FIFTEENTH DAY

St. Paul, Minnesota, Monday, February 13, 1995

The Senate met at 11:00 a.m. and was called to order by the President.

CALL OF THE SENATE

Mr. Betzold 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. Michael V. Tegeder.

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

The President declared a quorum present.

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

OATH OF OFFICE

The newly elected Senator, Mr. Warren Limmer from the Thirty-third District, presented his certificate of election and subscribed to the oath of office as administered by the Honorable Kathleen Blatz, District Court Judge.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

Mr. Moe, R.D. moved that the Committee Reports at the Desk be now adopted. The motion prevailed.

Mr. Marty from the Committee on Ethics and Campaign Reform, to which was referred

S.F. No. 257: A bill for an act relating to soil and water conservation district boards; providing

that the office of soil and water conservation district supervisor is compatible with certain city and town offices; amending Minnesota Statutes 1994, sections 103C.315, by adding a subdivision; and 204B.06, subdivision 1.

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

Mr. Marty from the Committee on Ethics and Campaign Reform, to which was referred

S.F. No. 315: A bill for an act relating to elections; changing and clarifying provisions of the Minnesota election law; amending Minnesota Statutes 1994, sections 201.071, subdivision 1; 203B.01, by adding a subdivision; 203B.11, subdivision 1; 204B.06, by adding a subdivision; 204B.15; 204B.27, by adding a subdivision; 204B.31; 204B.32, subdivision 1; 204B.36, subdivision 2; 204B.45, subdivision 1; 204B.46; 204C.08, by adding a subdivision; 2; and 211A.02, subdivision 2; repealing Minnesota Statutes 1994, sections 204D.15, subdivision 2; and 211B.11, subdivision 2.

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

Page 5, line 14, before "nonprofit" insert "charitable" and after "organization" insert "that is governed by section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986"

Page 10, line 29, delete "sections" and insert "section" and delete the semicolon and insert a comma

Page 10, delete line 30 and insert "is repealed."

Amend the title as follows:

Page 1, line 13, delete "sections" and insert "section"

Page 1, line 14, delete "; and 211B.11, subdivision 2"

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

Ms. Piper from the Committee on Family Services, to which was referred

S.F. No. 301: A bill for an act relating to human services; families; social services programs; child care; federal waivers; appropriating money; amending Minnesota Statutes 1994, section 256.01, by adding a subdivision; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 256.

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

Delete everything after the enacting clause and insert:

"Section 1. [EMPOWERMENT ZONES; ADMINISTRATIVE SIMPLIFICATION OF WELFARE LAWS.]

(a) The commissioner of human services shall make recommendations to effectuate the changes in federal laws and regulations, state laws and rules, and the state plan to improve the administrative efficiency of the aid to families with dependent children, general assistance, work readiness, family general assistance, medical assistance, general assistance medical care, and food stamp programs. At a minimum, the following administrative standards and procedures must be changed.

The commissioner shall:

(1) require income or eligibility reviews no more frequently than annually for cases in which income is normally invariant, as in aid to families with dependent children cases where the only source of household income is Supplemental Social Security Income or Retirement and Survivors Disability Insurance;

(2) permit households to report income annually when the source of income is excluded, such as a minor's earnings;

(3) require income or eligibility reviews no more frequently than annually for extended medical assistance cases;

(4) require income or eligibility reviews no more frequently than annually for a medical assistance postpartum client, where the client previously had eligibility under a different basis prior to pregnancy or if other household members have eligibility with the same income/basis that applies to the client;

(5) permit all income or eligibility reviews to use the short application form for foster care medical assistance cases;

(6) make dependent care expenses declaratory for medical assistance; and

(7) permit households to only report gifts worth \$100 or more per month.

(b) The county's administrative savings resulting from these changes may be allocated to fund the empowerment zones initiative or be used for any other lawful purpose.

(c) The recommendations must be provided in a report to the chairs of the appropriate legislative committees by August 1, 1995. The recommendations must include a list of the administrative standards and procedures that require approval by the federal government before implementation, and also which administrative simplification standards and procedures may be implemented by a county prior to receiving a federal waiver.

(d) The commissioner shall seek the necessary waivers from the federal government as soon as possible to implement the administrative simplification standards and procedures.

Sec. 2. [EMPOWERMENT ZONES.]

The commissioner of human services, and certain county agencies shall develop, by December 1, 1995, a plan to improve the employment opportunities available to economic assistance recipients. The employment activities shall be focused on improving public infrastructure, enhancing the local tax base, improving the quality of available housing, reducing crime, designing strategies for job skill enhancement, strengthening communities, and maintaining and improving natural systems. The county is authorized to retain 75 percent of the increased valuation of the property included in the empowerment zone for five years. This money must be placed into a pool and used for funding of empowerment zones. The plan shall include input and support from city council, county board, park board, and school board. The plan shall coordinate existing funding streams and target them to mutually agreed upon projects. Organized labor shall be consulted in the development of the plan and implementation of any work activities. Participating jurisdictions shall report back to the legislature by August 1, 1995, with a plan for the projects to be located in pockets of poverty, as identified by the city council, county board, park board, and school board.

Sec. 3. [EMPOWERMENT ZONE APPROPRIATION.]

\$..... is appropriated for fiscal year ending June 30, 1996, from the general fund to the commissioner of human services for the county agencies to develop and implement the public works program. Future state funding for these projects shall be kept revenue neutral by accessing nontraditional funding streams within the existing state budget."

Delete the title and insert:

"A bill for an act relating to self-sufficiency; streamlining and simplifying county administrative procedures to fund the empowerment zone initiative; creating employment opportunities and improving the community through empowerment zones."

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

Mr. Spear from the Committee on Crime Prevention, to which was referred

S.F. No. 64: A bill for an act relating to corrections; requiring that the commissioner of corrections notify affected local governments before licensing foster care facilities for delinquent children; amending Minnesota Statutes 1994, section 241.021, subdivision 2, and by adding a subdivision.

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

Page 2, line 5, after "which" insert "it"

Page 2, line 15, after "subdivision" insert "unless the facility has a licensed capacity of six or fewer persons and is occupied by either the licensee or the group foster home parents"

Amend the title as follows:

Page 1, line 4, after "licensing" insert "certain"

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

Mr. Spear from the Committee on Crime Prevention, to which was referred

S.F. No. 163: A bill for an act relating to crimes; extending expiration date of crime victim and witness advisory council; amending Minnesota Statutes 1994, section 611A.71, subdivision 7.

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

Page 1, line 9, strike "The council expires on June 30,"

Page 1, line 10, delete "1997" and insert "This council is not subject to the expiration provisions contained in section 15.059"

Amend the title as follows:

Page 1, line 2, delete "extending expiration date of" and insert "exempting the"

Page 1, line 3, after "council" insert "from expiration"

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

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

H.F. No. 29 for comparison with companion Senate File, reports the following House File was found identical and recommends the House File be given its second reading and substituted for its companion Senate File as follows:

GENERAL ORDERS	CONSENT (CONSENT CALENDAR		CALENDAR	
H.F. No. S.F. No.	H.F. No.	S.F. No.	H.F. No. 29	S.F. No. 42	

and that the above 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. Report adopted.

SECOND READING OF SENATE BILLS

S.F. Nos. 315 and 64 were read the second time.

SECOND READING OF HOUSE BILLS

H.F. No. 29 was read the second time.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS

Ms. Krentz moved that her name be stricken as a co-author to S.F. No. 23. The motion prevailed.

Mr. Johnson, D.E. moved that the name of Mr. Terwilliger be added as a co-author to S.F. No. 240. The motion prevailed.

Ms. Kiscaden moved that her name be stricken as a co-author to S.F. No. 301. The motion prevailed.

Mr. Stevens moved that his name be stricken as a co-author to S.F. No. 301. The motion prevailed.

Mr. Janezich moved that the name of Ms. Runbeck be added as a co-author to S.F. No. 312. The motion prevailed.

Mr. Moe, R.D. moved that the name of Mr. Finn be added as a co-author to S.F. No. 357. The motion prevailed.

Mr. Lessard moved that the names of Messrs. Finn and Mondale be added as co-authors to S.F. No. 374. The motion prevailed.

Mr. Sams moved that the name of Mr. Finn be added as a co-author to S.F. No. 376. The motion prevailed.

Mr. Betzold moved that the names of Mrs. Pariseau and Ms. Lesewski be added as co-authors to S.F. No. 382. The motion prevailed.

Mr. Sams moved that the name of Mr. Finn be added as a co-author to S.F. No. 396. The motion prevailed.

Mr. Sams moved that the name of Mr. Finn be added as a co-author to S.F. No. 397. The motion prevailed.

Mr. Hottinger moved that the name of Mr. Finn be added as a co-author to S.F. No. 400. The motion prevailed.

Mr. Berg moved that the name of Mr. Samuelson be added as a co-author to S.F. No. 404. The motion prevailed.

Ms. Johnson, J.B. moved that the name of Ms. Ranum be added as a co-author to S.F. No. 412. The motion prevailed.

Ms. Johnson, J.B. moved that the name of Ms. Anderson be added as a co-author to S.F. No. 413. The motion prevailed.

Mr. Merriam moved that the names of Ms. Olson and Mr. Oliver be added as co-authors to S.F. No. 415. The motion prevailed.

Messrs. Moe, R.D.; Johnson, D.E. and Terwilliger introduced--

Senate Resolution No. 24: A Senate resolution honoring Ralph C. Graham.

WHEREAS, Ralph C. Graham was born July 6, 1925; and

WHEREAS, he was raised in a family with a long tradition of service to the state of Minnesota and especially to the Senate, his father having served under seven governors; and WHEREAS, he attended John Marshall High School, went to business college, graduated from radiologic technology school, and worked for the Minneapolis Veterans Hospital from 1946 to 1980; and

WHEREAS, Ralph began working in the Senate as a Sergeant in 1965, was first elected to the position of Assistant Sergeant at Arms in 1981, has been elected to that position every two years since then, and has now served the Senate for 30 years; and

WHEREAS, he was recently honored with an award by the Council on Black Minnesotans at the Council's Celebration of African American Lobby Day; NOW, THEREFORE,

BE IT RESOLVED by the Senate of the State of Minnesota that it honors Ralph C. Graham for this continuing dedication to the Senate and expresses its gratitude for his many years of service.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Secretary of the Senate is directed to prepare an enrolled copy of this resolution, to be authenticated by his signature and that of the Chair of the Senate Rules and Administration Committee, and transmit it to Ralph C. Graham.

Mr. Moe, R.D. moved the adoption of the foregoing resolution.

The question was taken on the adoption of the resolution.

The roll was called, and there were yeas 62 and nays 0, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Anderson	Hanson	Langseth	Oliver	Sams
Beckman	Hottinger	Larson	Olson	Samuelson
Belanger	Johnson, D.E.	Lese wski	Ourada	Scheevel
Berg	Johnson, J.B.	Lessard	Pappas	Solon
Berglin	Johnston	Limmer	Pariseau	Spear
Bertram	Kelly	Marty	Piper	Stevens
Betzold	Kiscaden	Merriam	Pogemiller	Stumpf
Chandler	Kleis	Metzen	Price	Terwilliger
Chmielewski	Knutson	Moe, R.D.	Ranum	Vickerman
Cohen	Kramer	Mondale	Reichgott Junge	Wiener
Finn	Krentz	Morse	Riveness	
Flynn	Kroening	Murphy	Robertson	
Frederickson	Laidig	Novak	Runbeck	

The motion prevailed. So the resolution was adopted.

Messrs. Moe, R.D. and Johnson, D.E. introduced--

Senate Resolution No. 25: A Senate resolution relating to mileage; setting the miles traveled by members of the Senate in going to and returning from the Capitol.

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

That Senate Resolution No. 20 relating to mileage, Senate Daily Journal page 46, be amended as follows:

Page 1, line 27, delete "50" and insert "56"

Page 1, after line 45, insert:

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

Messrs. Moe, R.D. and Johnson, D.E. introduced--

Senate Resolution No. 26: A Senate resolution providing for Senate committee assignments

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

That Senate Resolution No. 3 relating to standing committees of the Senate for the 79th session, Senate Daily Journal pages 10-12, as amended by Senate Resolution No. 15, Daily Journal pages 34-35, be amended as follows:

COMMERCE AND CONSUMER PROTECTION - 15

Delete: Johnston

Add: Limmer

CRIME PREVENTION - 12 13

Add: Limmer

ENVIRONMENT AND NATURAL RESOURCES - 18 19

Add: Lesewski

JOBS, ENERGY AND COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT - 13 14

Add: Limmer

METROPOLITAN AND LOCAL GOVERNMENT - 15 16

Add: Johnston

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

CALENDAR

S.F. No. 35: A bill for an act relating to elections; changing certain requirements and procedures for voter registration and absentee voting; imposing a penalty; amending Minnesota Statutes 1994, sections 201.061, subdivision 1; 201.071, subdivision 1; 201.081; 201.12, subdivision 2; 201.121, subdivision 1; 201.13, subdivisions 1 and 2; 201.171; 203B.02, subdivision 1; 203B.03, subdivision 1; 203B.04, subdivision 1; 203B.06, subdivision 3; 203B.07, subdivision 2; 203B.08, subdivision 1; 203B.11, by adding a subdivision; 203B.12, subdivision 2, and by adding a subdivision; 203B.13, subdivisions 1 and 2; 203B.16, by adding a subdivision; and 203B.19; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 203B; repealing Minnesota Statutes 1994, section 203B.02, subdivision 1a.

Was read the third time and placed on its final passage.

The question was taken on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and there were yeas 42 and nays 22, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Anderson	Finn	Kroening	Novak	Samuelso
Beckman	Flynn	Langseth	Pappas	Solon
Berglin	Hanson	Marty	Piper	Spear
Bertram	Hottinger	Merriam	Pogemiller	Stumpf
Betzold	Johnson, D.J.	Metzen	Price	Vickerma
Chandler	Johnson, J.B.	Moe, R.D.	Ranum	Wiener
Chmielewski	Kelly	Mondale	Reichgott Junge	
Cohen	Kiscaden	Morse	Riveness	
Dille	Krentz	Murphy	Sams	

Those who voted in the negative were:

Belanger	Kleis	Lesewski
Berg	Knutson	Lessard
Frederickson	Kramer	Limmer
Johnson, D.E.	Laidig	Oliver
Johnston	Larson	Olson

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Stevens Terwilliger So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

S.F. No. 36: A bill for an act relating to the ethical practices board; clarifying definitions; strengthening enforcement powers; requiring additional disclosure of lobbyist activities; facilitating reports of last-minute contributions; clarifying campaign finance requirements; requiring return of public subsidies under certain conditions; providing penalties; repealing provisions for state financing of congressional campaigns; amending Minnesota Statutes 1994, sections 10A.01, subdivisions 10c, 11, 25, 28, and by adding a subdivision; 10A.02, subdivisions 1, 11, and 12; 10A.03, subdivisions 2 and 3; 10A.04, subdivisions 3, 4, 5, 6, and 7; 10A.05; 10A.065, subdivision 1, and by adding a subdivision; 10A.08; 10A.09, subdivisions 3 and 7; 10A.14, subdivision 4; 10A.15, subdivisions 3a and 5; 10A.20, subdivisions 3, 5, and 12, and by adding a subdivision; 10A.21, subdivision 3; 10A.23; 10A.25, subdivisions 2, 6, 10, and 11; 10A.27, subdivisions 9, 10, and 12; 10A.275, subdivision 1; 10A.28, subdivision 1; 10A.31, subdivisions 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 10, 11, and 12; 10A.315; 10A.322, subdivisions 1 and 4; 10A.323; 10A.324, subdivision 1; 10A.335; 10A.34; 211A.12; 211B.15, subdivisions 2, 15, and 16; and 290.06, subdivision 23; repealing Minnesota Statutes 1994, sections 6.76; 10A.20, subdivision 6b; 10A.21, subdivisions 1 and 2; 10A.25, subdivision 13; 10A.324, subdivisions 2 and 4; 10A.40; 10A.41; 10A.42; 10A.43; 10A.44; 10A.45; 10A.46; 10A.47; 10A.48; 10A.49; 10A.50; and 10A.51.

Was read the third time and placed on its final passage.

The question was taken on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and there were yeas 63 and nays 1, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Anderson	Frederickson	Kroening
Beckman	Hanson	Laidig
Belanger	Hottinger	Langseth
Berg	Johnson, D.E.	Larson
Berglin	Johnson, D.J.	Lesewski
Bertram	Johnson, J.B.	Lessard
Betzold	Johnston	Limmer
Chandler	Kelly	Marty
Chmielewski	Kiscaden	Merriam
Cohen	Kleis	Metzen
Dille	Knutson	Moe, R.D.
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Runbeck Sams Samuelson Scheevel Solon Spear Stevens Stumpf Terwilliger Vickerman Wiener

Ms. Robertson voted in the negative.

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

CONSENT CALENDAR

H.F. No. 98: A bill for an act relating to gambling; providing for an alternate member of the advisory council on gambling; amending Laws 1994, chapter 633, article 8, section 5, subdivision 2.

Was read the third time and placed on its final passage.

The question was taken on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and there were yeas 63 and nays 1, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Anderson	Bertram	Dille	Hottinger	Kelly
Beckman	Betzold	Finn	Johnson, D.E.	Kiscaden
Belanger	Chandler	Flynn	Johnson, D.J.	Kleis
Berg	Chmielewski	Frederickson	Johnson, J.B.	Knutson
Berglin	Cohen	Hanson	Johnston	Kramer

Krentz Kroening Laidig Langseth Larson Lesewski Lessard Limmer Marty Metzen Moe, R.D. Mondale Morse Murphy Novak Oliver Olson Ourada Pappas Pariseau Piper Pogemiller Price Ranum Reichgott Junge Riveness Robertson Runbeck Sams Samuelson Scheevel Solon Spear Stevens Stumpf Terwilliger Vickerman Wiener

Mr. Merriam voted in the negative.

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

GENERAL ORDERS

The Senate resolved itself into a Committee of the Whole, with Mrs. Pariseau in the chair.

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

S.F. Nos. 50 and 181, which the committee recommends to pass.

H.F. No. 47, which the committee recommends to pass with the following amendment offered by Mr. Marty:

Amend H.F. No. 47, as amended pursuant to Rule 49, adopted by the Senate February 2, 1995, as follows:

(The text of the amended House File is identical to S.F. No. 94.)

Page 1, line 20, after "include" insert "(i)"

Page 1, line 23, delete "and it also does not include" and insert "(ii)"

Page 1, line 24, after "Minnesota" insert ", or (iii) recycling residuals generated by a nonprofit organization that has as its primary function accepting materials from households for reuse or recycling"

The motion prevailed. So the amendment was adopted.

S.F. No. 213, which the committee recommends to pass, after the following motion:

Mr. Morse moved to amend S.F. No. 213 as follows:

Page 1, line 11, before the period, insert ", and section 3 is repealed July 1, 2000"

The question was taken on the adoption of the amendment.

The roll was called, and there were yeas 23 and nays 38, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Anderson	Johnson, J.B.	Marty	Pogemiller	Scheevel
Berglin	Johnston	Merriam	Price	Spear
Betzold	Krentz	Mondale	Ranum	Wiener
Flynn	Kroening	Morse	Reichgott Junge	
Hottinger	Limmer	Piper	Riveness	

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Pariseau

Robertson Runbeck Sams

Those who voted in the negative were:

Beckman	Frederickson	Kramer
Belanger	Hanson	Laidig
Berg	Johnson, D.E.	Langseth
Bertram	Johnson, D.J.	Larson
Chandler	Kelly	Lesewski
Cohen	Kiscaden	Lessard
Dille	Kleis	Metzen
Finn	Knutson	Murphy

Samuelson Solon Stevens Stumpf Terwilliger Vickerman The motion did not prevail. So the amendment was not adopted.

On motion of Ms. Reichgott Junge, the report of the Committee of the Whole, as kept by the Secretary, was adopted.

INTRODUCTION AND FIRST READING OF SENATE BILLS

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

Mr. Bertram introduced--

S.F. No. 420: A bill for an act relating to the Paynesville area hospital district; authorizing the district to annex Eden Lake township to the district.

Referred to the Committee on Metropolitan and Local Government.

Mr. Metzen introduced--

S.F. No. 421: A bill for an act relating to health; creating an exception to the nursing home moratorium; establishing rates for total replacements; amending Minnesota Statutes 1994, sections 144A.071, subdivision 4a; and 256B.431, subdivision 17.

Referred to the Committee on Health Care.

Mr. Metzen introduced--

S.F. No. 422: A bill for an act relating to retirement; authorizing participation in a retirement incentive by a certain retired member of the public employees retirement association.

Referred to the Committee on Governmental Operations and Veterans.

Mr. Price and Ms. Wiener introduced--

S.F. No. 423: A bill for an act relating to real estate; requiring the commissioner of commerce to design a required disclosure short form to be used in all residential real estate transactions.

Referred to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection.

Mr. Samuelson, Mses. Robertson, Berglin, Mr. Sams and Ms. Piper introduced--

S.F. No. 424: A bill for an act relating to health; establishing an osteoporosis prevention and treatment program; requiring an osteoporosis assessment; appropriating money; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 144.

Referred to the Committee on Health Care.

Mr. Betzold and Ms. Berglin introduced--

S.F. No. 425: A bill for an act relating to health; providing rulemaking authority; modifying enforcement and fee provisions; providing penalties; amending Minnesota Statutes 1994, sections 144.414, subdivision 3; 144.417, subdivision 1; 144.99, subdivisions 1, 4, and 6; 144.991, subdivision 5; 326.75, subdivision 3a; and 326.78, subdivisions 2 and 9; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 144; repealing Minnesota Statutes 1994, section 144.8781, subdivision 4; Laws 1989, chapter 282, article 3, section 28; and Laws 1993, chapter 286, section 11.

Referred to the Committee on Health Care.

Messrs. Janezich; Solon; Johnson, D.J.; Chmielewski and Ms. Lesewski introduced--

S.F. No. 426: A bill for an act relating to motor vehicles; changing definition of fleet for vehicle registration purposes; amending Minnesota Statutes 1994, section 168.011, subdivision 34.

Referred to the Committee on Transportation and Public Transit.

Messrs. Solon; Johnson, D.J. and Chmielewski introduced--

S.F. No. 427: A bill for an act relating to Western Lake Superior Sanitary District; providing for compliance with certain requirements of the Internal Revenue Code; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 458D.

Referred to the Committee on Metropolitan and Local Government.

Messrs. Morse, Price, Ms. Olson, Messrs. Laidig and Merriam introduced--

S.F. No. 428: A bill for an act relating to natural resources; authorizing grants to units of government and school districts for parks, recreation areas, and natural and scenic areas; authorizing rules for administration; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 85; repealing Minnesota Statutes 1994, section 85.019.

Referred to the Committee on Environment and Natural Resources.

Messrs. Morse, Bertram, Vickerman, Sams and Ms. Hanson introduced--

S.F. No. 429: A bill for an act relating to agriculture; eliminating the sunset date for the farmer-lender mediation act; repealing Laws 1986, chapter 398, article 1, section 18, as amended.

Referred to the Committee on Agriculture and Rural Development.

Mr. Metzen introduced--

S.F. No. 430: A bill for an act relating to highways; requiring construction of a noise barrier on legislative route No. 115 in Inver Grove Heights.

Referred to the Committee on Transportation and Public Transit.

Ms. Reichgott Junge, Messrs. Betzold and Knutson introduced--

S.F. No. 431: A bill for an act relating to eminent domain proceedings; amending Minnesota Statutes 1994, sections 117.065; 117.115, subdivision 2; and 117.145.

Referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Ms. Johnston, Mrs. Pariseau, Ms. Hanson and Mr. Day introduced--

S.F. No. 432: A bill for an act relating to metropolitan government; establishing four-year community-based transit service initiative demonstration program; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 473.

Referred to the Committee on Transportation and Public Transit.

Mses. Pappas, Flynn, Robertson, Mr. Oliver and Ms. Wiener introduced--

S.F. No. 433: A bill for an act relating to local government; abolishing town government and providing for the dissolution of organized towns; providing for the governance of territory of dissolved towns; specifying certain powers and duties of counties and cities in relation to dissolution of towns; proposing coding for new law as Minnesota Statutes, chapter 365; repealing

Minnesota Statutes 1994, sections 365.01; 365.02; 365.025; 365.04; 365.05; 365.07; 365.08; 365.09; 365.10; 365.11; 365.125; 365.13; 365.14; 365.15; 365.16; 365.17; 365.18; 365.181; 365.19; 365.20; 365.21; 365.22; 365.23; 365.24; 365.37; 365.38; 365.39; 365.40; 365.41; 365.42; 365.43; 365.431; 365.44; 365.50; 365.51; 365.52; 365.53; 365.54; 365.55; 365.56; 365.57; 365.58; 365.59; 365A.01; 365A.02; 365A.03; 365A.04; 365A.05; 365A.06; 365A.07; 365A.08; 365A.09; 365A.10; 366.012; 366.015; 366.03; 366.04; 366.05; 366.07; 366.08; 366.09; 366.095; 366.10; 366.11; 366.12; 366.13; 366.14; 366.15; 366.151; 366.16; 366.17; 366.18; 366.181; 366.19; 366.20; 366.21; 366.22; 366.27; 367.01; 367.02; 367.03; 367.03; 367.05; 367.10; 367.11; 367.12; 367.13; 367.14; 367.15; 367.16; 367.161; 367.17; 367.18; 367.19; 367.22; 367.23; 367.24; 367.25; 367.30; 367.31; 367.32; 367.33; 367.34; 368.48; 368.49; and 368.85.

Referred to the Committee on Metropolitan and Local Government.

Messrs. Kelly, Merriam, Cohen, Ms. Piper and Mr. Riveness introduced--

S.F. No. 434: A bill for an act relating to crime prevention; clarifying the scope of the witness and victim protection fund; appropriating money; amending Minnesota Statutes 1994, section 299C.065, subdivision 1a.

Referred to the Committee on Crime Prevention.

Messrs. Kelly, Cohen, Merriam, Ms. Piper and Mr. Riveness introduced--

S.F. No. 435: A bill for an act relating to crime prevention; classifying name changes of protected witnesses as private data; expanding the crime of witness tampering; amending Minnesota Statutes 1994, sections 259.10; and 609.498, subdivision 1.

Referred to the Committee on Crime Prevention.

Mr. Kelly, Ms. Piper and Mr. Riveness introduced--

S.F. No. 436: A bill for an act relating to crime prevention; creating a fund to be used by local law enforcement agencies for the purpose of meeting certain emergency needs of crime victims; providing for administration of the fund by the crime victims reparations board; appropriating money; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 611A.

Referred to the Committee on Crime Prevention.

Messrs. Betzold, Vickerman, Terwilliger and Ms. Piper introduced--

S.F. No. 437: 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.

Ms. Piper, Mr. Marty, Ms. Johnston, Mr. Morse and Mrs. Pariseau introduced--

S.F. No. 438: A bill for an act relating to education; providing for disclosure of past buyout arrangements by superintendents to be; amending Minnesota Statutes 1994, section 123.34, by adding a subdivision.

Referred to the Committee on Education.

Messrs. Sams, Vickerman, Terwilliger and Ms. Piper introduced--

S.F. No. 439: 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. Hottinger, Solon, Belanger, Metzen and Larson introduced--

S.F. No. 440: A bill for an act relating to insurance; regulating coverages, notice provisions, enforcement provisions, fees, licensees; making technical changes; amending Minnesota Statutes 1994, sections 60A.06, subdivision 3; 60A.085; 60A.111, subdivision 2; 60A.124; 60A.23, subdivision 8; 60A.26; 60A.951, subdivision 2; 60K.03, subdivision 7; 60K.14, subdivision 1; 61A.071; 61A.092, subdivisions 3 and 6; 61B.28, subdivisions 8 and 9; 62A.042; 62A.135; 62A.136; 62A.141; 62A.146; 62A.148; 62A.17, subdivision 1; 62A.20, subdivision 1; 62A.21, subdivision 2a; 62A.31, subdivisions 1h and 1i; 62A.46, subdivision 2, and by adding a subdivision; 62A.48, subdivision 1ad 2; 62A.50, subdivision 3; 62C.14, subdivision 2; 62L.02, subdivision 16; 62L.03, subdivision 5; 65A.01, by adding a subdivision 3; 65B.06, subdivision 1; 72A.20, by adding a subdivision; 72B.05; 79.251, subdivision 5, and by adding a subdivision; 176.181, subdivision 2; 299F.053, subdivision 2; and 515A.3-112; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 62A; repealing Minnesota Statutes 1994, section 65B.07, subdivision 5.

Referred to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection.

Messrs. Frederickson, Cohen, Terwilliger, Ms. Johnston and Mr. Neuville introduced--

S.F. No. 441: A bill for an act relating to the organization and operation of state government; appropriating money for the general legislative and administrative expenses of state government; providing for the transfer of certain money in the state treasury; transferring certain duties and functions; amending Minnesota Statutes 1994, sections 240.155, subdivision 1; 240.24, subdivision 3; 297A.25, subdivision 11; 352.91, subdivision 4; 353.65, subdivisions 2 and 3; 354.07, subdivision 1; 354.42, subdivisions 2, 3, 5, and by adding a subdivision; and 356.865, subdivision 3; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 43A; repealing Minnesota Statutes 1994, section 353.65, subdivision 3a.

Referred to the Committee on Governmental Operations and Veterans.

Messrs. Frederickson and Vickerman introduced--

S.F. No. 442: A bill for an act relating to education; authorizing eligibility for debt service aid to independent school district No. 85, Springfield.

Referred to the Committee on Education.

Messrs. Frederickson, Vickerman, Bertram, Berg and Scheevel introduced--

S.F. No. 443: A bill for an act relating to tax increment financing; exempting districts established for purpose of constructing or expanding an agricultural processing facility from certain aid reductions; amending Minnesota Statutes 1994, section 273.1399, by adding a subdivision.

Referred to the Committee on Taxes and Tax Laws.

Ms. Lesewski, Messrs. Vickerman, Morse, Frederickson and Lessard introduced--

S.F. No. 444: A bill for an act relating to state parks; adding territory to Split Rock Creek state park.

Referred to the Committee on Environment and Natural Resources.

Ms. Lesewski, Messrs. Vickerman, Stevens, Lessard and Bertram introduced--

S.F. No. 445: A bill for an act relating to the environment; requiring the pollution control agency to permit the operation of certain waste combustors.

Referred to the Committee on Environment and Natural Resources.

Messrs. Solon; Janezich; Johnson, D.J. and Chmielewski introduced--

S.F. No. 446: A bill for an act relating to commerce; restraint of trade; repealing price markup provisions in the sales discrimination law; amending Minnesota Statutes 1994, section 325D.06; and repealing Minnesota Statutes 1994, section 325D.08.

Referred to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection.

Mr. Cohen and Ms. Wiener introduced--

S.F. No. 447: A bill for an act relating to commerce; relating to the administrative duties of the commissioner; regulating service of orders and other papers; modifying enforcement powers; regulating notaries public; amending Minnesota Statutes 1994, sections 45.027, subdivision 7, and by adding a subdivision; 214.101, by adding a subdivision; 359.01; 359.02; and 332.34; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapters 45; and 359.

Referred to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection.

Messrs. Solon, Samuelson, Mses. Johnston and Wiener introduced--

S.F. No. 448: A bill for an act relating to occupations and professions; requiring that concrete and masonry contractors be licensed as residential contractors; amending Minnesota Statutes 1994, 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.

Messrs. Hottinger, Betzold, Ms. Ranum, Messrs. Chandler and Knutson introduced--

S.F. No. 449: A bill for an act relating to courts; authorizing district courts to transfer civil actions to courts outside this state upon consent of those courts; enacting the uniform transfer of litigation act; proposing coding for new law as Minnesota Statutes, chapter 552.

Referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Messrs. Hottinger and Frederickson introduced--

S.F. No. 450: A bill for an act relating to education; providing for a levy adjustment for independent school district No. 2397, Le Sueur-Henderson.

Referred to the Committee on Education.

Messrs. Neuville and Stevens introduced--

S.F. No. 451: A bill for an act relating to health; modifying MinnesotaCare; prohibiting the collection of individual-level data; allowing for-profit integrated networks; modifying eligibility and premiums for the MinnesotaCare program; repealing the regulated all-payer option, growth limits, certain insurance provisions and other initiatives; authorizing and regulating medical care savings accounts; requiring malpractice reform; amending Minnesota Statutes 1994, sections 62A.65, subdivisions 3 and 7; 62J.04, subdivision 3; 62J.045, subdivision 3; 62J.06; 62J.09, subdivision 1a; 62J.17, subdivision 1; 62J.22; 62J.30, subdivisions 1, 3, 6, 7, 10, 11, and by adding a subdivision; 62J.31, subdivision 1; 62J.35, subdivision 1; 62J.45, subdivisions 1, 2, 4, 5, and 10;

62J.48; 62J.65; 62L.08, subdivision 8; 62N.05, subdivision 2; 62N.06, subdivision 1; 62N.25, subdivisions 5 and 7; 62N.381, subdivision 2; 62Q.01, subdivisions 3 and 4; 62Q.165; 62Q.18, subdivision 7; 62Q.30; 62Q.41; 256.9352, subdivision 3, and by adding a subdivision; 256.9354, subdivision 5; 256.9358, by adding a subdivision; 290.01, subdivisions 19a, 19b, and 19d; 549.01; 595.02, subdivision 5; 604.02, by adding a subdivision; 604.11, by adding a subdivision; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapters 62Q; and 548; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapters 62Q; and 548; proposing coding for new law as Minnesota Statutes, chapter 62S; repealing Minnesota Statutes 1994, sections 13.99, subdivision 19a; 62A.021; 62J.017; 62J.04, subdivisions 1, 1a, 7, and 9; 62J.15; 62J.152; 62J.156; 62J.32, subdivision 4; 62J.34; 62J.54, subdivision 4; 62J.55; 62L.08, subdivision 11; 62P.01; 62P.02; 62P.03; 62P.04; 62P.05; 62P.07; 62P.09; 62P.11; 62P.13; 62P.15; 62P.17; 62P.19; 62P.21; 62P.23; 62P.25; 62P.27; 62P.29; 62P.31; 62P.33; 62Q.09; 62Q.18, subdivisions 2, 3, 4, 6, 8, and 9; and 144.1481; Laws 1992, chapter 549, article 3, section 19; Laws 1994, chapter 625, article 5, section 7.

Referred to the Committee on Health Care.

Mses. Runbeck, Lesewski, Messrs. Frederickson, Metzen and Kroening introduced--

S.F. No. 452: A bill for an act relating to the organization and operation of state government; appropriating money for economic development, to certain departments and agencies, with certain conditions; providing for regulation and administration of certain activities, practices, and accounts; amending Minnesota Statutes 1994, sections 116J.873, subdivision 4; 124.85, by adding a subdivision; 175.171; 176.1351, subdivision 1; 237.701, subdivision 1; 386.65, subdivision 1; 386.66; 386.67; 386.68; 386.69; and 462A.21, subdivisions 8 and 8b; Laws 1993, chapter 369, section 9, subdivisions 2 and 3.

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

Mr. Janezich, Ms. Hanson, Mr. Chmielewski, Mrs. Pariseau and Mr. Johnson, D.E. introduced--

S.F. No. 453: A bill for an act relating to towns; providing for damage award to affected property owner when town board adopts a recorded town road map; amending Minnesota Statutes 1994, section 164.35, subdivision 4.

Referred to the Committee on Metropolitan and Local Government.

Mr. Cohen, Ms. Robertson, Mr. Pogemiller and Ms. Pappas introduced--

S.F. No. 454: A bill for an act relating to the Minnesota Children's Museum; appropriating money.

Referred to the Committee on Finance.

Ms. Runbeck, Messrs. Metzen, Larson and Day introduced--

S.F. No. 455: A bill for an act relating to motor vehicles; allowing license plates for collector vehicles to be transferred and reissued; imposing fees; amending Minnesota Statutes 1994, section 168.10, subdivisions 1a, 1b, 1c, 1d, 1h, and by adding a subdivision.

Referred to the Committee on Transportation and Public Transit.

Mr. Johnson, D.E. introduced--

S.F. No. 456: A bill for an act relating to health; creating an exception to the nursing home moratorium; amending Minnesota Statutes 1994, section 144A.071, subdivision 3.

Referred to the Committee on Health Care.

Messrs. Chandler, Solon, Metzen, Knutson and Hottinger introduced--

S.F. No. 457: A bill for an act relating to insurance; no-fault auto; regulating priorities of coverage for taxis; amending Minnesota Statutes 1994, section 65B.47, subdivision 1a.

Referred to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection.

Ms. Krentz, Mr. Janezich, Ms. Ranum, Messrs. Morse and Bertram introduced--

S.F. No. 458: A bill for an act relating to education; repealing the appropriation limits for education programs for fiscal years 1996 and 1997; repealing Laws 1993, chapter 224, article 15, section 3, as amended.

Referred to the Committee on Education.

Messrs. Novak; Moe, R.D. and Johnson, D.E. introduced--

S.F. No. 459: A resolution memorializing the Congress of the United States to give due consideration to the readiness of the Republic of China on Taiwan for membership in the United Nations.

Referred to the Committee on Governmental Operations and Veterans.

Mr. Metzen introduced--

S.F. No. 460: A bill for an act relating to retirement; making the surviving spouses of certain police officers eligible for survivor benefits from the public employees retirement association police and fire fund.

Referred to the Committee on Governmental Operations and Veterans.

Messrs. Kelly, Belanger, Spear and Cohen introduced--

S.F. No. 461: 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 1994, section 518.18.

Referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Ms. Johnson, J.B.; Mr. Mondale, Ms. Wiener, Messrs. Chandler and Stevens introduced--

S.F. No. 462: A bill for an act relating to the environment; implementing the transfer of solid waste management duties of the metropolitan council to the office of environmental assistance; providing for the management of waste; providing penalties; amending Minnesota Statutes 1992, section 115A.33, as reenacted; Minnesota Statutes 1994, sections 115.071, subdivision 1; 115A.055; 115A.07, subdivision 3; 115A.072, subdivisions 1, 3, and 4; 115A.12; 115A.14, subdivision 4; 115A.15, subdivision 9; 115A.191, subdivisions 1 and 2; 115A.32; 115A.411; 115A.42; 115A.45; 115A.46, subdivisions 1 and 5; 115A.47, by adding a subdivision; 115A.55, by adding a subdivision; 115A.5501, subdivisions 2, 3, and 4; 115A.5502; 115A.551, subdivisions 2a, 4, 5, 6, and 7; 115A.554; 115A.557, subdivisions 3 and 4; 115A.558; 115A.63, subdivision 3; 115A.84, subdivision 3; 115A.86, subdivision 2; 115A.919, subdivision 3; 115A.921, subdivision 1; 115A.923, subdivision 1; 115A.9302, subdivisions 1 and 2; 115A.951, subdivision 4; 115A.965, subdivision 1; 115A.97, subdivisions 5 and 6; 115A.981, subdivision 3; 116.07, subdivision 4j; 116.072; 400.16; 400.161; 473.149, subdivisions 1, 2d, 2e, 3, 4, and 6; 473.151; 473.516, subdivision 2; 473.801, subdivision 1, and by adding subdivisions; 473.8011; 473.803, subdivisions 1, 1c, 2, 2a, 3, 4, and 5; 473.804; 473.811, subdivisions 1, 4a, 5, 5c, 7, and 8; 473.813, subdivision 2; 473.823, subdivisions 3, 5, and 6; 473.843, subdivision 1; 473.844, subdivisions 1a and 4; 473.8441, subdivisions 2, 4, and 5; 473.845, subdivision 4; 473.846; and 473.848; Laws 1994, chapter 628, article 3, section 209; proposing coding for new law in

Minnesota Statutes, chapter 480; repealing Minnesota Statutes 1994, sections 115A.81, subdivision 3; 115A.90, subdivision 3; 116.94; 383D.71, subdivision 2; 473.149, subdivisions 2, 2a, 2c, 2f, and 5; 473.181, subdivision 4; and 473.803, subdivisions 1b and 1e.

Referred to the Committee on Environment and Natural Resources.

Messrs. Lessard; Moe, R.D.; Dille; Chandler and Johnson, D.E. introduced--

S.F. No. 463: A bill for an act relating to water; wastewater treatment; limiting National Pollution Discharge Elimination System permit fees; amending Minnesota Statutes 1994, section 115.03, by adding a subdivision.

Referred to the Committee on Environment and Natural Resources.

Mr. Scheevel, Ms. Olson, Messrs. Stumpf and Pogemiller introduced--

S.F. No. 464: A bill for an act relating to education; providing a debt equalization determination for independent school district No. 233, Preston-Fountain, and independent school district No. 228, Harmony.

Referred to the Committee on Education.

Mr. Kroening introduced--

S.F. No. 465: A bill for an act relating to local government; requiring two-year terms of office for members of the governing body of certain cities; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 410.

Referred to the Committee on Metropolitan and Local Government.

Mr. Kroening introduced---

S.F. No. 466: A bill for an act relating to drivers' licenses; prescribing fee for Minnesota identification card; amending Minnesota Statutes 1994, section 171.06, subdivision 2.

Referred to the Committee on Transportation and Public Transit.

Messrs. Mondale; Merriam; Moe, R.D.; Johnson, D.E. and Vickerman introduced--

S.F. No. 467: A bill for an act relating to metropolitan government; providing for coordination and consolidation of public safety radio communications systems; providing governance and finance of the state and regional elements of a regionwide public safety radio communication system; extending the public safety channel moratorium; authorizing the use of 911 emergency telephone service fees for costs of the regionwide public safety radio communication system; authorizing the issuance of bonds by the metropolitan council; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 473.

Referred to the Committee on Metropolitan and Local Government.

Ms. Ranum, Mr. Knutson, Mses. Robertson, Piper and Kiscaden introduced--

S.F. No. 468: A bill for an act relating to children's services; establishing the department of children and education services; making related changes; appropriating money; amending Minnesota Statutes 1994, sections 126B.02, subdivision 1, and by adding a subdivision; 126B.03, subdivision 1; 126B.04; and 126B.05; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 126B; proposing coding for new law as Minnesota Statutes, chapter 119A; repealing Minnesota Statutes 1994, sections 121.02, subdivisions 1, 2a, and 3; 121.03; 121.04, subdivision 2; and 126B.02, subdivisions 2, 3, and 4.

Referred to the Committee on Governmental Operations and Veterans.

Mr. Solon and Ms. Wiener introduced--

S.F. No. 469: A bill for an act relating to commerce; real estate; regulating certain licensees and registrants; amending Minnesota Statutes 1994, sections 82.18; 82.195, subdivision 1; 82.20, subdivision 13; 82A.11, subdivision 3; 83.28, subdivision 5; 386.65, subdivision 1; 386.66; 386.67; 386.68; and 386.69.

Referred to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection.

Messrs. Laidig, Merriam, Neuville and Spear introduced--

S.F. No. 470: A bill for an act relating to crime; requiring certain modifications to the sentencing guidelines to ensure sentence proportionality and to preserve available prison resources for the most violent offenders.

Referred to the Committee on Crime Prevention.

Mrs. Pariseau introduced--

S.F. No. 471: A bill for an act relating to the environment and natural resources; expanding the availability of money in the Minnesota environmental trust fund and future resources fund for certain purposes; substituting the advisory committee for the legislative commission on Minnesota resources in the administration of the environmental trust fund and the future resources fund; appropriating money; amending Minnesota Statutes 1994, sections 103B.321, subdivision 1; 116P.02, subdivision 2; 116P.03; 116P.04, subdivision 5; 116P.06; 116P.07; 116P.08, subdivisions 1, 3, 4, and 5; 116P.09, subdivisions 1 and 6; and 116P.11; repealing Minnesota Statutes 1994, sections 4.071, subdivision 2; 116P.02, subdivisions 4 and 5; 116P.05; 116P.08, subdivisions 6 and 7; 116P.09, subdivisions 2, 3, 4, 5, and 7; 116P.12; 116P.13, subdivision 3; and 116Q.02, subdivision 2.

Referred to the Committee on Environment and Natural Resources.

Mr. Berg introduced--

S.F. No. 472: A bill for an act relating to game and fish; modifying size limits for walleye and northern pike; amending Minnesota Statutes 1994, section 97C.401, subdivision 2.

Referred to the Committee on Environment and Natural Resources.

Ms. Johnson, J.B. introduced--

S.F. No. 473: A bill for an act relating to human services; requiring the department of human services to request a waiver from the federal government to allow the expansion of the Minnesota family investment program.

Referred to the Committee on Family Services.

Ms. Johnson, J.B. introduced--

S.F. No. 474: A bill for an act relating to insurance; accident and sickness; regulating grace periods for Medicare supplement policies; amending Minnesota Statutes 1994, section 62A.04, subdivision 2.

Referred to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection.

Messrs. Finn; Moe, R.D.; Stumpf; Johnson, D.E. and Mrs. Pariseau introduced--

S.F. No. 475: A bill for an act relating to property rights; requiring the attorney general to review proposed rules for potential to result in "takings" of private property; establishing a cause

of action for reduction in value of private property as a result of governmental regulation; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapters 14; and 557.

Referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Messrs. Price and Laidig introduced--

S.F. No. 476: A bill for an act relating to public employment; modifying penalties for noncompliance with the local government pay equity law; amending Minnesota Statutes 1994, section 471.9981, subdivision 6.

Referred to the Committee on Governmental Operations and Veterans.

Messrs. Price, Stumpf, Ms. Wiener and Mr. Solon introduced--

S.F. No. 477: A bill for an act relating to education; consolidating and restructuring certain higher education statutes to reflect the merger of the community colleges, state universities, and technical colleges; amending Minnesota Statutes 1994, sections 136E.01, subdivision 1; 136E.02, subdivisions 1 and 3; 136E.021, subdivision 2; 136E.03; 136E.04, subdivisions 1, 3, and 7; 136E.05; 136E.31; 136E.395; 136E.525, subdivisions 1 and 2; and 136E.692, subdivisions 1, 3, and 4; proposing coding for new law as Minnesota Statutes, chapter 136F; repealing Minnesota Statutes 1994, sections 136.01; 136.015; 136.016; 136.017; 136.02; 136.03; 136.031; 136.034; 136.035; 136.036; 136.045; 136.06; 136.063; 136.065; 136.07; 136.08; 136.09; 136.10; 136.11; 136.111; 136.12; 136.13; 136.14; 136.141; 136.142; 136.143; 136.144; 136.145; 136.146; 136.147; 136.148; 136.15; 136.16; 136.17; 136.171; 136.172; 136.18; 136.19; 136.20; 136.21; 136.22; 136.232; 136.24; 136.25; 136.26; 136.261; 136.27; 136.31; 136.311; 136.32; 136.33; 136.34; 136.35; 136.36; 136.37; 136.38; 136.40; 136.41; 136.42; 136.43; 136.44; 136.45; 136.46; 136.47; 136.48; 136.49; 136.50; 136.501; 136.502; 136.503; 136.504; 136.505; 136.506; 136.507; 136.508; 136.55; 136.56; 136.57; 136.58; 136.60; 136.601; 136.6011; 136.602; 136.603; 136.61; 136.62; 136.621; 136.622; 136.63; 136.64; 136.65; 136.651; 136.653; 136.66; 136.67; 136.70; 136.71; 136.72; 136.80; 136.81; 136.82; 136.821; 136.83; 136.84; 136.85; 136.86; 136.87; 136.88; 136.90; 136C.01; 136C.02; 136C.03; 136C.04; 136C.041; 136C.042; 136C.043; 136C.044; 136C.05; 136C.06; 136C.07; 136C.075; 136C.08; 136C.13; 136C.15; 136C.17; 136C.21; 136C.211; 136C.212; 136C.213; 136C.22; 136C.221; 136C.222; 136C.223; 136C.25; 136C.26; 136C.27; 136C.28; 136C.29; 136C.31; 136C.32; 136C.33; 136C.34; 136C.35; 136C.36; 136C.37; 136C.38; 136C.41; 136C.411; 136C.42; 136C.43; 136C.44; 136C.50; 136C.51; 136C.60; 136C.61; 136C.62; 136C.63; 136C.64; 136C.65; 136C.66; 136C.67; 136C.68; 136C.69; 136C.70; 136C.71; 136C.75; and 136E.04, subdivisions 2, 4, 5, and 6; Laws 1994, chapter 532, article 6, section 12, paragraph (a).

Referred to the Committee on Education.

Mr. Johnson, D.E. and Ms. Lesewski introduced--

S.F. No. 478: A bill for an act relating to education; authorizing independent school district No. 2190, Granite Falls-Clarkfield-Echo, to levy for costs of operating a swimming pool.

Referred to the Committee on Education.

Ms. Runbeck, Messrs. Kleis and Johnson, D.E. introduced--

S.F. No. 479: A bill for an act relating to lawful gambling; regulating lawful purpose expenditures by or to certain organizations exempt from federal income taxes; amending Minnesota Statutes 1994, sections 349.12, subdivision 25, and by adding a subdivision.

Referred to the Committee on Gaming Regulation.

Messrs. Larson and Ourada introduced--

S.F. No. 480: A bill for an act relating to workers' compensation; modifying provisions relating

to procedures and benefits; providing penalties; amending Minnesota Statutes 1994, sections 79.211, subdivision 1; 175.16; 176.011, subdivision 25; 176.021, subdivisions 3 and 3a; 176.061, subdivision 10; 176.101, subdivisions 1, 2, 4, 5, 6, 8, and by adding a subdivision; 176.105, subdivision 4; 176.111, subdivisions 6, 7, 8, 12, 14, 15, and 20; 176.178; 176.179; 176.221, subdivision 6a; 176.645, subdivision 1; 176.66, subdivision 11; 176.82; and 268.08, subdivision 3; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 176; repealing Minnesota Statutes 1994, sections 176.011, subdivision 26; 176.101, subdivisions 3a, 3b, 3c, 3d, 3e, 3f, 3g, 3h, 3i, 3j, 3k, 31, 3m, 3n, 3o, 3p, 3q, 3r, 3s, 3t, and 3u; and 176.132.

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

Mses. Pappas, Anderson and Flynn introduced--

S.F. No. 481: A bill for an act relating to human services; ending poverty; minimum wage; AFDC grant; undocumented persons eligible for GA and GAMC; STRIDE; Minnesota working family credit; sales tax on replacement capital equipment and special tooling; sliding fee child care program; appropriating money; amending Minnesota Statutes 1994, sections 177.24, subdivision 1; 256.01, by adding a subdivision; 256.031, subdivision 3; 256.73, subdivision 8, and by adding subdivisions; 256.736, subdivisions; 3, 3a, and 16; 256.737, subdivision 4; 256.74, subdivision 1, and by adding a subdivision; 256D.03, subdivision 3; 290.0671, subdivision 1; 297A.01, subdivision 16; 297A.02, subdivision 2; and 297A.15, subdivision 5; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 268; repealing Minnesota Statutes 1994, sections 256D.05, subdivision 8; 297A.02, subdivision 5; and 297A.25, subdivision 53.

Referred to the Committee on Family Services.

Mr. Stumpf introduced--

S.F. No. 482: A bill for an act relating to education; authorizing independent school district No. 595, East Grand Forks, to use capital expenditure facilities revenue to acquire and construct buildings.

Referred to the Committee on Education.

Messrs. Stumpf; Moe, R.D.; Ms. Hanson, Mr. Johnson, D.E. and Mrs. Pariseau introduced--

S.F. No. 483: A bill for an act relating to natural resources; modifying provisions relating to wetlands; amending Minnesota Statutes 1994, sections 103G.222; 103G.2241; 103G.2242, subdivisions 1, 2, 6, 7, 9, 12, and by adding a subdivision; 103G.237, subdivision 4, and by adding a subdivision; and 103G.2372, subdivision 1.

Referred to the Committee on Environment and Natural Resources.

MEMBERS EXCUSED

Messrs. Day, Janezich and Neuville were excused from the Session of today. Ms. Pappas was excused from the Session of today at 12:00 noon.

ADJOURNMENT

Ms. Reichgott Junge moved that the Senate do now adjourn until 9:00 a.m., Thursday, February 16, 1995. The motion prevailed.

Patrick E. Flahaven, Secretary of the Senate