993 Supplement, sections 216B.16, subdivision 1; 216B.162, subdivision 7; 216B.164, subdivision 4; and 216B.2422, subdivisions 1, 2, 4, and by adding a subdivision; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapters 216B; and 216C; repealing Minnesota Statutes 1992, sections 216B.16, subdivision 10; Minnesota Statutes 1993 Supplement, section 216B.242.

Referred to the Committee on Jobs, Energy and Community Development.

Mses. Ranum, Piper, Mr. Cohen, Ms. Berglin and Mr. Mondale introduced—

S.F. No. 1940: A bill for an act relating to energy; reestablishing electric energy policy; establishing a hierarchy of preferred electric energy sources; establishing a legislative task force to oversee implementation of energy policy; establishing intervenor compensation account with revenues from utility assessments; clarifying the availability of intervenor compensation in proceedings before the public utilities commission; authorizing the public utilities commission to set discounted rates for low-income customers; establishing specific guidelines for payment to small power producers and cogenerators under certain circumstances; requiring compliance by a utility with a conservation improvement and resource planning requirements prior to the utility seeking a certificate of need for new or expanded facilities and rate increases; amending various statutes to conform with the reestablished energy policy; providing funding for the building energy research center and the energy center at the Red Wing/Winona technical college; providing demonstration grants for wind energy conversion facilities at public postsecondary institutions; providing for state bonding; appropriating money; amending Minnesota Statutes 1992, sections 216A.07, subdivision 3; 216A.085, subdivision 1; 216B.01; 216B.02, by adding subdivisions; 216B.03; 216B.11; 216B.16, subdivision 6, and by adding a subdivision; 216B.162, subdivisions 2, 4, and 8; 216B.164, subdivisions 1, 3, 6, and 7; 216B.17, subdivisions 1, 6, and 6a; 216B.243, subdivisions 3, 3a, and 4; 216C.01, subdivision 1; 216C.05; 216C.09; 216C.10; 216C.14, subdivision 2; 216C.17, subdivision 5; 216C.18, subdivisions 1 and 1a; 216C.315; 216C.38, by adding a subdivision; and 216C.381, subdivision 1; Minnesota Statutes 1993 Supplement, sections 216B.16, subdivision 1; 216B.162, subdivision 7; 216B.164, subdivision 4; and 216B.2422, subdivisions 1, 2, 4, and by adding a subdivision; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapters 216B; and 216C; repealing Minnesota Statutes 1992, sections 216B.16, subdivision 10; Minnesota Statutes 1993 Supplement, section 216B.242.

Referred to the Committee on Jobs, Energy and Community Development.

Ms. Johnson, J.B.; Messrs. Marty, Morse, Finn and Merriam introduced—

S.F. No. 1941: A bill for an act relating to energy; reestablishing electric energy policy; establishing a hierarchy of preferred electric energy sources; establishing a legislative task force to oversee implementation of energy policy; establishing intervenor compensation account with revenues from utility assessments; clarifying the availability of intervenor compensation in proceedings before the public utilities commission; authorizing the public utilities commission to set discounted rates for low-income customers; establishing specific guidelines for payment to small power producers and cogenerators under certain circumstances; requiring compliance by a utility with a conservation improvement and resource planning requirements prior to the utility seeking a certificate of need for new or expanded facilities and rate increases; amending various statutes to conform with the reestablished energy policy; providing funding for the building energy research center and the energy center at the Red Wing/Winona technical college; providing demonstration grants for wind energy conversion facilities at public postsecondary institutions; providing for state bonding; appropriating money; amending Minnesota Statutes 1992, sections 216A.07, subdivision 3; 216A.085, subdivision 1; 216B.01; 216B.02, by adding subdivisions; 216B.03; 216B.11; 216B.16, subdivision 6, and by adding a subdivision; 216B.162, subdivisions 2, 4, and 8; 216B.164, subdivisions 1, 3, 6, and 7; 216B.17, subdivisions 1, 6, and 6a; 216B.243, subdivisions 3, 3a, and 4; 216C.01, subdivision 1; 216C.05;

216C.09; 216C.10; 216C.14, subdivision 2; 216C.17, subdivision 5; 216C.18, subdivisions 1 and 1a; 216C.315; 216C.38, by adding a subdivision; and 216C.381, subdivision 1; Minnesota Statutes 1993 Supplement, sections 216B.16, subdivision 1; 216B.162, subdivision 7; 216B.164, subdivision 4; and 216B.2422, subdivisions 1, 2, 4, and by adding a subdivision; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapters 216B; and 216C; repealing Minnesota Statutes 1992, sections 216B.16, subdivision 10; Minnesota Statutes, 1993 Supplement, section 216B.242.

Referred to the Committee on Jobs, Energy and Community Development.

Mses. Johnson, J.B.; Anderson and Mr. Morse introduced—

S.F. No. 1942: A bill for an act relating to state departments and agencies; providing for election of public utilities commissioners; requiring commissioners to select commission chair; requiring proceedings of public utilities commission to be recorded; amending Minnesota Statutes 1992, sections 204B.11, subdivision 1; 204D.02, subdivision 1; 216A.03, subdivisions 1, 3, and by adding a subdivision; and 216A.035; Minnesota Statutes 1993 Supplement, section 204B.06, subdivision 4; repealing Minnesota Statutes 1992, section 216A.03, subdivision 1a.

Referred to the Committee on Jobs, Energy and Community Development.

Mses. Anderson, Pappas, Mr. Spear, Mses. Flynn and Kiscaden introduced—

S.F. No. 1943: A bill for an act relating to energy; reestablishing electric energy policy; establishing a hierarchy of preferred electric energy sources; establishing a legislative task force to oversee implementation of energy policy; establishing intervenor compensation account with revenues from utility assessments; clarifying the availability of intervenor compensation in proceedings before the public utilities commission; authorizing the public utilities commission to set discounted rates for low-income customers; establishing specific guidelines for payment to small power producers and cogenerators under certain circumstances; requiring compliance by a utility with a conservation improvement and resource planning requirements prior to the utility seeking a certificate of need for new or expanded facilities and rate increases; amending various statutes to conform with the reestablished energy policy; providing funding for the building energy research center and the energy center at the Red Wing/Winona technical college; providing demonstration grants for wind energy conversion facilities at public postsecondary institutions; providing for state bonding; appropriating money; amending Minnesota Statutes 1992, sections 216A.07, subdivision 3; 216A.085, subdivision 1; 216B.01; 216B.02, by adding subdivisions; 216B.03; 216B.11; 216B.16, subdivision 6, and by adding a subdivision; 216B.162, subdivisions 2, 4, and 8; 216B.164, subdivisions 1, 3, 6, and 7; 216B.17, subdivisions 1, 6, and 6a; 216B.243, subdivisions 3, 3a, and 4; 216C.01, subdivision 1; 216C.05; 216C.09; 216C.10; 216C.14, subdivision 2; 216C.17, subdivision 5; 216C.18, subdivisions 1 and 1a; 216C.315; 216C.38, by adding a subdivision; and 216C.381, subdivision 1; Minnesota Statutes 1993 Supplement, sections 216B.16, subdivision 1; 216B.162, subdivision 7; 216B.164, subdivision 4; and 216B.2422, subdivisions 1, 2, 4, and by adding a subdivision; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapters 216B; and 216C;

repealing Minnesota Statutes 1992, sections 216B.16, subdivision 10; Minnesota Statutes 1993 Supplement, section 216B.242.

Referred to the Committee on Jobs, Energy and Community Development.

Messrs. Kelly; Moe, R.D.; Johnson, D.J.; Novak and Marty introduced—

S.F. No. 1944: A bill for an act relating to employment; restoring the purchasing power of a minimum wage salary; amending Minnesota Statutes 1992, section 177.24, subdivision 1.

Referred to the Committee on Jobs, Energy and Community Development.

Messrs. Morse, Price and Ms. Krentz introduced—

S.F. No. 1945: A bill for an act relating to water; creating programs to provide financial assistance to address nonpoint source water pollution in the departments of agriculture and trade and economic development and the pollution control agency; establishing the drinking water revolving fund administered by the public facilities authority and the department of health; changing the membership of the public facilities authority; increasing the authority's bonding authority; requiring rulemaking; providing for certain exemptions from rulemaking; appropriating money; amending Minnesota Statutes 1992, sections 13.99, by adding a subdivision; 116.182, subdivisions 2, 3, 4, and 5; 446A.02, subdivision 1, and by adding a subdivision; 446A.03, subdivision 3; 446A.07, subdivisions 4, 6, 8, 9, 10, and 11; 446A.071, subdivision 1; 446A.11, subdivision 1; 446A.12, subdivision 1; and 446A.15, subdivision 6; Minnesota Statutes 1993 Supplement, section 446A.03, subdivision 1; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapters 17; 116; and 446A; repealing Minnesota Statutes 1992, section 446A.08.

Referred to the Committee on Agriculture and Rural Development.

MEMBERS EXCUSED

Mrs. Adkins and Mr. Price were excused from the Session of today.

ADJOURNMENT

Mr. Moe, R.D. moved that the Senate do now adjourn until 12:00 noon, Wednesday, March 2, 1994. The motion prevailed.

Patrick E. Flahaven, Secretary of the Senate