

NINETEENTH DAY

St. Paul, Minnesota, Thursday, February 23, 1995

The Senate met at 9:00 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. Kay Welsch.

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

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

The President declared a quorum present.

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

EXECUTIVE AND OFFICIAL COMMUNICATIONS

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

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 ADMINISTRATION

Elaine Hansen, 906 Ridgewood Rd., Duluth, St. Louis County, effective January 17, 1995, for a term expiring on the first Monday in January, 1999.

(Referred to the Committee on Governmental Operations and Veterans.)

Warmest regards,
Arne H. Carlson, Governor

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

Mr. Moe, R.D. moved that the Committee Reports at the Desk be now adopted, with the exception of the report on S.F. No. 417. The motion prevailed.

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

S.F. No. 197: A bill for an act relating to corrections; prohibiting correctional inmates from applying for name changes more than once a year; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 259.

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

Page 1, line 11, delete "the commissioner of corrections may"

Page 1, delete lines 12 to 14 and insert "an inmate may request a name change under section 259.10 only once."

Amend the title as follows:

Page 1, line 2, delete "prohibiting" and insert "limiting the number of name changes for"

Page 1, line 3, delete everything after "inmates"

Page 1, line 4, delete everything before the semicolon

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. 320: A bill for an act relating to criminal procedure; allowing probable cause arrests within school zones for certain offenses; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 629.

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

Delete everything after the enacting clause and insert:

"Section 1. [629.343] [ALLOWING PROBABLE CAUSE ARRESTS FOR OFFENSES ON SCHOOL PROPERTY.]

Notwithstanding section 629.34, a peace officer, as defined in section 626.84, subdivision 1, paragraph (c), who is on or off duty within the jurisdiction of the appointing authority or on duty outside the jurisdiction of the appointing authority pursuant to section 629.40, may arrest a person without a warrant if the peace officer has probable cause to believe that the person within the preceding four hours has committed a fifth-degree assault, as defined in section 609.224, on school property, as defined in section 609.66, subdivision 1d. The arrest may be made even though the crimes were not committed in the presence of the peace officer.

Sec. 2. [EFFECTIVE DATE.]

Section 1 is effective August 1, 1995, and applies to crimes committed on or after that date."

Delete the title and insert:

"A bill for an act relating to criminal procedure; allowing warrantless probable cause arrests for certain offenses committed on school property; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 629."

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

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

S.F. No. 373: A bill for an act relating to health; requiring efforts to seek certain waivers; defining subacute care; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 144.

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

Page 2, line 6, delete "given" and insert "provided as a"

Page 2, after line 15, insert:

"Sec. 2. Minnesota Statutes 1994, section 256B.0625, is amended by adding a subdivision to read:

Subd. 38. [SUBACUTE CARE.] Medical assistance covers subacute care only in the least costly setting available."

Amend the title as follows:

Page 1, line 3, before "proposing" insert "amending Minnesota Statutes 1994, section 256B.0625, by adding a subdivision;"

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

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

S.F. No. 566: A bill for an act relating to education; allowing the residential program operated by independent school district No. 518 to remain open until June 1, 1996; amending Laws 1994, chapter 643, section 14, subdivision 8.

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

Page 3, line 9, delete "applicant or license"

Page 3, line 10, delete "holder" and insert "controlling individual"

Page 4, after line 36, insert:

"Sec. 3. [EFFECTIVE DATE.]

This act is effective the day following final enactment."

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

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

S.F. No. 417: A bill for an act relating to human services; development of a long-term care payment and services delivery system; appropriating money.

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

Page 1, line 14, delete "are selected" and insert "the commissioner selects"

Page 1, line 15, delete "proposal" and insert "proposals"

Page 1, line 16, delete "requests" and insert "a request"

Page 1, line 18, after the semicolon, insert "(2) make recommendations to the commissioner on the selection of demonstration projects; (3) advise the commissioner on needed changes to state regulations or necessary waivers of state and federal regulations;" and delete "(2)" and insert "(4)"

Page 1, line 19, delete "(3)" and insert "(5)"

Page 2, line 10, delete "proposal" and insert "proposals"

Page 2, line 11, delete "requests" and insert "a request"

Page 2, line 12, delete "proposal" and insert "proposals"

Page 2, line 13, after "commissioner" insert "and the advisory committee"

Page 2, line 21, after "value" insert "of"

Page 3, line 1, before "advisory" insert "commissioner and the"

Page 3, line 10, delete the second comma

Page 3, delete lines 12 to 15

Amend the title as follows:

Page 1, line 3, delete the semicolon

Page 1, line 4, delete "appropriating money"

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

Mr. Lessard from the Committee on Environment and Natural Resources, to which was referred

S.F. No. 239: A bill for an act relating to state lands; authorizing private sale of certain tax-forfeited land that borders public water in Kandiyohi county.

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

Page 1, line 9, delete everything after the second comma

Page 1, line 10, delete everything before "Kandiyohi" and delete "by"

Page 1, line 11, delete "private sale"

Page 1, line 14, delete everything after "(b)"

Page 1, delete line 15

Page 1, line 16, delete everything before "The"

Amend the title as follows:

Page 1, line 2, delete "private" and insert "the"

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

Mr. Lessard from the Committee on Environment and Natural Resources, to which was referred

S.F. No. 310: 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.

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

Page 1, line 16, after "county" strike "and" and insert a semicolon

Page 1, line 18, after "county" insert a semicolon

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

Mr. Novak from the Committee on Jobs, Energy and Community Development, to which was referred

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.

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

Mr. Novak from the Committee on Jobs, Energy and Community Development, to which was referred

S.F. No. 249: A bill for an act relating to housing; making the landlord the bill payer and customer of record on utility accounts in single-metered multiunit residential buildings; amending Minnesota Statutes 1994, section 504.185, subdivision 1, and by adding a subdivision.

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

Delete everything after the enacting clause and insert:

"Section 1. [504.186] [SINGLE-METER UTILITY SERVICE PAYMENTS.]

Subdivision 1. [DEFINITIONS.] For the purposes of this section, the following terms have the meanings given to them.

(a) "Owner" has the meaning given to it in section 566.18, subdivision 3.

(b) "Tenant" has the meaning given to it in section 566.18, subdivision 2.

(c) "Building" has the meaning given to it in section 566.18, subdivision 7.

(d) "Single-metered residential building" means a multiunit rental building with one or more separate residential living units where the utility service measured through a single meter provides service to an individual unit and to all or parts of common areas or other units.

Subd. 2. [SINGLE-METER UTILITY SERVICE PAYMENTS.] In every lease or license of residential premises, whether in writing or oral, the owner of a single-metered residential building shall be the bill payer responsible and the customer of record contracting with the utility for utility services. The owner must advise the utility provider that the utility services apply to a single-metered residential building. A failure by the owner to comply with this subdivision is a violation of the covenant described in section 504.18, subdivision 1, paragraph (a). In addition, a tenant may recover from an owner treble damages or \$500, whichever is greater, and reasonable attorney fees, for a violation of this subdivision. This subdivision may not be waived by contract or otherwise. This subdivision does not require an owner to contract and pay for utility service provided to each residential unit through a separate meter which accurately measures that unit's use only.

Sec. 2. [EFFECTIVE DATE.]

Section 1 applies to leases or licenses entered into or renewed on or after August 1, 1995."

Delete the title and insert:

"A bill for an act relating to housing; making the landlord the bill payer and customer of record on utility accounts in single-metered multiunit residential buildings; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 504."

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. 95 for comparison with companion Senate File, reports the following House File was found not identical with companion Senate File as follows:

GENERAL ORDERS**CONSENT CALENDAR****CALENDAR**

H.F. No.	S.F. No.	H.F. No.	S.F. No.	H.F. No.	S.F. No.
95	132				

Pursuant to Rule 49, the Committee on Rules and Administration recommends that H.F. No. 95 be amended as follows:

Delete all the language after the enacting clause of H.F. No. 95 and insert the language after the enacting clause of S.F. No. 132, the first engrossment; further, delete the title of H.F. No. 95 and insert the title of S.F. No. 132, the first engrossment.

And when so amended H.F. No. 95 will be identical to S.F. No. 132, and further recommends that H.F. No. 95 be given its second reading and substituted for S.F. No. 132, 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.

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

H.F. No. 231 for comparison with companion Senate File, reports the following House File was found not identical with companion Senate File as follows:

GENERAL ORDERS**CONSENT CALENDAR****CALENDAR**

H.F. No.	S.F. No.	H.F. No.	S.F. No.	H.F. No.	S.F. No.
231	95				

Pursuant to Rule 49, the Committee on Rules and Administration recommends that H.F. No. 231 be amended as follows:

Delete all the language after the enacting clause of H.F. No. 231 and insert the language after the enacting clause of S.F. No. 95, the first engrossment; further, delete the title of H.F. No. 231 and insert the title of S.F. No. 95, the first engrossment.

And when so amended H.F. No. 231 will be identical to S.F. No. 95, and further recommends that H.F. No. 231 be given its second reading and substituted for S.F. No. 95, and that the Senate File be indefinitely postponed.

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

SECOND READING OF SENATE BILLS

S.F. Nos. 197, 320, 373, 566, 239 and 310 were read the second time.

SECOND READING OF HOUSE BILLS

H.F. Nos. 435, 95 and 231 were read the second time.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS

Mr. Novak moved that the names of Messrs. Mondale and Janezich be added as co-authors to S.F. No. 276. The motion prevailed.

Mr. Vickerman moved that his name be stricken as a co-author to S.F. No. 409. The motion prevailed.

Mr. Cohen moved that the name of Ms. Krentz be added as a co-author to S.F. No. 454. The motion prevailed.

Mr. Johnson, D.E. moved that his name be stricken as a co-author to S.F. No. 537. The motion prevailed.

Mr. Johnson, D.E. moved that his name be stricken as a co-author to S.F. No. 538. The motion prevailed.

Ms. Robertson moved that the name of Mr. Stevens be added as a co-author to S.F. No. 593. The motion prevailed.

Mr. Ourada moved that his name be stricken as a co-author to S.F. No. 605. The motion prevailed.

Ms. Hanson moved that the name of Mr. Lessard be added as a co-author to S.F. No. 636. The motion prevailed.

Mr. Vickerman moved that S.F. No. 566, on General Orders, be stricken and re-referred to the Committee on Finance. The motion prevailed.

CALENDAR

H.F. No. 137: A bill for an act relating to utilities; abolishing sunset provision related to competitive rates for electric utilities; making technical changes; amending Laws 1990, chapter 370, section 7; repealing Minnesota Statutes 1994, section 216B.162, subdivision 9.

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 44 and nays 19, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Beckman	Janezich	Laidig	Novak	Samuelson
Belanger	Johnson, D.E.	Langseth	Oliver	Scheevel
Berg	Johnson, D.J.	Larson	Olson	Solon
Bertram	Johnston	Lesewski	Ourada	Stevens
Chandler	Kelly	Lessard	Pariseau	Stumpf
Chmielewski	Kiscaden	Limmer	Piper	Terwilliger
Dille	Kleis	Metzen	Robertson	Vickerman
Finn	Knutson	Murphy	Runbeck	Wiener
Frederickson	Kramer	Neuville	Sams	

Those who voted in the negative were:

Anderson	Flynn	Krentz	Morse	Reichgott Junge
Berglin	Hanson	Marty	Pappas	Riveness
Betzold	Hottinger	Merriam	Pogemiller	Spear
Cohen	Johnson, J.B.	Mondale	Ranum	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

Without objection, the Senate reverted to the Order of Business of Motions and Resolutions.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS

Mr. Chandler moved that S.F. No. 204 be withdrawn from the Committee on Finance and re-referred to the Committee on Governmental Operations and Veterans. The motion prevailed.

GENERAL ORDERS

The Senate resolved itself into a Committee of the Whole, with Mr. Betzold in the chair.

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

S.F. No. 214 and H.F. No. 164, which the committee recommends to pass.

S.F. No. 3, which the committee recommends to pass with the following amendment offered by Mr. Laidig:

Page 2, lines 7, 19, and 24, delete "the same" and strike "major" and insert "the same"

Page 3, line 17, delete "the same" and strike "major" and insert "the same"

Page 3, line 25, delete "major"

The motion prevailed. So the amendment was adopted.

On motion of Mr. Betzold, 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. Neuville introduced--

S.F. No. 645: A bill for an act relating to retirement; authorizing purchase of service credit for previously exempt service by certain members of the teachers retirement association.

Referred to the Committee on Governmental Operations and Veterans.

Messrs. Langseth, Chmielewski and Vickerman introduced--

S.F. No. 646: A bill for an act relating to capital improvements; authorizing bonds and appropriating money for purchase of Water's Edge building.

Referred to the Committee on Transportation and Public Transit.

Ms. Wiener, Messrs. Moe, R.D.; Finn; Johnson, D.J. and Hottinger introduced--

S.F. No. 647: A bill for an act relating to public administration; providing a deadline for certain actions by state and local government agencies; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 15.

Referred to the Committee on Governmental Operations and Veterans.

Messrs. Samuelson, Sams, Betzold, Solon and Oliver introduced--

S.F. No. 648: A bill for an act relating to human services; state health care programs; dental care services; appropriating money; amending Minnesota Statutes 1994, sections 256B.0644; and 256B.76.

Referred to the Committee on Health Care.

Messrs. Chandler, Solon, Limmer and Janezich introduced--

S.F. No. 649: A bill for an act relating to insurance; regulating trade practices; prohibiting certain insurance agent quotas; amending Minnesota Statutes 1994, section 72A.20, by adding a subdivision.

Referred to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection.

Ms. Reichgott Junge and Mr. Terwilliger introduced--

S.F. No. 650: A bill for an act relating to crime prevention; requiring certain information to be gathered from crime victims and presented at bail hearings; requiring notification to certain victims of bail hearings; requiring notification to local law enforcement agencies of the pretrial release of certain defendants; directing that a plan be developed and a pilot project funded for a child abuse telephone helpline; requiring certain persons who interview children to have specific training; appropriating money; amending Minnesota Statutes 1994, section 629.715, subdivision 1; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapters 257; and 629.

Referred to the Committee on Crime Prevention.

Messrs. Knutson, Belanger, Mrs. Pariseau, Ms. Wiener and Mr. Metzen introduced--

S.F. No. 651: A bill for an act relating to crime; expanding the scope of the dangerous and career offender sentencing law and the crimes of second degree murder, criminal sexual conduct in the fifth degree, burglary in the first degree, and harassment and stalking; limiting the authority of courts to stay mandatory minimum sentences for repeat sex offenders; expanding the restitution laws; amending Minnesota Statutes 1994, sections 609.152, subdivision 1; 609.19; 609.3451, subdivision 1; 609.346, subdivision 2; 609.582, subdivision 1; 609.749, subdivision 5; 611A.01; 611A.04, subdivisions 1 and 1a; and 624.712, subdivision 5.

Referred to the Committee on Crime Prevention.

Mses. Reichgott Junge and Piper introduced--

S.F. No. 652: A bill for an act relating to intermediate care facilities for persons with mental retardation; authorizing a pilot project to demonstrate the closure of a 64-bed facility; appropriating money.

Referred to the Committee on Health Care.

Ms. Kiscaden, Messrs. Solon, Kramer and Merriam introduced--

S.F. No. 653: A bill for an act relating to telecommunications; requiring for persons with communication impairments to be eligible to receive communication devices through the TACIP board, that they must be able to use the equipment; amending Minnesota Statutes 1994, section 237.53, subdivision 2.

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

Mr. Sams, Ms. Hanson, Messrs. Bertram, Beckman and Dille introduced--

S.F. No. 654: A bill for an act relating to agriculture; expanding eligibility for the value-added agricultural product loan program; appropriating money; amending Minnesota Statutes 1994, section 41B.046, subdivision 1, and by adding a subdivision.

Referred to the Committee on Agriculture and Rural Development.

Messrs. Hottinger and Beckman introduced--

S.F. No. 655: A bill for an act relating to education; providing funding for the Mankato area Model School for Truants; appropriating money.

Referred to the Committee on Education.

Messrs. Merriam, Lessard, Morse, Laidig and Berg introduced--

S.F. No. 656: A bill for an act relating to game and fish; specifying the areas in which deer may be taken under a license to take antlered deer in more than one zone; amending Minnesota Statutes 1994, section 97B.301, by adding a subdivision.

Referred to the Committee on Environment and Natural Resources.

Ms. Reichgott Junge, Messrs. Hottinger and Metzen introduced--

S.F. No. 657: A bill for an act relating to public administration; clarifying the authority and procedures of the board of government innovation and cooperation; establishing application procedures for cooperation planning grants; appropriating money; amending Minnesota Statutes 1994, sections 465.798; 465.799; 465.801; 465.81, subdivisions 1 and 3; 465.82, subdivision 2; 465.84; 465.85; and 465.87.

Referred to the Committee on Metropolitan and Local Government.

Ms. Flynn, Messrs. Merriam, Belanger, Ms. Pappas and Robertson introduced--

S.F. No. 658: A bill for an act relating to transportation; changing the county state-aid highway apportionment formula; modifying the composition of the county state-aid highway screening board; amending Minnesota Statutes 1994, section 162.07, subdivisions 1, 5, and 6; repealing Minnesota Statutes 1994, section 162.07, subdivisions 3 and 4.

Referred to the Committee on Transportation and Public Transit.

Ms. Berglin, Messrs. Samuelson and Sams introduced--

S.F. No. 659: A bill for an act relating to health; developing a birth defects registry system; requiring a report; appropriating money; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 144.

Referred to the Committee on Health Care.

Mses. Anderson, Reichgott Junge and Mr. Betzold introduced--

S.F. No. 660: A bill for an act relating to human services; requiring a report; providing a grant for the provision of trained service dogs; appropriating money.

Referred to the Committee on Health Care.

Ms. Anderson, Messrs. Morse and Novak introduced--

S.F. No. 661: A bill for an act relating to the environment; creating the angler's right-to-know act; requiring certain persons who discharge toxic pollutants to post warning signs; providing penalties; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 115.

Referred to the Committee on Environment and Natural Resources.

Mr. Betzold introduced--

S.F. No. 662: A bill for an act relating to health care; adding an exception to the nursing home moratorium; expanding a special provision for medical assistance reimbursement of moratorium exceptions; appropriating money; amending Minnesota Statutes 1994, sections 144A.071, subdivision 4a; and 256B.431, subdivision 17.

Referred to the Committee on Health Care.

Mr. Betzold introduced--

S.F. No. 663: A bill for an act relating to the military; exempting the national guard and the department of military affairs from certain prohibitions concerning weapons; amending Minnesota Statutes 1994, section 609.66, subdivision 2.

Referred to the Committee on Governmental Operations and Veterans.

Mr. Metzen introduced--

S.F. No. 664: A bill for an act relating to retirement; reinstating the rule of 85; making participation for members of the public employees retirement association at the option of employing units of government; eliminating reporting requirements; amending Minnesota Statutes 1994, section 356.70, subdivision 1; repealing Minnesota Statutes 1994, section 356.70, subdivision 2.

Referred to the Committee on Governmental Operations and Veterans.

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

S.F. No. 665: A bill for an act relating to capital improvements; authorizing the issuance of bonds to remodel a medical facility; appropriating money.

Referred to the Committee on Education.

Messrs. Solon, Chmielewski and Day introduced--

S.F. No. 666: A bill for an act relating to workers' compensation; modifying provisions relating to self-insurance; amending Minnesota Statutes 1994, section 79A.01, subdivision 4; 79A.02, subdivisions 1 and 2; 79A.04, subdivisions 2 and 9; 79A.09, subdivision 4; and 79A.15.

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

Ms. Berglin, Mr. Hottinger, Ms. Piper and Mr. Finn introduced--

S.F. No. 667: A bill for an act relating to human services; defining a mental health professional for the purpose of medical assistance coverage; amending Minnesota Statutes 1994, sections 148B.32, subdivision 1; and 256B.0625, by adding a subdivision.

Referred to the Committee on Health Care.

Mr. Chmielewski introduced--

S.F. No. 668: A bill for an act relating to education; ITV grant for independent school district No. 95, Cromwell; amending Laws 1994, chapter 647, article 6, section 41, subdivision 8.

Referred to the Committee on Education.

Messrs. Neuville, Laidig, Chmielewski, Lessard and Mrs. Pariseau introduced--

S.F. No. 669: A bill for an act relating to crime; authorizing law enforcement agencies to sell forfeited firearms; amending Minnesota Statutes 1994, section 609.5315, subdivisions 1 and 2.

Referred to the Committee on Crime Prevention.

Mr. Chmielewski introduced--

S.F. No. 670: A bill for an act relating to taxation; providing an increased local government aid distribution to certain cities; amending Minnesota Statutes 1994, section 477A.013, subdivision 9.

Referred to the Committee on Taxes and Tax Laws.

Mrs. Pariseau and Mr. Murphy introduced--

S.F. No. 671: A bill for an act relating to capital improvements; appropriating money for the Cannon Valley Trail; authorizing the sale of state bonds.

Referred to the Committee on Environment and Natural Resources.

Messrs. Sams, Samuelson, Larson and Ourada introduced--

S.F. No. 672: A bill for an act relating to housing; regulating the use of federal tax exempt revenue bonds; amending Minnesota Statutes 1994, sections 474A.03, subdivisions 1 and 2a; and 474A.04, subdivision 6.

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

Messrs. Vickerman, Chmielewski, Ourada, Murphy and Ms. Lesewski introduced--

S.F. No. 673: A bill for an act relating to motor vehicles; providing for determination of base value of motor vehicle for purposes of registration tax; amending Minnesota Statutes 1994, section 168.013, subdivision 1a.

Referred to the Committee on Transportation and Public Transit.

Messrs. Terwilliger and Stevens introduced--

S.F. No. 674: A bill for an act proposing an amendment to the Minnesota Constitution; changing article IV, section 4, and article V, section 1, providing limits for legislative and executive service.

Referred to the Committee on Ethics and Campaign Reform.

Ms. Berglin, Messrs. Sams, Solon, Oliver and Terwilliger introduced--

S.F. No. 675: A bill for an act relating to health; establishing a health insurance counseling and assistance program; appropriating money; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 256.

Referred to the Committee on Health Care.

Messrs. Samuelson and Bertram introduced--

S.F. No. 676: A bill for an act relating to Morrison county; authorizing the issuance of bonds for fairgrounds improvements; requiring a referendum on the bond issue.

Referred to the Committee on Metropolitan and Local Government.

Mr. Marty introduced--

S.F. No. 677: A bill for an act relating to motor vehicles; authorizing suspension of a vehicle's registration in certain circumstances; requiring a form to be provided in a vehicle's certificate of title and completed under certain circumstances; amending Minnesota Statutes 1994, sections 168.17; 168A.05, subdivision 5; and 168A.10, subdivisions 1, 2, and 5.

Referred to the Committee on Transportation and Public Transit.

Messrs. Knutson, Samuelson, Stevens, Sams and Ms. Robertson introduced--

S.F. No. 678: A bill for an act relating to human services; extending welfare fraud penalties to the Minnesota family investment plan; providing a method of lien enforcement in the AFDC program; authorizing voluntary vendor payments in the AFDC program; expanding the fraud prevention investigation project on a regional basis into counties with smaller AFDC caseloads; establishing the program integrity reinvestment project based on statewide guidelines and performance standards; providing for disqualification in diverted cases; authorizing voluntary vendor payments in the GA and MSA programs; expanding the timeframe for establishing food stamp claims; modifying recovery incentives to allow state sharing in recoveries received through the federal tax revenue offset program; authorizing the use of affidavits of collection without the appointment of a personal representative; revising the protections from income attachments; creating an automated statewide fraud data system; amending Minnesota Statutes 1994, sections 256.034, subdivision 1; 256.73, subdivision 2; 256.98, subdivisions 1 and 8; 256.983, subdivision 4, and by adding a subdivision; 393.07, subdivision 10; 524.6-207; and 550.37, subdivision 14; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 256.

Referred to the Committee on Family Services.

Mses. Reichgott Junge, Olson, Pappas, Krentz and Mr. Stumpf introduced--

S.F. No. 679: A bill for an act relating to education; modifying provisions relating to charter schools; amending Minnesota Statutes 1994, sections 120.064; and 124.248.

Referred to the Committee on Education.

Mrs. Pariseau, Ms. Johnston and Mr. Dille introduced--

S.F. No. 680: A bill for an act relating to state lands; authorizing the commissioner of natural resources to sell certain land in Scott county.

Referred to the Committee on Environment and Natural Resources.

Messrs. Price and Laidig introduced--

S.F. No. 681: A bill for an act relating to watershed districts; authorizing an increased levy by the Valley Branch watershed district for its administrative fund.

Referred to the Committee on Environment and Natural Resources.

Messrs. Murphy, Riveness, Metzen, Ms. Reichgott Junge and Mr. Solon introduced--

S.F. No. 682: A bill for an act relating to state departments; abolishing the office of strategic and long-range planning and transferring certain powers, responsibilities, and duties to other agencies; amending Minnesota Statutes 1994, sections 4.045; 16B.42, subdivision 1; 16B.87, subdivision 1; 43A.08, subdivision 1; 103F.211, subdivision 2; 116C.03, subdivisions 2, 4, and 5; 144A.31, subdivisions 1 and 6; 245.697, subdivision 2a; and 477A.014, subdivision 4; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapters 16B; and 241; repealing Minnesota Statutes 1994, sections 4A.01; 4A.02; 4A.03; 4A.04; 4A.05; and 4A.06.

Referred to the Committee on Governmental Operations and Veterans.

Mr. Murphy introduced--

S.F. No. 683: A bill for an act relating to local government; authorizing home rule charter and statutory cities to make grants to nonprofit community food shelves; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 465.

Referred to the Committee on Metropolitan and Local Government.

Mr. Merriam, Ms. Ranum and Mr. Knutson introduced--

S.F. No. 684: A bill for an act relating to data practices; modifying provisions governing the issuance of advisory opinions by the commissioner of administration; providing for access to data and clarifying data classifications; eliminating a sunset; amending Minnesota Statutes 1994, section 13.072, subdivision 1, and by adding a subdivision; Laws 1993, chapter 192, section 110.

Referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Messrs. Merriam, Samuelson, Solon, Larson and Oliver introduced--

S.F. No. 685: A bill for an act relating to health; modifying organizational provisions for certain health plan carriers; amending Minnesota Statutes 1994, sections 62D.02, subdivision 4; 62D.03, subdivision 1; 62D.04, subdivision 1; and 62N.06, subdivision 1.

Referred to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection.

Messrs. Beckman and Hottinger introduced--

S.F. No. 686: A bill for an act relating to education; directing the commissioner of education to conduct a needs assessment for a statewide program that serves mathematically talented junior and senior high school students; appropriating money.

Referred to the Committee on Education.

Ms. Krentz, Mr. Price, Ms. Anderson, Messrs. Frederickson and Knutson introduced--

S.F. No. 687: A bill for an act relating to traffic regulations; requiring minimum clearance when passing bicycle or individual on roadway or bikeway; prohibiting certain conduct toward bicycle riders; requiring bicycle traffic laws to be included in driver's manual and driver's license tests; imposing a penalty; amending Minnesota Statutes 1994, sections 169.18, subdivision 3; 169.222, subdivision 4; and 171.13, subdivision 1, and by adding a subdivision; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 169.

Referred to the Committee on Transportation and Public Transit.

Mses. Krentz, Ranum, Robertson, Pappas and Mr. Janezich introduced--

S.F. No. 688: A bill for an act relating to education; providing for a report on child assessment and case management procedures used by the education and human services systems.

Referred to the Committee on Education.

Mr. Vickerman, Ms. Lesewski, Messrs. Murphy and Dille introduced--

S.F. No. 689: A bill for an act relating to water; establishing a grant program to support water exploration activity; appropriating money.

Referred to the Committee on Environment and Natural Resources.

Mses. Krentz, Ranum, Mr. Betzold and Ms. Johnson, J.B. introduced--

S.F. No. 690: A bill for an act relating to health education; appropriating money for equipment used in adolescent pregnancy prevention efforts.

Referred to the Committee on Health Care.

Ms. Flynn introduced--

S.F. No. 691: A bill for an act relating to drivers' licenses; authorizing and allocating charges for driver's license reinstatement; providing that a person whose license has been suspended due to failure to appear in a court outside the state, but who subsequently appears for determination of the case, does not have to pay the license reinstatement fee; amending Minnesota Statutes 1994, section 171.20, subdivision 4.

Referred to the Committee on Transportation and Public Transit.

Mr. Metzen and Ms. Reichgott Junge introduced--

S.F. No. 692: A bill for an act relating to state government; providing that executive agency compensation savings may be used only for certain purposes.

Referred to the Committee on Governmental Operations and Veterans.

Messrs. Dille, Bertram, Scheevel and Sams introduced--

S.F. No. 693: A bill for an act relating to agriculture; changing limits for participation in certain rural finance authority loan programs; changing certain restrictions; providing for development of best management practices for feedlots; changing requirements for animal feedlot permits; prohibiting certain unfair practices; allowing composting of sheep carcasses; changing valuation of certain property for tax purposes; creating income tax credits; appropriating money; amending Minnesota Statutes 1994, sections 17.138, by adding a subdivision; 35.82, subdivision 2; 41B.03, subdivision 1; 41B.043, subdivisions 1b and 2; 41B.045, subdivision 2; 116.07, subdivision 7; 273.11, by adding a subdivision; 290.06, by adding a subdivision; and Laws 1994, chapter 619, section 11; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 31B.

Referred to the Committee on Agriculture and Rural Development.

Messrs. Larson; Kleis; Moe, R.D.; Stumpf and Neuville introduced--

S.F. No. 694: A bill for an act relating to education; requiring a member of the board of regents of the University of Minnesota to be a United States citizen; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 137.

Referred to the Committee on Education.

Messrs. Mondale, Laidig, Cohen and Betzold introduced--

S.F. No. 695: A bill for an act relating to trusts; limiting liability for hazardous waste to the extent of trust assets; providing for payment of trustee compensation; amending Minnesota Statutes 1994, sections 115B.03, by adding a subdivision; and 501B.71, by adding a subdivision.

Referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Morse, Ms. Kiscaden and Mr. Murphy introduced--

S.F. No. 696: A bill for an act relating to appropriations; appropriating money for a feasibility study of high-speed rail service in Minnesota, Wisconsin, and Illinois.

Referred to the Committee on Transportation and Public Transit.

Messrs. Morse; Stumpf; Moe, R.D.; Price and Finn introduced--

S.F. No. 697: A bill for an act relating to education; requiring student approval for state public higher education system tuition increases of more than three percent per year over the next biennium; allocating money from any increase over the three percent tuition limit to the campus that approved the increase.

Referred to the Committee on Education.

Messrs. Morse, Chandler, Ms. Pappas, Messrs. Mondale and Marty introduced--

S.F. No. 698: A bill for an act relating to land use planning; clarifying determination of benefit for assessments on land subject to a conservation easement; amending provisions governing the relationship of zoning and planning; establishing criteria for metropolitan council land use decisions; amending provisions relating to metropolitan agricultural preserves; amending Minnesota Statutes 1994, sections 462.357, subdivision 2; 473.858, subdivision 1; and 473H.15, subdivisions 1 and 9; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapters 84C; 429; and 473.

Referred to the Committee on Metropolitan and Local Government.

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

S.F. No. 699: A bill for an act relating to property rights; establishing procedures governing entry of private property by government officials; requiring notice; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 566.

Referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Murphy, Ms. Hanson and Mr. Johnson, D.E. introduced--

S.F. No. 700: A resolution memorializing Congress to fund the Amtrak system to enable it to continue to serve Minnesota.

Referred to the Committee on Transportation and Public Transit.

Mr. Frederickson introduced--

S.F. No. 701: A bill for an act relating to human services; barring a county welfare agency from pursuing court action to obtain child support in certain circumstances; amending Minnesota Statutes 1994, section 256.87, by adding a subdivision.

Referred to the Committee on Family Services.

Mses. Kiscaden and Piper introduced--

S.F. No. 702: A bill for an act relating to human services; defining and establishing "transition services"; continuing the percentage of cost for out-of-state treatment of children; allowing grants for community-based services for adolescents with serious emotional disturbances and violent behavior; providing for an early childhood care and education training advisory committee; establishing outcomes for cultural dynamics training; changing children's safety centers to family safety centers; changing payments and funding for child care programs; amending Minnesota Statutes 1994, sections 245.4871, by adding a subdivision; 245.4875, by adding a subdivision; 245.4882, subdivision 5; 245.4886, by adding subdivisions; 245A.14, subdivision 7; 256F.09; 256H.01, subdivisions 9 and 12; 256H.02; 256H.03, subdivisions 1, 2a, 4, 6, and by adding a subdivision; 256H.05, subdivision 6; 256H.08; 256H.11, subdivision 1; 256H.12, subdivision 1, and by adding a subdivision; 256H.15, subdivision 1; 256H.18; and 256H.20, subdivision 3a; repealing Minnesota Statutes 1994, section 256H.03, subdivisions 2 and 5.

Referred to the Committee on Family Services.

MEMBERS EXCUSED

Messrs. Day and Kroening were excused from the Session of today. Mr. Solon was excused from the Session of today at 9:45 a.m. Mr. Price was excused from the Session of today from 9:00 to 9:25 a.m.

ADJOURNMENT

Mr. Moe, R.D. moved that the Senate do now adjourn until 11:00 a.m., Monday, February 27, 1995. The motion prevailed.

Patrick E. Flahaven, Secretary of the Senate

