

EIGHTEENTH DAY

St. Paul, Minnesota, Tuesday, February 21, 1995

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

CALL OF THE SENATE

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

Prayer was offered by the Chaplain, Rev. Joe Dokken.

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

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 communications were received and referred to the committees indicated.

January 9, 1995

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:

WORKERS' COMPENSATION COURT OF APPEALS

Thomas L. Johnson, 1510 Red Cedar Rd., Eagan, Dakota County, effective January 15, 1995, for a term expiring on the first Monday in January, 2001.

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

January 18, 1995

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:

COMMISSIONER, DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES

Maria R. Gomez, 8400 Indian Blvd. S., Cottage Grove, Washington County, effective January 17, 1995, for a term expiring on the first Monday in January, 1999.

(Referred to the Committee on Family Services.)

January 18, 1995

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:

COMMISSIONER, DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SAFETY

Michael S. Jordan, 6631 - 135th St. W., Apple Valley, Dakota County, effective January 17, 1995, for a term expiring on the first Monday in January, 1999.

(Referred to the Committee on Crime Prevention.)

January 26, 1995

The Honorable Allan H. Spear
President of the Senate

Dear Sir:

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

STATE BOARD OF EDUCATION

Nedra M. Wicks, 5600 Stenbrae Ct., Rochester, Olmsted County, effective January 30, 1995, for a term expiring on the first Monday in January, 1999.

Jeanne Kling, 904 S.E. Willmar Ave., Willmar, Kandiyohi County, effective January 30, 1995, for a term expiring on the first Monday in January, 1999.

Thomas Peacock, 1507 Lockling Rd., Cloquet, Carlton County, effective January 30, 1995, for a term expiring on the first Monday in January, 1999.

(Referred to the Committee on Education.)

February 7, 1995

Mr. Allan H. Spear, President of the Senate
Mr. Irv Anderson, Speaker of the House
Ms. Joan A. Growe, Secretary of State

Dear Sirs and Madam:

Anne Barry's appointment as Acting Commissioner of the Minnesota Department of Health is effective today, February 7, 1995.

Warmest regards,
Arne H. Carlson, Governor

February 14, 1995

The Honorable Irv Anderson
Speaker of the House of Representatives

The Honorable Allan H. Spear
President of the Senate

I have the honor to inform you that the following enrolled Act of the 1995 Session of the State Legislature has been received from the Office of the Governor and is deposited in the Office of the Secretary of State for preservation, pursuant to the State Constitution, Article IV, Section 23:

S.F. No.	H.F. No.	Session Laws Chapter No.	Time and Date Approved 1995	Date Filed 1995
	45	1	11:32 a.m. February 14	February 14

Sincerely,
Joan Anderson Growe
Secretary of State

MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE

Mr. President:

I have the honor to announce the passage by the House of the following Senate File, herewith returned: S.F. No. 44.

Edward A. Burdick, Chief Clerk, House of Representatives

Returned February 16, 1995

Mr. President:

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

S.F. No. 75: A bill for an act relating to real property; clarifying requirements relating to filing of notice of mechanics' liens; amending Minnesota Statutes 1994, section 514.08, subdivision 1.

Senate File No. 75 is herewith returned to the Senate.

Edward A. Burdick, Chief Clerk, House of Representatives

Returned February 20, 1995

CONCURRENCE AND REPASSAGE

Mr. Betzold moved that the Senate concur in the amendments by the House to S.F. No. 75 and that the bill be placed on its repassage as amended. The motion prevailed.

S.F. No. 75: A bill for an act relating to real property; clarifying requirements relating to filing of notices relating to mechanics' liens; amending Minnesota Statutes 1994, sections 514.08, subdivision 1; and 514.12, subdivision 1.

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

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

The roll was called, and there were yeas 65 and nays 0, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

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

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

MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE - CONTINUED

Mr. President:

I have the honor to announce the passage by the House of the following House Files, herewith transmitted: H.F. Nos. 226, 231 and 354.

Edward A. Burdick, Chief Clerk, House of Representatives

Transmitted February 16, 1995

Mr. President:

I have the honor to announce the passage by the House of the following House Files, herewith transmitted: H.F. Nos. 37, 95, 358, 121, 435, 374 and 383.

Edward A. Burdick, Chief Clerk, House of Representatives

Transmitted February 20, 1995

FIRST READING OF HOUSE BILLS

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

H.F. No. 226: A bill for an act relating to occupations and professions; requiring reporting of certain insurance settlements to board of medical practice; amending Minnesota Statutes 1994, sections 147.111, subdivision 5; and 147.161, subdivision 1.

Referred to the Committee on Health Care.

H.F. No. 231: A bill for an act relating to occupations and professions; board of medical practice; changing licensing requirements for foreign applicants; changing certain disciplinary procedures; amending Minnesota Statutes 1994, sections 147.037, subdivision 1; 147.091, subdivisions 1, 2, and 6; 147.121, subdivision 2; 148.70; and 148.72, subdivision 1; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 147.

Referred to the Committee on Rules and Administration for comparison with S.F. No. 95, now on General Orders.

H.F. No. 354: A bill for an act relating to utilities; allowing small gas utility franchises an exemption from rate regulation for incidental utility service; amending Minnesota Statutes 1994, section 216B.16, subdivision 12.

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

H.F. No. 37: A bill for an act relating to local government; allowing either the town of Glen or the town of Kimberly in Aitkin county to have an alternate annual meeting day.

Referred to the Committee on Metropolitan and Local Government.

H.F. No. 95: A bill for an act relating to highways; prohibiting headwalls in highway rights-of-way; imposing a penalty; amending Minnesota Statutes 1994, section 160.27, subdivision 5.

Referred to the Committee on Rules and Administration for comparison with S.F. No. 132, now on General Orders.

H.F. No. 358: A bill for an act relating to utilities; clarifying that public utilities commission may extend deadline for rate suspension period by 20 days when necessary to first make final determination on another, previously filed rate case; allowing exemption from rate regulation for small electric utility franchise; allowing longer review time for granting petition for rehearing by public utilities commission; amending Minnesota Statutes 1994, sections 216B.16, subdivision 2, and by adding a subdivision; and 216B.27, subdivision 4.

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

H.F. No. 121: A bill for an act relating to state trails; authorizing extension of the Blufflands Trail System in Winona county; amending Minnesota Statutes 1994, section 85.015, subdivision 7.

Referred to the Committee on Rules and Administration for comparison with S.F. No. 310.

H.F. No. 435: A bill for an act relating to public utilities; authorizing performance-based gas purchasing regulation for gas utilities; amending Minnesota Statutes 1994, section 216B.16, by adding a subdivision; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 216B.

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

H.F. No. 374: A bill for an act relating to utilities; exempting large electric power generating plant from certificate of need proceeding when selected by the public utilities commission from a bidding process to select resources to meet the utility's projected energy demand; amending Minnesota Statutes 1994, section 216B.2422, subdivision 5.

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

H.F. No. 383: A bill for an act relating to traffic regulations; clarifying conditions when covering motor vehicle head lamp, tail lamp, or reflector is unlawful; providing that only certain trailers required to have brakes are also required to have break-away brakes; requiring inspector of commercial motor vehicle to retain report for at least 14 months; prohibiting the covering of a license plate with any material or substance; amending Minnesota Statutes 1994, sections 169.64, by adding a subdivision; 169.67, subdivision 3; 169.781, subdivision 4; and 169.79.

Referred to the Committee on Transportation and Public Transit.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

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

Mr. Vickerman from the Committee on Metropolitan and Local Government, to which was referred

S.F. No. 266: A bill for an act relating to local government; towns; authorizing the town board to set up a petty cash fund; amending Minnesota Statutes 1994, section 366.01, by adding a subdivision.

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

Mr. Vickerman from the Committee on Metropolitan and Local Government, to which was referred

S.F. No. 311: A bill for an act relating to the county of Pipestone; authorizing the issuance of general obligation bonds for repair and renovation of the county courthouse and annex.

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

Page 1, line 12, delete everything after "required" and insert ". Minnesota Statutes, section 275.61, shall apply to taxes levied to pay the bonds as if the bonds were required to be approved and were approved by the voters."

Page 1, delete line 13

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

Mr. Vickerman from the Committee on Metropolitan and Local Government, to which was referred

S.F. No. 317: A bill for an act relating to cities; permitting cities to close certain unlawful businesses; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 415.

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

Page 1, line 10, delete "city ordinance" and insert "city's zoning or licensing ordinances" and delete "it" and insert "the business"

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

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

H.F. No. 137 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

H.F. No. S.F. No.

CONSENT CALENDAR

H.F. No. S.F. No.

CALENDAR

H.F. No. S.F. No.
137 213

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.

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

H.F. No. 164 for comparison with companion Senate File, reports the following House File was found not identical with companion Senate File as follows:

GENERAL ORDERS

H.F. No. S.F. No.
164 65

CONSENT CALENDAR

H.F. No. S.F. No.

CALENDAR

H.F. No. S.F. No.

Pursuant to Rule 49, the Committee on Rules and Administration recommends that H.F. No. 164 be amended as follows:

Delete all the language after the enacting clause of H.F. No. 164 and insert the language after the enacting clause of S.F. No. 65, the first engrossment; further, delete the title of H.F. No. 164 and insert the title of S.F. No. 65, the first engrossment.

And when so amended H.F. No. 164 will be identical to S.F. No. 65, and further recommends

that H.F. No. 164 be given its second reading and substituted for S.F. No. 65, and that the Senate File be indefinitely postponed.

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

SECOND READING OF SENATE BILLS

S.F. No. 266 was read the second time.

SECOND READING OF HOUSE BILLS

H.F. Nos. 137 and 164 were read the second time.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS

Ms. Hanson moved that the name of Mr. Chmielewski be added as a co-author to S.F. No. 23. The motion prevailed.

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

Mr. Oliver moved that his name be stricken as a co-author to S.F. No. 433. The motion prevailed.

Mr. Novak moved that the name of Ms. Berglin be added as a co-author to S.F. No. 459. The motion prevailed.

Mr. Vickerman moved that the name of Mr. Terwilliger be added as a co-author to S.F. No. 566. The motion prevailed.

Mr. Murphy moved that the name of Mr. Finn be added as a co-author to S.F. No. 572. The motion prevailed.

Mr. Finn moved that the name of Mr. Marty be added as a co-author to S.F. No. 574. The motion prevailed.

Ms. Johnson, J.B. moved that the name of Mr. Finn be added as a co-author to S.F. No. 576. The motion prevailed.

Mr. Stumpf moved that the name of Mr. Finn be added as a co-author to S.F. No. 580. The motion prevailed.

Ms. Piper moved that S.F. No. 258, No. 13 on General Orders, be stricken and re-referred to the Committee on Governmental Operations and Veterans. The motion prevailed.

Ms. Lesewski moved that S.F. No. 311 be withdrawn from the Committee on Finance and re-referred to the Committee on Taxes and Tax Laws. The motion prevailed.

Ms. Berglin moved that S.F. No. 521 be withdrawn from the Committee on Judiciary and re-referred to the Committee on Family Services. The motion prevailed.

Ms. Flynn moved that S.F. No. 557 be withdrawn from the Committee on Jobs, Energy and Community Development and re-referred to the Committee on Governmental Operations and Veterans. The motion prevailed.

CALENDAR

S.F. No. 168: A bill for an act relating to elections; providing for simulated elections for minors; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 204B.

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 46 and nays 20, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Anderson	Finn	Krentz	Novak	Solon
Beckman	Flynn	Laidig	Oliver	Spear
Belanger	Hanson	Lessard	Piper	Stumpf
Berglin	Hottinger	Marty	Pogemiller	Terwilliger
Bertram	Janezich	Merriam	Price	Vickerman
Betzold	Johnson, D.J.	Metzen	Ranum	Wiener
Chandler	Johnson, J.B.	Moe, R.D.	Reichgott Junge	
Cohen	Kelly	Mondale	Riveness	
Day	Kleis	Morse	Sams	
Dille	Kramer	Murphy	Samuelson	

Those who voted in the negative were:

Berg	Johnston	Langseth	Neuville	Robertson
Chmielewski	Kiscaden	Larson	Olson	Runbeck
Frederickson	Knutson	Lesewski	Ourada	Scheevel
Johnson, D.E.	Kroening	Limmer	Pariseau	Stevens

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

CONSENT CALENDAR

S.F. No. 91: A bill for an act relating to gambling; providing eligibility for participation as a provider in the state compulsive gambling program; amending Minnesota Statutes 1994, section 245.98, 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	Flynn	Kramer	Morse	Robertson
Beckman	Frederickson	Krentz	Murphy	Sams
Belanger	Hanson	Kroening	Neuville	Samuelson
Berg	Hottinger	Laidig	Novak	Scheevel
Berglin	Janezich	Langseth	Oliver	Solon
Bertram	Johnson, D.E.	Larson	Ourada	Spear
Betzold	Johnson, D.J.	Lessard	Pappas	Stevens
Chandler	Johnson, J.B.	Limmer	Piper	Stumpf
Chmielewski	Johnston	Marty	Pogemiller	Terwilliger
Cohen	Kelly	Merriam	Price	Vickerman
Day	Kiscaden	Metzen	Ranum	Wiener
Dille	Kleis	Moe, R.D.	Reichgott Junge	
Finn	Knutson	Mondale	Riveness	

Ms. Lesewski voted in the negative.

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

INTRODUCTION AND FIRST READING OF SENATE BILLS

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

Mr. Betzold, Ms. Reichgott Junge, Messrs. Limmer and Kramer introduced--

S.F. No. 584: A bill for an act relating to education; allowing independent school district No. 279, Osseo, to levy a tax to provide instructional services for at-risk children.

Referred to the Committee on Education.

Mr. Betzold, Ms. Reichgott Junge, Messrs. Limmer and Kramer introduced--

S.F. No. 585: A bill for an act relating to education; allowing independent school district No. 279, Osseo, to levy a tax to provide instructional services to at-risk children; providing for a low-income concentration grant program; appropriating money; amending Laws 1994, chapter 647, article 8, section 41.

Referred to the Committee on Education.

Mr. Betzold, Ms. Reichgott Junge, Messrs. Limmer and Kramer introduced--

S.F. No. 586: A bill for an act relating to education; providing for a low-income concentration aid program; allowing independent school district No. 279, Osseo to levy a tax to provide instructional services for at-risk children; amending Minnesota Statutes 1994, section 124A.032; Laws 1994, chapter 647, article 8, section 41; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 124A.

Referred to the Committee on Education.

Messrs. Stevens; Johnson, D.J.; Terwilliger; Johnson, D.E. and Ms. Runbeck introduced--

S.F. No. 587: A resolution calling for a Conference of the States to be promoted and convened by the Council of State Governments for the purpose of restoring balance in the federal system.

Referred to the Committee on Rules and Administration.

Messrs. Chandler, Price, Merriam, Morse and Riveness introduced--

S.F. No. 588: A bill for an act relating to consumer protection; regulating deceptive trade practices related to environmental marketing claims; amending Minnesota Statutes 1994, section 8.31, subdivision 1; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 325E.

Referred to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection.

Mr. Kelly introduced--

S.F. No. 589: A bill for an act relating to the city of Saint Paul; exempting certain tax increment financing districts from certain aid offsets.

Referred to the Committee on Taxes and Tax Laws.

Ms. Flynn introduced--

S.F. No. 590: A bill for an act relating to elections; providing for distribution of a caucus guide and a voters' guide; appropriating money; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapters 202A; and 204B.

Referred to the Committee on Ethics and Campaign Reform.

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

S.F. No. 591: A bill for an act relating to probate; clarifying and correcting provisions of the uniform probate code; expanding authority for safe deposit box searches, division and merger of trusts, and granting of power-of-attorney to spouses in certain cases; amending Minnesota Statutes 1994, sections 55.10, subdivision 4; 501B.16; 507.02; 519.06; 519.07; 523.23, subdivision 1;

523.24, subdivision 1; 524.1-201; 524.2-508; 524.3-914; 524.3-916; 524.3-1001; 524.3-1008; 524.3-1201; 524.3-1202; and 524.3-1203; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapters 501B; and 524; repealing Minnesota Statutes 1994, sections 525.145; and 525.51.

Referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Messrs. Stumpf, Vickerman, Lessard, Dille and Scheevel introduced--

S.F. No. 592: A bill for an act relating to towns; providing for official confirmation of certain old town roads that cross state lands; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 84.

Referred to the Committee on Environment and Natural Resources.

Mses. Robertson, Olson, Messrs. Scheevel and Ourada introduced--

S.F. No. 593: A bill for an act relating to employment; eliminating the requirement that prevailing wages be paid; amending Minnesota Statutes 1994, sections 268.92, subdivision 6; and 471.992, subdivision 1; repealing Minnesota Statutes 1994, sections 116J.871, subdivisions 2 and 3; 177.41; 177.42; 177.43; 177.44; and 471.345, subdivision 7.

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

Messrs. Kleis, Stevens and Bertram introduced--

S.F. No. 594: A bill for an act relating to education; authorizing independent school district No. 742, St. Cloud, to transfer funds from the general fund to the capital expenditure fund.

Referred to the Committee on Education.

Messrs. Beckman, Vickerman, Hottinger, Day and Mrs. Pariseau introduced--

S.F. No. 595: A bill for an act relating to real property; eliminating authority of county recorders to collect certain fees; repealing Minnesota Statutes 1994, section 357.18, subdivision 3.

Referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Mrs. Pariseau, Ms. Olson, Mr. Belanger and Ms. Runbeck introduced--

S.F. No. 596: A bill for an act relating to health; exempting dental services from the regulated all-payer option and the MinnesotaCare provider tax; amending Minnesota Statutes 1994, section 295.50, subdivision 4; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 62P.

Referred to the Committee on Health Care.

Messrs. Hottinger, Larson, Janezich and Ms. Anderson introduced--

S.F. No. 597: A bill for an act relating to insurance; automobile; regulating medical expense benefits; authorizing reparation obligors to offer medical expense benefits through certified managed care plans; authorizing the commissioner of commerce to certify these plans; requiring appropriate premium reductions; amending Minnesota Statutes 1994, section 65B.49, subdivision 2; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 65B.

Referred to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection.

Ms. Runbeck, Messrs. Betzold, Cohen, Kleis and Ms. Kiscaden introduced--

S.F. No. 598: A bill for an act relating to civil actions; limiting the liability of grocery stores and delicatessens as food donors to the elderly or needy; amending Minnesota Statutes 1994, section 604A.10, subdivision 1.

Referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Messrs. Terwilliger, Oliver, Neuville, Knutson and Ms. Kiscaden introduced--

S.F. No. 599: A bill for an act relating to health; HIV exposure and testing of emergency medical service personnel; expanding the circumstances in which notification is provided to correctional guards; amending Minnesota Statutes 1994, section 144.761, subdivision 5.

Referred to the Committee on Health Care.

Messrs. Johnson, D.J.; Solon; Day; Beckman and Larson introduced--

S.F. No. 600: A bill for an act relating to health; expanding the University of Minnesota-Duluth medical education program; requesting the University of Minnesota-Duluth School of Medicine to apply for a federal area health education center program grant; establishing a physician substitute demonstration project for rural communities; expanding the size of the rural physician associate program; appropriating money; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 137.

Referred to the Committee on Education.

Ms. Robertson, Mr. Janezich, Ms. Pappas, Messrs. Knutson and Larson introduced--

S.F. No. 601: A bill for an act relating to education; modifying provisions relating to school bus safety; providing penalties; appropriating money; amending Minnesota Statutes 1994, sections 123.7991, subdivisions 2 and 3; 123.805, subdivisions 1 and 2; 124.225, subdivisions 7f and 8m; 124.226, by adding a subdivision; 169.01, subdivision 6; 169.21, subdivision 2; 169.444, subdivision 2; 169.447, subdivision 6; 169.4503, by adding a subdivision; 169.451, by adding a subdivision; 169.452; 169.454, subdivision 5, and by adding a subdivision; 171.01, subdivision 21; 171.18, subdivision 1; 171.321, subdivisions 4, 5, and by adding a subdivision; 171.3215, subdivisions 1, 2, and 3; and 631.40, subdivision 1a; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 169.

Referred to the Committee on Education.

Messrs. Pogemiller, Larson and Stumpf introduced--

S.F. No. 602: A bill for an act relating to education; providing for remedial instruction in public post-secondary institutions; charge back of testing and instruction costs; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 135A.

Referred to the Committee on Education.

Messrs. Terwilliger, Laidig, Metzen, Bertram and Kleis introduced--

S.F. No. 603: A bill for an act relating to veterans affairs; creating a Korean war veterans' memorial on the capitol mall; appropriating money.

Referred to the Committee on Governmental Operations and Veterans.

Ms. Reichgott Junge, Mr. Samuelson, Ms. Piper and Kiscaden introduced--

S.F. No. 604: A bill for an act relating to children's supervised visitation facilities; amending Minnesota Statutes 1994, sections 256F.09, subdivisions 1, 2, 3, and by adding a subdivision; and 517.08, subdivisions 1b and 1c; repealing Minnesota Statutes 1994, section 256F.09, subdivision 4.

Referred to the Committee on Family Services.

Messrs. Vickerman, Langseth, Ms. Kiscaden, Johnston and Mr. Ourada introduced--

S.F. No. 605: A bill for an act relating to recreational vehicles; requiring snowmobile operators and passengers to wear helmets; imposing penalties; amending Minnesota Statutes 1994, section 84.87, by adding a subdivision.

Referred to the Committee on Environment and Natural Resources.

Mses. Kiscaden, Reichgott Junge, Robertson, Wiener and Mr. Hottinger introduced--

S.F. No. 606: A bill for an act relating to family law; authorizing courts to require parties to participate in orientation programs in proceedings involving children; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 518.

Referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

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

S.F. No. 607: A bill for an act relating to public improvements; appropriating bond proceeds for improvements to the Hartley Nature Center in Duluth.

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

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

S.F. No. 608: A bill for an act relating to human services; modifying child care programs and county contribution; amending Minnesota Statutes 1994, section 256H.12, subdivision 3.

Referred to the Committee on Family Services.

Messrs. Stevens, Larson, Terwilliger, Stumpf and Oliver introduced--

S.F. No. 609: A bill for an act relating to retirement; legislators retirement; establishing defined contribution plan retirement coverage for certain legislators; amending Minnesota Statutes 1994, sections 3A.02, subdivision 1; 3A.03; 3A.04, subdivisions 1 and 2; 3A.12, subdivision 1; 352D.02, subdivision 3; 352D.03; 352D.04, subdivision 2; 352D.11, subdivision 1; and 352D.12; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapters 3A; and 352D.

Referred to the Committee on Governmental Operations and Veterans.

Mr. Belanger, Ms. Olson, Mrs. Pariseau, Ms. Runbeck and Mr. Oliver introduced--

S.F. No. 610: A bill for an act relating to the financing of government in this state; providing tax credits; making the used farm machinery sales tax exemption permanent; repealing the political contribution refund; providing flexibility and accountability for local governments; appropriating money; amending Minnesota Statutes 1994, sections 256E.06, subdivisions 9, 12, and 13; 273.138, subdivision 2; 273.1398, subdivisions 2 and 3a; 273.166, subdivision 2; 276.04, subdivision 2; 289A.50, subdivision 1; 290.01, subdivision 6; 290.06, by adding a subdivision; 297A.25, subdivision 59; 471.9981, subdivision 6; 477A.012, subdivision 1; 477A.013, subdivisions 1 and 9; 477A.0132, subdivisions 1 and 2; 477A.014, subdivisions 1, 2, and 5; 477A.015; 477A.017, subdivision 3; and 477A.03, subdivisions 1 and 2; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapters 275; and 477A; repealing Minnesota Statutes 1994, sections 10A.322, subdivision 4; 10A.43, subdivision 5; 290.06, subdivision 23; 477A.011, subdivisions 30, 31, 32, 33, 34, 35, 36, and 37; 477A.012; 477A.013; and 477A.014, subdivision 1a.

Referred to the Committee on Taxes and Tax Laws.

Mses. Piper, Berglin, Messrs. Betzold, Samuelson and Ms. Anderson introduced--

S.F. No. 611: A bill for an act relating to human services; appropriating money for the WIC program.

Referred to the Committee on Family Services.

Messrs. Chandler, Kroening, Ms. Robertson, Messrs. Murphy and Beckman introduced--

S.F. No. 612: A bill for an act relating to education; authorizing school districts to require students to wear uniforms; clarifying that school officials may use reasonable force in certain situations; amending Minnesota Statutes 1994, sections 120.73, by adding a subdivision; and 127.45, by adding a subdivision; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 123.

Referred to the Committee on Education.

Ms. Anderson, Messrs. Chandler, Solon, Metzen and Larson introduced--

S.F. No. 613: A bill for an act relating to insurance; health; requiring coverage for hospitalization and anesthesia coverage for dental procedures; requiring coverage for general anesthesia and treatment for covered medical conditions rendered by a dentist; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 62A.

Referred to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection.

Ms. Piper, Mr. Samuelson, Ms. Runbeck and Mr. Terwilliger introduced--

S.F. No. 614: A bill for an act relating to health; establishing a state board of physical therapy; providing licensing requirements for physical therapists; appropriating money; amending Minnesota Statutes 1994, sections 144A.46, subdivision 2; 148.66; 148.67; 148.70; 148.705; 148.71; 148.72, subdivisions 1, 2, and 4; 148.73; 148.74; 148.75; 148.76; 148.78; and 214.01, subdivision 2; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 148.

Referred to the Committee on Health Care.

Messrs. Riveness, Langseth, Ms. Wiener, Mr. Knutson and Ms. Flynn introduced--

S.F. No. 615: A bill for an act relating to transportation; establishing a high-speed bus service pilot project in the metropolitan area.

Referred to the Committee on Transportation and Public Transit.

Mr. Betzold, Ms. Berglin, Kiscaden, Robertson and Piper introduced--

S.F. No. 616: A bill for an act relating to human services; providing supplementary rates for certain group residential housing; amending Minnesota Statutes 1994, section 256I.05, by adding a subdivision.

Referred to the Committee on Health Care.

Messrs. Solon, Morse, Stumpf, Terwilliger and Metzen introduced--

S.F. No. 617: A bill for an act relating to insurance; property and casualty; regulating peace officer state aid; requiring domestic mutuals to file a certain premium report; amending Minnesota Statutes 1994, section 69.021, subdivision 2.

Referred to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection.

Messrs. Berg, Scheevel and Neuville introduced--

S.F. No. 618: A resolution memorializing the Congress to pass and the President to sign legislation amending the Indian Gaming Regulatory Act.

Referred to the Committee on Gaming Regulation.

Mr. Berg introduced--

S.F. No. 619: A bill for an act relating to lawful gambling; regulating lawful purpose expenditures; providing for contributions to certain compulsive gambling programs; amending Minnesota Statutes 1994, section 349.12, subdivision 25.

Referred to the Committee on Gaming Regulation.

Messrs. Oliver, Price, Larson, Metzen and Day introduced--

S.F. No. 620: A bill for an act relating to securities; regulating enforcement actions against licensees; modifying the definition of investment metal; amending Minnesota Statutes 1994, sections 80A.07, subdivision 5; and 80A.14, subdivision 10.

Referred to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection.

Messrs. Lessard, Berg, Frederickson and Laidig introduced--

S.F. No. 621: A bill for an act relating to game and fish; extending protected status to and authorizing seasons on certain wild animals; dating of short-term nonresident angling licenses; clarifying the age for trapping without a license; posting of waters to prohibit fishing or motorboat operation; adjusting opening and closing dates of various seasons for taking fish; removing time limits on sale of fish by commercial licensees; amending Minnesota Statutes 1994, sections 97A.015, subdivisions 45 and 53; 97A.411, subdivision 1; 97A.451, subdivision 3; 97B.605; 97B.631; 97B.655, subdivision 1; 97C.025; 97C.345, subdivisions 1, 2, and 3; 97C.371, subdivision 4; 97C.395, subdivision 1; and 97C.821; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 97B; repealing Minnesota Statutes 1994, section 97B.301, subdivision 5.

Referred to the Committee on Environment and Natural Resources.

Messrs. Lessard and Stevens introduced--

S.F. No. 622: A bill for an act relating to crimes; authorizing imposition of the death penalty for first degree murder under certain aggravating circumstances; providing a statutory framework, including procedures and criteria, consistent with due process for determining when the imposition of the death penalty is appropriate; providing for automatic appellate review of death penalty cases; providing for appointment of attorneys in death penalty cases; providing an administrative framework for implementing the death penalty; appropriating money; amending Minnesota Statutes 1994, sections 243.05, subdivision 1; 609.10; 609.12, subdivision 1; 609.135, subdivision 1; and 609.185; proposing coding for new law as Minnesota Statutes, chapter 244A.

Referred to the Committee on Crime Prevention.

Messrs. Sams, Betzold, Oliver, Vickerman and Terwilliger introduced--

S.F. No. 623: A bill for an act relating to health; MinnesotaCare; repealing the regulated all-payer option; modifying tax payment procedures; amending Minnesota Statutes 1994, sections 62J.017; 62J.04, subdivision 1a; 62J.09, subdivision 1a; 62J.152, subdivision 5; 62J.48; 62J.65; 62N.05, subdivision 2; 62Q.01, subdivisions 3 and 4; 62Q.30; 62Q.41; and 295.582; repealing Minnesota Statutes 1994, sections 62J.152, subdivision 6; 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; and 62P.33.

Referred to the Committee on Health Care.

Mr. Betzold, Ms. Reichgott Junge, Messrs. Kramer and Limmer introduced--

S.F. No. 624: A bill for an act relating to crime; appropriating money for the northwest community law enforcement project.

Referred to the Committee on Crime Prevention.

Messrs. Hottinger, Day, Mrs. Pariseau and Mr. Vickerman introduced--

S.F. No. 625: A bill for an act relating to estates; providing for investment of certain estate assets at the direction of the court; amending Minnesota Statutes 1994, section 524.3-914.

Referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Ms. Krentz and Mr. Cohen introduced--

S.F. No. 626: A bill for an act relating to paternity; eliminating a presumption for husbands in certain cases; allowing husbands to join in a recognition of parentage; amending Minnesota Statutes 1994, sections 257.55, subdivision 1; and 257.75, subdivisions 1, 2, 4, and by adding a subdivision.

Referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Messrs. Moe, R.D.; Stumpf; Larson and Ms. Wiener introduced--

S.F. No. 627: A bill for an act relating to education; requiring public post-secondary institutions to adopt the semester system; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 135A.

Referred to the Committee on Education.

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

S.F. No. 628: A bill for an act relating to ethics in government; extending the enforcement authority of the ethical practices board to cover gifts to local officials; making advisory opinions public data; authorizing civil penalties; clarifying certain definitions; clarifying and authorizing exceptions to the ban on gifts; appropriating money; amending Minnesota Statutes 1994, sections 10A.01, subdivision 28; 10A.02, subdivision 12; 10A.071, subdivisions 1 and 3; 10A.34; and 471.895, subdivisions 1 and 3.

Referred to the Committee on Ethics and Campaign Reform.

Messrs. Betzold and Kramer introduced--

S.F. No. 629: A bill for an act relating to housing; establishing a rental tax equity pilot project in the city of Brooklyn Park; appropriating money.

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

Mr. Langseth introduced--

S.F. No. 630: A bill for an act relating to alcoholic beverages; removing statutory minimum restaurant seating capacities and permitting the local license issuing authority to establish minimum restaurant seating capacities; amending Minnesota Statutes 1994, section 340A.101, subdivision 25.

Referred to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection.

Messrs. Kroening, Janezich, Belanger, Day and Solon introduced--

S.F. No. 631: A bill for an act relating to occupations and professions; board of accountancy; providing for licensure of firms; modifying licensing and disciplinary requirements; regulating practice entities; appropriating money; amending Minnesota Statutes 1994, sections 326.165; 326.17; 326.18; 326.19; 326.20, subdivisions 1, 3, 4, and by adding a subdivision; 326.211, subdivisions 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 7, 8, 9, and 10; 326.212, subdivisions 1, 3, 5, and by adding a

subdivision; 326.22, subdivisions 1, 2, and 3; 326.223; 326.224; 326.228; and 326.229, subdivisions 3, 4, 6, 7, and by adding a subdivision; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 326; repealing Minnesota Statutes 1994, section 326.191; 326.20, subdivision 2; 326.21; 326.212, subdivision 4; and 326.225.

Referred to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection.

Mr. Betzold introduced--

S.F. No. 632: A bill for an act relating to crime; making it a felony to flee a peace officer by means of a motor vehicle; amending Minnesota Statutes 1994, section 609.487, subdivision 3.

Referred to the Committee on Crime Prevention.

Mr. Berg introduced--

S.F. No. 633: A bill for an act relating to education; authorizing independent school district No. 129, Montevideo, to levy for the unreimbursed costs of an adult farm management program.

Referred to the Committee on Education.

Messrs. Langseth, Chmielewski, Bertram, Ms. Lesewski and Mr. Vickerman introduced--

S.F. No. 634: 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. Frederickson, Knutson, Ms. Robertson, Messrs. Scheevel and Ourada introduced--

S.F. No. 635: 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.

Ms. Hanson, Messrs. Berg, Stevens and Sams introduced--

S.F. No. 636: 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.

Ms. Lesewski, Mr. Vickerman, Mrs. Pariseau, Messrs. Bertram and Sams introduced--

S.F. No. 637: A bill for an act relating to taxation; providing for the taxation of wind energy conversion systems; amending Minnesota Statutes 1994, sections 272.02, subdivision 1; and 273.37, by adding a subdivision.

Referred to the Committee on Taxes and Tax Laws.

Ms. Runbeck, Messrs. Dille; Moe, R.D.; Lessard and Riveness introduced--

S.F. No. 638: A bill for an act relating to the environment; requiring the pollution control

agency to meet with a party before issuing an administrative penalty order; amending Minnesota Statutes 1994, section 116.072, subdivision 3.

Referred to the Committee on Environment and Natural Resources.

Messrs. Bertram, Metzen and Solon introduced--

S.F. No. 639: A bill for an act relating to taxation; removing the additional excise tax upon sales of intoxicating and malt liquor; repealing Minnesota Statutes 1994, section 297A.02, subdivision 3.

Referred to the Committee on Taxes and Tax Laws.

Mr. Bertram introduced--

S.F. No. 640: A bill for an act relating to alcoholic beverages; eliminating the requirement that retail licensees furnish proof of financial responsibility; amending Minnesota Statutes 1994, sections 62I.02, subdivision 4; 340A.404, subdivision 10; and 340A.405, subdivision 4; repealing Minnesota Statutes 1994, sections 340A.409; and 340A.603.

Referred to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection.

Mr. Dille introduced--

S.F. No. 641: A bill for an act relating to human services; providing coverage for family therapy counseling; amending Minnesota Statutes 1994, sections 256B.0625, by adding a subdivision; and 256D.03, subdivision 4.

Referred to the Committee on Health Care.

Messrs. Stevens, Cohen, Ms. Kiscaden and Mr. Betzold introduced--

S.F. No. 642: A bill for an act relating to human services; child support obligation and enforcement; amending Minnesota Statutes 1994, sections 256.978, subdivision 1; 518.171, subdivision 2a; 518.575; 518.611, subdivisions 1, 2, and 8a; 518.613, subdivisions 1 and 2; 518.614, subdivision 1; 518C.310; 548.15; and 609.375, subdivision 1; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 518; repealing Minnesota Statutes 1994, section 518.561.

Referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Langseth introduced--

S.F. No. 643: A bill for an act relating to retirement; directing payment of disability benefits to a certain disabled member of the teachers retirement association.

Referred to the Committee on Governmental Operations and Veterans.

Mr. Merriam introduced--

S.F. No. 644: A bill for an act relating to state lands; modifying the provisions of a land sale to the city of Anoka; amending Laws 1991, chapter 185, section 2.

Referred to the Committee on Environment and Natural Resources.

MEMBERS EXCUSED

Ms. Runbeck was excused from the Session of today at 12:15 p.m. Mr. Janezich was excused from the Session of today from 12:00 noon to 12:15 p.m.

ADJOURNMENT

Mr. Moe, R.D. moved that the Senate do now adjourn until 9:00 a.m., Thursday, February 23, 1995. The motion prevailed.

Patrick E. Flahaven, Secretary of the Senate