

Bar of the Senate and subscribed to the oath of office as administered by the Presiding Officer.

MEMBERS EXCUSED

Mr. Keefe, J. was excused from the Session of today, beginning at 2:00 o'clock p.m.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS

Mr. Coleman introduced—

Senate Resolution No. 1: A senate resolution naming a Majority Leader and a Minority Leader.

BE IT RESOLVED, by the Senate, that the Senate Majority Leader is Nicholas D. Coleman and the Senate Minority Leader is Robert O. Ashbach.

Mr. Coleman moved the adoption of the foregoing resolution. The motion prevailed. So the resolution was adopted.

Mr. Coleman introduced—

Senate Resolution No. 2: A senate resolution relating to the adoption of temporary rules for the 69th session of the legislature.

BE IT RESOLVED, by the Senate, that the permanent rules of the Senate for the Sixty-eighth session are adopted as the temporary rules of the Sixty-ninth session to be effective until the adoption of permanent rules by a majority vote of the Senate, subject to the following conditions: Rules 33 and 69 shall not be operative.

Any resolution or other question before the Senate may be brought to a vote at any time by a majority vote of the members present, and no bill shall be introduced the first day.

That the rules as herein made reference to be amended as follows:

STANDING COMMITTEES

54. The Standing Committees of the Senate and their complement are as follows:

Committee on Committees—6

Education—17

Finance—20

Governmental Operations—19

Health, Welfare and Corrections—16

Judiciary—15

Labor and Commerce—15

Local Government—12

Metropolitan and Urban Affairs—15

Natural Resources and Agriculture—15

Rules and Administration—18

Taxes and Tax Laws—20

Transportation and General Legislation—15

The Committee on Rules and Administration has authority to constitute a standing subcommittee on Engrossing and Enrolling, the report of which within its jurisdiction has the effect of a report of the main committee on Rules and Administration, and the reference under Rule 49 is made directly to this subcommittee.

Each standing committee of the Senate, including any subcommittee of any such committee, is authorized at any time to sit and act, to require by subpoena or otherwise the attendance and testimony of such witnesses and the production of such correspondence, books, papers, and documents, and to take such testimony as it deems advisable. Each such committee may make investigation into any matter within its jurisdiction, may report such hearings as may be had by it, and may make such expenditures as shall be authorized from time to time by the standing Committee on Rules and Administration.

Mr. Coleman moved the adoption of the foregoing resolution.

Mr. Jensen moved to amend Rule 53 as follows:

Strike the rule in its entirety and substitute in lieu thereof the following:

APPOINTMENT OF COMMITTEES

53. The majority group shall assign the number of positions to which the minority group is entitled on each committee. The minority group shall be notified of such positions at least thirty days prior to the commencement of the session. The minority group shall then prepare a list of proposed committee assignments for said minority group and transmit the same to the majority group at least fifteen days prior to the commencement of the session. Majority and minority committee assignments shall be subject to the uniform criteria governing committee assignments, applicable to both the majority and the minority, which uniform criteria shall be promulgated by the majority group and transmitted to the minority group together with the notification of committee positions available to the minority. Such minority assignments shall be followed by the Senate in the resolution establishing representation on all Senate committees. Committee membership on committees shall be proportional to the number in each group in the Senate, provided, however, that the majority group shall be entitled to a majority of at least three on any committee of fifteen members or less, four on any committee of between sixteen and twenty members and five on any committee of twenty-one members and over.

After the organization of the Senate, all committees of the Senate and members of commissions to be appointed by the Senate authorized by rule, statute, resolution or otherwise, shall be appointed by a Committee on Committees, unless otherwise provided, subject to confirmation by the Senate. In the appointment of members of conference committees between the two houses, the Committee on Committees of the Senate shall appoint those who are in accord with the position of the Senate, and whenever practical, give preference to authors of bills in dispute and to members of standing committees in which the bills were considered.

The question being taken on the adoption of the amendment,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 28 and nays 38, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Ashbach	Dunn	Josefson	Nelson	Renneke
Bang	Fitzsimons	Keefe, J.	Ogdahl	Sillers
Berg	Frederick	Kirchner	Olson, J. L.	Stassen
Bernhagen	Hansen, Mel	Knutson	O'Neill	Ueland
Blatz	Hanson, R.	Kowalczyk	Patton	
Brown	Jensen	Larson	Pillsbury	

Those who voted in the negative were:

Anderson	Doty	Lewis	Olson, H. D.	Spear
Arnold	Gearty	McCutcheon	Perpich, A. J.	Stokowski
Borden	Hansen, Baldy	Merriam	Perpich, G.	Stumpf
Chenoweth	Hughes	Milton	Purfeerst	Tennessee
Chmielewski	Humphrey	Moe	Schaaf	Wegener
Coleman	Keefe, S.	North	Schmitz	Willet
Conzemius	Kleinbaum	Olhoff	Schrom	
Davies	Laufenburger	Olson, A. G.	Solon	

The motion did not prevail. So the amendment was not adopted.

Mr. Ashbach moved to amend Rule 7 as follows:

Strike "Under the order of business of Motions and Resolutions the Senate may by a majority vote of the whole Senate temporarily revert or proceed to any other order of business."

The question being taken on the adoption of the amendment,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 28 and nays 38, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Ashbach	Dunn	Josefson	Nelson	Renneke
Bang	Fitzsimons	Keefe, J.	Ogdahl	Sillers
Berg	Frederick	Kirchner	Olson, J. L.	Stassen
Bernhagen	Hansen, Mel	Knutson	O'Neill	Ueland
Blatz	Hanson, R.	Kowalczyk	Patton	
Brown	Jensen	Larson	Pillsbury	

Those who voted in the negative were:

Anderson	Chmielewski	Doty	Humphrey	Lewis
Arnold	Coleman	Gearty	Keefe, S.	McCutcheon
Borden	Conzemius	Hansen, Baldy	Kleinbaum	Merriam
Chenoweth	Davies	Hughes	Laufenburger	Milton

Moe	Olson, H. D.	Schaaf	Spear	Wegener
North	Perpich, A. J.	Schmitz	Stokowski	Willet
Olhoft	Perpich, G.	Schrom	Stumpf	
Olson, A. G.	Purfierst	Solon	Tennessee	

The motion did not prevail. So the amendment was not adopted.

Mr. O'Neill moved to amend Rule 10 as follows:

Strike the rule in its entirety and insert in lieu thereof the following:

SPECIAL ORDER

"10. After notice given during a session of the Senate at least two calendar days in advance, two-thirds of the whole Senate may designate a special order for a bill on General Orders.

With respect to any bill on General Orders or on the Calendar, the Committee on Rules and Administration, by committee report duly adopted, may designate a special order for the bill.

After a time specified by a resolution offered by the Committee on Rules and Administration, the Chairmen of the Committees on Finance and Taxes and Tax Laws, as authorized by their respective committees, may designate a special order for any bill favorably reported by their respective committees.

A special order shall provide that the bill be considered immediately, at a time certain, or after specific other business is completed.

During consideration of a special order, Rule 20 shall be suspended. As nearly as applicable, debate on the bill and all proceedings including amendments and substitutions shall be that of the Committee of the Whole.

On any question any member may call for the ayes and nays which shall be entered in the Journal.

Unless it is otherwise disposed of, after consideration a bill on Special Orders of the Senate shall immediately proceed to its third reading and final passage."

The question being taken on the adoption of the amendment,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 28 and nays 38, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Ashbach	Dunn	Josefson	Nelson	Renneke
Bang	Fitzsimons	Keefe, J.	Ogdahl	Sillers
Berg	Frederick	Kirchner	Olson, J. L.	Stassen
Bernhagen	Hansen, Mel	Knutson	O'Neill	Ueland
Blatz	Hanson, R.	Kowalczyk	Patton	
Brown	Jensen	Larson	Pillsbury	

Those who voted in the negative were:

Anderson	Chmielewski	Doty	Humphrey	Lewis
Arnold	Coleman	Gearty	Keefe, S.	McCutcheon
Borden	Conzemius	Hansen, Baldy	Kleinbaum	Merriam
Chenoweth	Davies	Hughes	Laufenburger	Milton

Moe	Olson, H. D.	Schaaf	Spear	Wegener
North	Perpich, A. J.	Schmitz	Stokowski	Willet
Olhoff	Perpich, G.	Schrom	Stumpf	
Olson, A. G.	Purfeerst	Solon	Tennessen	

The motion did not prevail. So the amendment was not adopted.

Mr. Renneke moved to amend Rule 54 as follows:

Strike "Natural Resources and Agriculture—15" and insert
"Agriculture—15"

Natural Resources—15"

The question being taken on the adoption of the amendment,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 27 and nays 37, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Ashbach	Dunn	Josefson	Nelson	Sillers
Bang	Fitzsimons	Keefe, J.	Olson, J. L.	Stassen
Berg	Frederick	Kirchner	O'Neill	Ueland
Bernhagen	Hansen, Mel	Knutson	Patton	
Blatz	Hanson, R.	Kowalczyk	Pillsbury	
Brown	Jensen	Larson	Renneke	

Those who voted in the negative were:

Anderson	Gearty	McCutcheon	Perpich, A. J.	Stokowski
Arnold	Hansen, Baldy	Merriam	Perpich, G.	Stumpf
Borden	Hughes	Milton	Purfeerst	Tennessen
Chmielewski	Humphrey	Moe	Schaaf	Wegener
Coleman	Keefe, S.	North	Schmitz	Willet
Conzemius	Kleinbaum	Olhoff	Schrom	
Davies	Laufenburger	Olson, A. G.	Solon	
Doty	Lewis	Olson, H. D.	Spear	

The motion did not prevail. So the amendment was not adopted.

Mr. Hansen, Mel moved to amend Rule 57 by adding a paragraph at the end as follows:

"Upon the demand of three members of a Standing Committee of the Senate the chairman of such Committee shall permit public testimony on any bill before the whole Committee."

The question being taken on the adoption of the amendment,

And the roll being called, there were yeas 28 and nays 36, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Ashbach	Dunn	Josefson	Nelson	Renneke
Bang	Fitzsimons	Keefe, J.	Ogdahl	Sillers
Berg	Frederick	Kirchner	Olson, J. L.	Stassen
Bernhagen	Hansen, Mel	Knutson	O'Neill	Ueland
Blatz	Hanson, R.	Kowalczyk	Patton	
Brown	Jensen	Larson	Pillsbury	

Those who voted in the negative were:

Anderson	Doty	McCutcheon	Perpich, G.	Stumpf
Arnold	Gearty	Merriam	Purfeerst	Tennessen
Borden	Hansen, Baldy	Milton	Schaaf	Wegener
Chenoweth	Hughes	Moe	Schmitz	Willet
Chmielewski	Humphrey	North	Schrom	
Coleman	Keefe, S.	Olhoft	Solon	
Conzemius	Laufenburger	Olson, A. G.	Spear	
Davies	Lewis	Olson, H. D.	Stokowski	

The motion did not prevail. So the amendment was not adopted.

The question recurred on the adoption of the motion of Mr. Coleman.

And the roll being called, there were yeas 64 and nays 0, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Anderson	Davies	Keefe, J.	North	Schmitz
Arnold	Doty	Keefe, S.	Ogdahl	Schrom
Ashbach	Dunn	Kirchner	Olhoft	Sillers
Bang	Fitzsimons	Knutson	Olson, A. G.	Solon
Berg	Frederick	Kowalczyk	Olson, H. D.	Spear
Bernhagen	Gearty	Larson	Olson, J. L.	Stassen
Blatz	Hansen, Baldy	Laufenburger	O'Neill	Stokowski
Borden	Hansen, Mel	Lewis	Patton	Stumpf
Brown	Hanson, R.	McCutcheon	Perpich, G.	Tennessen
Chenoweth	Hughes	Merriam	Pillsbury	Ueland
Chmielewski	Humphrey	Milton	Purfeerst	Wegener
Coleman	Jensen	Moe	Renneke	Willet
Conzemius	Josefson	Nelson	Schaaf	

The motion prevailed. So the resolution was adopted.

Mr. Coleman introduced—

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 1: A senate concurrent resolution relating to the adoption of temporary joint rules.

BE IT RESOLVED, by the Senate of the State of Minnesota, the House of Representatives concurring therein:

The joint rules of the Senate and House for the sixty-eighth session are adopted as the temporary joint rules of the sixty-ninth session to be effective until the adoption of permanent joint rules by the Senate and House, subject to the following conditions:

That joint rule 17 be amended to read:

TITLE FORM OF BILLS SHALL EXPRESS THEIR SUBJECT

Rule 17. The ~~subject~~ *title* of each bill shall be clearly expressed in the title *state its subject* and when a bill is amendatory of an existing act, it shall ~~not be sufficient to refer to the chapter, section or page subdivision~~, *but* and the subject thereof shall be clearly stated. *The title of each bill shall briefly state its purpose.*

Reference shall be made to Minnesota Statutes for the provi-