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**Senator Cohen from the Committee on Finance, to which was re-referred**

**S.F. No. 2:** A bill for an act relating to capital improvements; authorizing spending to acquire and better public land and buildings and other public improvements of a capital nature with certain conditions; requiring certain studies and reports; authorizing sale of state bonds; appropriating money; amending Laws 2002, chapter 393, section 19, subdivision 2.

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

Page 26, line 38, delete "2003" and insert "2005"

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

**SECOND READING OF SENATE BILLS**

S.F. Nos. 1340, 1225, 962, 418, 1078, 343, 990, 370, 1252, 143, 1260, 776, 289, 937 and 2 were read the second time.

**SECOND READING OF HOUSE BILLS**

H.F. Nos. 547, 859, 850 and 1112 were read the second time.

**MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS**

Senator Murphy moved that his name be stricken as chief author, shown as a co-author, and the name of Senator Dibble be shown as chief author to S.F. No. 1263. The motion prevailed.

Senator Rest moved that the names of Senators Wiger and Limmer be added as co-authors to S.F. No. 506. The motion prevailed.

**Senators Hottinger and Day introduced--**

**Senate Resolution No. 67:** A Senate resolution amending Temporary Rule 45.

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

The Temporary Rules of the Senate for the 83rd Legislature are amended as follows:

Delete Rule 45 and insert:

**45. COMPARISON AND SUBSTITUTION OF BILLS**

45.1 A House bill, after its first reading, must be referred as follows, unless there is a motion by the Chair of the Committee on Rules and Administration or a designee of the Chair or objection under Rule 4.9:

(a) If there is no Senate companion bill, the House bill must be referred to the appropriate standing committee.

(b) If there is a Senate companion bill, the House bill must be referred to the standing committee possessing the Senate companion.

(c) If the Senate companion bill has been reported to the Senate, the House bill must be referred to the Committee on Rules and Administration, which shall report whether the House bill is identical to the Senate companion bill. If the bills are identical, the report must recommend that

the House bill be given its second reading and substituted for the Senate companion bill and the Senate companion bill be indefinitely postponed. If the House bill is not identical to the Senate companion bill, the report of the committee must recommend an amendment to the House bill that when adopted will render the House bill identical to the Senate bill. Upon adoption of a committee report containing the proposed amendment, the House bill as amended must be given its second reading and substituted for the Senate companion bill and the Senate companion bill must be indefinitely postponed.

45.2 The Secretary shall prepare and submit reports under this rule on behalf of the Committee on Rules and Administration.

45.3 A House bill placed on the Calendar by substitution must not be given its third reading on the same day as the substitution.

Senator Hottinger moved the adoption of the foregoing resolution. The motion prevailed. So the resolution was adopted.

### SPECIAL ORDERS

Pursuant to Rule 26, Senator Hottinger, Chair of the Committee on Rules and Administration, designated the following bills a Special Orders Calendar to be heard immediately:

S.F. Nos. 296, 350, 515, 1197, 484, 1064, 1098, 420, 1080, 1015, 1071 and 1282.

### SPECIAL ORDER

**S.F. No. 296:** A bill for an act relating to education; renaming the department of children, families, and learning to department of education; making conforming changes to reflect the department name change; amending Minnesota Statutes 2002, sections 15.01; 119A.01, subdivision 2; 119A.02, subdivisions 2, 3; 119B.011, subdivisions 8, 10; 120A.02; 120A.05, subdivisions 4, 7; 127A.05, subdivisions 1, 3; repealing Minnesota Statutes 2002, section 119A.01, subdivision 1.

Senator Michel moved that S.F. No. 296 be laid on the table. The motion prevailed.

### SPECIAL ORDER

**S.F. No. 350:** A bill for an act relating to insurance; regulating the FAIR plan; amending Minnesota Statutes 2002, sections 65A.29, subdivision 4; 65A.32; 65A.33, subdivisions 4, 6, 9, by adding subdivisions; 65A.34; 65A.35; 65A.36; 65A.37; 65A.375; 65A.38, subdivisions 1, 5; 65A.40; 65A.41; 65A.42; repealing Minnesota Statutes 2002, section 65A.33, subdivision 5.

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 59 and nays 0, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Anderson	Dibble	Johnson, D.J.	Langseth	Neuville
Bachmann	Dille	Jungbauer	LeClair	Nienow
Bakk	Fischbach	Kelley	Limmer	Olson
Belanger	Foley	Kierlin	Lourey	Pappas
Berglin	Frederickson	Kiscaden	Marko	Pariseau
Betzold	Gaither	Kleis	Marty	Pogemiller
Chaudhary	Hann	Knutson	Metzen	Ranum
Cohen	Higgins	Koering	Michel	Reiter
Day	Hottinger	Kubly	Moua	Rest