

STATE OF MINNESOTA

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FIFTH DAY

St. Paul, Minnesota, Thursday, January 23, 1997

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, Sister Marie Theresa Belanger.

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	Hanson	Krentz	Novak	Samuelson
Beckman	Higgins	Laidig	Oliver	Scheevel
Belanger	Janezich	Langseth	Olson	Scheid
Berg	Johnson, D.E.	Larson	Ourada	Solon
Berglin	Johnson, D.H.	Lesewski	Pappas	Spear
Betzold	Johnson, D.J.	Lessard	Pariseau	Stevens
Cohen	Johnson, J.B.	Limmer	Pogemiller	Ten Eyck
Day	Junge	Lourey	Price	Terwilliger
Dille	Kelley, S.P.	Marty	Ranum	Vickerman
Fischbach	Kelly, R.C.	Metzen	Robertson	Wiener
Flynn	Kiscaden	Moe, R.D.	Robling	Wiger
Foley	Kleis	Morse	Runbeck	
Frederickson	Knutson	Murphy	Sams	

The President declared a quorum present.

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

## MEMBERS EXCUSED

Mr. Neuville, Ms. Piper and Mr. Stumpf were excused from the Session of today.

## EXECUTIVE AND OFFICIAL COMMUNICATIONS

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

May 20, 1996

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:

STATE BOARD OF EDUCATION

Carmen Robles, 633 S. Robert St., St. Paul, Ramsey County, effective May 20, 1996, for a term expiring on the first Monday in January, 2000.

(Referred to the Committee on Children, Families and Learning.)

Warmest regards,  
Arne H. Carlson, Governor

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

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

**Mr. Marty from the Committee on Election Laws, to which was referred**

**S.F. No. 43:** A bill for an act relating to elections; defining certain terms; changing the name of the state partisan primary to the state party nominating election; requiring candidates to demonstrate party support before being listed on a party's ballot; moving the state party nominating election and primary from September to June; changing certain procedures, terms, and deadlines; amending Minnesota Statutes 1996, sections 200.02, by adding a subdivision; 204B.08, subdivisions 1 and 2; 204B.09, subdivision 1; 204B.10, subdivisions 2, 3, and 4; 204B.11, subdivision 2; 204B.12, subdivision 1; 204B.33; 204D.03, subdivision 1; and 204D.08, subdivision 4; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 204B.

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

Page 1, after line 16, insert:

"Section 1. Minnesota Statutes 1996, section 10A.255, subdivision 1, is amended to read:

Subdivision 1. [METHOD OF CALCULATION.] The dollar amounts provided in section 10A.25, subdivision 2, must be adjusted for general election years as provided in this section. ~~By June 1 of the general election year,~~ The executive director of the board shall determine the percentage increase in the consumer price index from December of the year preceding the last general election year to December of the year preceding the year in which the determination is made. The dollar amounts used for the preceding general election year must be multiplied by that percentage. The product of the calculation must be added to each dollar amount to produce the dollar limitations to be in effect for the next general election. The product must be rounded up to the next highest whole dollar. The index used must be the revised consumer price index for all urban consumers for the St. Paul-Minneapolis metropolitan area prepared by the United States Department of Labor with 1982 as a base year.

Sec. 2. Minnesota Statutes 1996, section 10A.255, subdivision 3, is amended to read:

Subd. 3. [PUBLICATION OF EXPENDITURE LIMIT.] By ~~June~~ March 15 of each election year the board shall publish in the State Register the expenditure limit for each office for that calendar year under section 10A.25 as adjusted by this section.

Sec. 3. Minnesota Statutes 1996, section 10A.31, subdivision 6, is amended to read:

Subd. 6. As soon as the board has obtained from the secretary of state the results of the ~~primary~~

state party nominating election, but in any event no later than one week after certification by the state canvassing board of the results of ~~the primary that election~~, the board shall distribute the available funds in each party account, as certified by the commissioner of revenue ~~on September 1~~ one week before the state party nominating election, to the candidates of that party who have signed the agreement as provided in section 10A.322 and filed the affidavit required by section 10A.323, and whose names are to appear on the ballot in the general election, according to the allocations set forth in subdivision 5. If a candidate files the affidavit required by section 10A.323 ~~after September 1 of the general election year~~ later than one week before the state party nominating election, the board shall pay the candidate's allocation to the candidate at the next regular payment date for public subsidies for that election cycle that occurs at least 15 days after the candidate files the affidavit.

Sec. 4. Minnesota Statutes 1996, section 10A.321, is amended to read:

10A.321 [ESTIMATES OF MINIMUM AMOUNTS TO BE RECEIVED.]

Subdivision 1. [CALCULATION AND CERTIFICATION OF ESTIMATES.] The commissioner of revenue shall calculate and certify to the board one week before July 1 ~~the first day for filing for office~~ in an election year an estimate of the total amount in the state general account of the state elections campaign fund and the amount of money each candidate who qualifies, as provided in section 10A.31, subdivisions 6 and 7, may receive from the candidate's party account in the state elections campaign fund. This estimate must be based upon the allocations and formulas in section 10A.31, subdivision 5, any necessary vote totals provided by the secretary of state to apply the formulas in section 10A.31, subdivision 5, and the amount of money expected to be available after 100 percent of the tax returns have been processed.

Subd. 2. [PUBLICATION, CERTIFICATION, AND NOTIFICATION PROCEDURES.] Before the first day of filing for office, the board shall publish and forward to all filing officers the estimates calculated and certified under subdivision 1 along with a copy of section 10A.25, subdivision 10. Within seven days one week ~~seven days~~ after the last day for filing for office, the secretary of state shall certify to the board the name, address, office sought, and party affiliation of each candidate who has filed with that office an affidavit of candidacy or petition to appear on the ballot. The auditor of each county shall certify to the board the same information for each candidate who has filed with that county an affidavit of candidacy or petition to appear on the ballot. Within seven days afterward two weeks ~~seven days~~ after the last day for filing for office, the board shall estimate the minimum amount to be received by each candidate who qualifies, as provided in section 10A.31, subdivisions 6 and 7. ~~By August 15 the board shall, and notify all candidates of their minimum amount.~~ The board shall include with the notice a form for the agreement provided in section 10A.322 along with a copy of section 10A.25, subdivision 10.

Sec. 5. Minnesota Statutes 1996, section 10A.322, subdivision 1, is amended to read:

Subdivision 1. [AGREEMENT BY CANDIDATE.] (a) As a condition of receiving a public subsidy, a candidate shall sign and file with the board a written agreement in which the candidate agrees that the candidate will comply with sections 10A.25 and 10A.324.

(b) Before the first day of filing for office, the board shall forward agreement forms to all filing officers. The board shall also provide agreement forms to candidates on request at any time. The candidate may sign an agreement and submit it to the filing officer on the day of filing an affidavit of candidacy or petition to appear on the ballot, in which case the filing officer shall without delay forward signed agreements to the board. Alternatively, the candidate may submit the agreement directly to the board at any time that is at least one week before ~~September 1~~ preceding the general the candidate's state party nominating election. An agreement may not be filed after that date. An agreement once filed may not be rescinded.

(c) The board shall forward a copy of any agreement signed under this subdivision to the commissioner of revenue.

(d) Notwithstanding any provisions of this section, when a vacancy occurs that will be filled by means of a special election and the filing period does not coincide with the filing period for the

general election, a candidate may sign and submit a spending limit agreement at any time before the deadline for submission of a signed agreement under section 10A.315.

Sec. 6. Minnesota Statutes 1996, section 10A.323, is amended to read:

10A.323 [MATCHING REQUIREMENTS.]

In addition to the requirements of section 10A.322, to be eligible to receive a public subsidy under section 10A.31 or 10A.312 a candidate or the candidate's treasurer shall file an affidavit with the board stating that during that calendar year the candidate has accumulated contributions from persons eligible to vote in this state in the amount indicated for the office sought, counting only the first \$50 received from each contributor:

- (1) candidates for governor and lieutenant governor running together, \$35,000;
- (2) candidates for attorney general, \$15,000;
- (3) candidates for secretary of state, state treasurer, and state auditor, separately, \$6,000;
- (4) candidates for the senate, \$3,000; and
- (5) candidates for the house of representatives, \$1,500.

~~To be eligible to receive a public matching subsidy under section 10A.312, The affidavit must state the total amount of contributions that have been received from persons eligible to vote in this state and the total amount of those contributions received, disregarding the portion of any contribution in excess of \$50.~~

The candidate or the candidate's treasurer shall submit the affidavit required by this section to the board in writing ~~by September 1 of the general election year no later than one week before the state party nominating election to receive the payment based on the results of the primary that election, by September 15 to receive the payment made October 1, by October 1 to receive the payment made October 15, by November 1 to receive the payment made November 15 following the general election, and by December 1 to receive the payment made December 15.~~

Page 1, after line 21, insert:

"Sec. 8. Minnesota Statutes 1996, section 202A.14, subdivision 1, is amended to read:

Subdivision 1. [TIME AND MANNER OF HOLDING; POSTPONEMENT.] At 7:00 p.m. on the first Tuesday in ~~March~~ February in every state general election year there shall be held for every election precinct a party caucus in the manner provided in sections 202A.14 to 202A.19, except that in the event of severe weather a major political party may request the secretary of state to postpone caucuses. If a major political party makes a request, or upon the secretary of state's own initiative, after consultation with all major political parties and on the advice of the federal weather bureau and the department of transportation, the secretary of state may declare precinct caucuses to be postponed for a week in counties where weather makes travel especially dangerous. The secretary of state shall submit a notice of the postponement to news media covering the affected counties by 6:00 p.m. on the scheduled day of the caucus. A postponed caucus may also be postponed pursuant to this subdivision."

Page 5, lines 7 and 21, delete "204B.05" and insert "204B.055"

Page 7, line 36, strike "partisan primary" and insert "party nominating election"

Renumber the sections in sequence

Amend the title as follows:

Page 1, line 9, after "sections" insert "10A.255, subdivisions 1 and 3; 10A.31, subdivision 6; 10A.321; 10A.322, subdivision 1; 10A.323;"

Page 1, line 10, after the first semicolon, insert "202A.14, subdivision 1;"

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

### SECOND READING OF SENATE BILLS

S.F. No. 43 was read the second time.

### MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS

Ms. Hanson moved that the names of Mmes. Fischbach, Robling, Ms. Runbeck and Mrs. Pariseau be added as co-authors to S.F. No. 22. The motion prevailed.

Mr. Murphy moved that the name of Mr. Solon be added as a co-author to S.F. No. 46. The motion prevailed.

Mr. Marty moved that the name of Mr. Belanger be added as a co-author to S.F. No. 77. The motion prevailed.

Mr. Marty moved that the name of Ms. Johnson, J.B. be added as a co-author to S.F. No. 83. The motion prevailed.

### INTRODUCTION AND FIRST READING OF SENATE BILLS

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

**Ms. Lesewski, Mr. Kleis, Mrs. Fischbach, Messrs. Larson and Johnson, D.E. introduced--**

**S.F. No. 88:** A bill for an act proposing an amendment to the Minnesota Constitution, article I; providing that the right of citizens to bear arms for certain purposes is fundamental and shall not be abridged.

Referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

**Messrs. Terwilliger and Knutson introduced--**

**S.F. No. 89:** A bill for an act relating to crimes; lowering the per se standard for alcohol concentration from 0.10 to 0.08 for adults, and to 0.01 for persons under 21 years of age, for driving or operating, while impaired, aircraft, motor vehicles, snowmobiles, all-terrain vehicles, and motorboats, as well as for criminal vehicular operation, handling explosives, and hunting; making technical changes; amending Minnesota Statutes 1996, sections 84.91, subdivision 1; 84.911, subdivision 1; 86B.331, subdivisions 1 and 4; 86B.335, subdivision 1; 97B.065, subdivision 1; 97B.066, subdivision 1; 169.121, subdivisions 1 and 2; 169.123, subdivisions 2, 4, 5a, and 6; 192A.555; and 609.21, subdivisions 1, 2, 2a, 2b, 3, and 4.

Referred to the Committee on Crime Prevention.

**Messrs. Cohen; Moe, R.D.; Ms. Berglin, Messrs. Langseth and Johnson, D.E. introduced--**

**S.F. No. 90:** A bill for an act relating to legislative committees and commissions; updating statutory references to legislative committees; repealing references to abolished legislative commissions; amending Minnesota Statutes 1996, sections 3.30, subdivision 2; 3.754; 3.97, subdivision 2; 3.98, subdivisions 1 and 3; 8.15, subdivisions 3 and 4; 11A.041; 15.065; 15.16, subdivision 5; 15.161; 15.50, subdivision 2; 16A.011, subdivision 13; 16A.152, subdivision 6; 16A.19, subdivision 1; 16B.24, subdivisions 3, 3a, and 6; 16B.31, subdivision 3; 16B.335, subdivisions 1, 2, and 5; 16B.41, subdivision 2; 16B.87, subdivision 4; 16D.03, subdivision 3;

17B.15, subdivision 1; 18E.06; 43A.191, subdivision 3; 62R.25; 97A.0453; 115A.07, subdivisions 2 and 3; 115A.15, subdivision 5; 115A.158, subdivision 2; 115A.411, subdivision 1; 115A.55, subdivision 4; 115A.5501, subdivision 2; 115A.551, subdivisions 4 and 5; 115A.557, subdivision 4; 115A.965, subdivision 7; 115A.9651, subdivision 2; 115A.981, subdivision 3; 115B.20, subdivisions 1 and 6; 115B.43, subdivision 4; 115C.093; 115D.10; 116.072, subdivision 12; 116.125; 116C.712, subdivision 5; 116J.555, subdivision 2; 116O.071, subdivision 3; 116O.09, subdivision 2; 116P.05, subdivision 1; 116P.08, subdivision 3; 116P.09, subdivision 7; 124.078; 124.2131, subdivision 1; 135A.046, subdivision 3; 136F.60, subdivision 1; 136F.98, subdivision 1; 137.02, subdivision 3a; 144.056; 144.701, subdivision 4; 144A.071, subdivision 5; 169.832, subdivision 13; 174.02, subdivision 6; 192.52; 240.18, subdivision 2; 240A.03, subdivision 15; 241.01, subdivision 5; 241.275, subdivision 5; 245.90; 246.64, subdivision 3; 252.035; 252.50, subdivision 2; 253.015, subdivision 2; 256.014, subdivision 3; 256.016; 256.031, subdivision 3; 256.736, subdivisions 3a and 9; 256.9352, subdivision 3; 256.9657, subdivision 1c; 256B.0629, subdivision 3; 256B.69, subdivision 3a; 268.916; 270.0604, subdivision 4; 270.063; 270.0681, subdivision 2; 270.0682, subdivision 2; 270.71; 270.74; 273.1398, subdivision 2c; 352.04, subdivision 3; 352B.02, subdivision 1c; 354.42, subdivision 5; 354A.12, subdivision 2b; 355.50; 356.88, subdivision 1; 393.07, subdivision 5; 446A.072, subdivision 11; 473.149, subdivision 6; 473.3994, subdivision 9; 473.598, subdivision 3; 473.608, subdivision 12a; 473.845, subdivision 4; 473.846; and 473.848, subdivision 4; repealing Minnesota Statutes 1996, sections 3.841; 3.842; 3.843; 3.844; 3.845; 3.873; and 3.887.

Referred to the Committee on Rules and Administration.

**Messrs. Cohen; Moe, R.D.; Ms. Junge, Messrs. Terwilliger and Metzen introduced--**

**S.F. No. 91:** A bill for an act relating to retirement; amending police state aid allocation method; appropriating money as 1996 police state aid; ratifying the calculation of certain 1996 police state aid amounts; amending Minnesota Statutes 1996, section 69.021, subdivision 10.

Referred to the Committee on Governmental Operations and Veterans.

**Mr. Betzold introduced--**

**S.F. No. 92:** A bill for an act relating to taxation; providing for disclosure or inspection of certain data or return information; limiting disclosure of certain data under subpoena; providing criminal penalties; amending Minnesota Statutes 1996, sections 270.66, subdivision 3; 270B.01, subdivision 8; 270B.03, subdivisions 1, 3, and 4; 270B.08, subdivision 1; 270B.085, subdivision 1; 270B.09; 270B.12, subdivision 7; 270B.14, subdivision 1, and by adding a subdivision; 270B.16; and 287.34; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 270B.

Referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

**Mr. Betzold introduced--**

**S.F. No. 93:** A bill for an act relating to human services; changing provisions pertaining to commitment proceedings; changing provisions for state liens for cost of care; amending Minnesota Statutes 1996, sections 13.42, subdivision 2; 55.10, subdivision 4; 246B.01, subdivisions 3 and 4; 253B.02, subdivisions 18a, 18b, and by adding a subdivision; 253B.16, subdivision 1; 253B.18, subdivisions 1, 2, 4, 4a, 4b, 5, 6, 7, 9, and 14; 253B.19, subdivisions 2 and 3; 256.015, subdivisions 1, 2, and 4; 256B.042, subdivisions 1, 2, and 4; 256B.37, subdivision 1; 514.71; 514.980, subdivision 2; 514.981, subdivision 2; 514.982, subdivisions 1 and 2; 514.985; 524.1-201; 524.3-801; 524.3-1004; and 524.3-1201.

Referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

**Messrs. Moe, R.D.; Ten Eyck; Morse; Mrs. Pariseau and Mr. Laidig introduced--**

**S.F. No. 94:** A bill for an act relating to state land; modifying provisions for the establishment

of boundary lines; modifying provisions relating to the sale of trust lands; authorizing the commissioner of natural resources to pay certain outstanding real estate taxes and assessments; authorizing the commissioner of natural resources to transfer improvements on state-owned land; authorizing the commissioner of natural resources to sell certain land; authorizing the private sale of certain land; authorizing the sale of certain surplus land for recreational purposes; providing for disposition of certain lakeshore leased lands; amending Minnesota Statutes 1996, sections 84.0273; 92.06, subdivisions 1 and 4; 92.16, subdivision 1; and 94.10, subdivision 2; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapters 92; and 94.

Referred to the Committee on Environment and Natural Resources.

**Ms. Berglin introduced--**

**S.F. No. 95:** A bill for an act relating to health; modifying lead inspection provisions; providing for the expiration of certain advisory and work groups; modifying vital statistics provisions; modifying asbestos abatement provisions; modifying provisions relating to traumatic brain injury and spinal cord injury notification and data; modifying licensing requirements for elderly housing with services; modifying provisions for hearings related to permitting, licensing, registration, and certification; modifying revocation and suspension provisions for permits, licenses, registration, and certifications; modifying provisions for testing infants for inborn metabolic errors; modifying medical education and research costs trust fund provisions; requiring conformance with federal regulations; amending Minnesota Statutes 1996, sections 62J.15, by adding a subdivision; 62J.69, subdivision 1; 62Q.03, subdivision 5a; 144.125; 144.212, by adding subdivisions; 144.215, subdivision 1; 144.218; 144.664, subdivision 3; 144.665; 144.672, subdivision 1; 144.9501, subdivision 29, and by adding a subdivision; 144.9504, subdivision 2; 144.9506, subdivisions 1 and 5; 144.99, subdivisions 9 and 10; 144D.06; 257.73; 326.71, subdivisions 4 and 6; 326.72, subdivision 2; 326.74; 326.76; 326.78, subdivision 1; and 326.785; repealing Minnesota Rules, part 4600.3900.

Referred to the Committee on Health and Family Security.

**Mr. Betzold introduced--**

**S.F. No. 96:** A bill for an act relating to public safety; preserving certain exempt rules of department of public safety; requiring department to adopt permanent rules in place of some formerly exempt rules; amending Minnesota Statutes 1996, sections 14.387; 169.128; 169.452; 171.321, subdivision 2; 216D.03, subdivision 2; and 624.22, subdivision 1.

Referred to the Committee on Governmental Operations and Veterans.

**Mr. Betzold introduced--**

**S.F. No. 97:** A bill for an act relating to health; providing for the isolation and detention of persons with active tuberculosis who pose an endangerment to the public health; establishing standards and procedures for isolation and detention; requiring reporting by licensed health professionals; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 144.

Referred to the Committee on Health and Family Security.

**Mr. Betzold and Ms. Berglin introduced--**

**S.F. No. 98:** A bill for an act relating to health; modifying provisions for unique identifiers for health care providers, group purchasers, and patients; modifying birth data provisions; limiting access to certified copies of birth and death certificates; requiring standardized format for birth and death certificates; extending date of commissioner's access to fetal, infant, and maternal death data; amending Minnesota Statutes 1996, sections 62J.54; 144.215, by adding subdivisions; 144.225, subdivision 2, and by adding subdivisions; and 145.90, subdivision 2.

Referred to the Committee on Health and Family Security.

**Mr. Betzold introduced--**

**S.F. No. 99:** A bill for an act relating to the military; changing certain military requirements, procedures, and duties; clarifying certain language; changing armory provisions; amending Minnesota Statutes 1996, sections 190.02; 190.05, by adding subdivisions; 190.07; 190.16, subdivision 2; 190.25, subdivision 1; 192.19; 192.20; 192.23; 192.37; 192.38, subdivision 1; 192.40; 192.49, subdivisions 1 and 2; 193.142, subdivisions 1, 2, and 3; 193.143; 193.144, subdivisions 1, 2, and 6; 193.145, subdivisions 2, 4, and 5; 193.148; and 193.29, subdivision 4; repealing Minnesota Statutes 1996, sections 190.13; 190.29; 192.36; 192.435; 192.44; 192.45; 192.46; 192.47; and 192.51, subdivision 2.

Referred to the Committee on Governmental Operations and Veterans.

**Ms. Runbeck, Mr. Stumpf, Ms. Robertson, Messrs. Kelley, S.P. and Metzen introduced--**

**S.F. No. 100:** A bill for an act relating to state government; establishing Minnesota office of technology; creating North Star information access account; authorizing rulemaking; appropriating money; amending Minnesota Statutes 1996, section 13.99, by adding a subdivision; proposing coding for new law as Minnesota Statutes, chapter 237A.

Referred to the Committee on Governmental Operations and Veterans.

**Ms. Berglin introduced--**

**S.F. No. 101:** A bill for an act relating to human services; adding an exclusion to elderly housing with services establishment; downsizing the number of IMD beds; modifying the appeal process for nursing facilities; changing procedure for permanent placement of a child and provisions for reimbursement for family foster care; removing the time limitation on family general assistance; amending Minnesota Statutes 1996, sections 144D.01, subdivision 4; 245.466, by adding a subdivision; 256B.059, subdivisions 1, 2, 5, and by adding a subdivision; 256B.17, subdivision 7; 256B.431, subdivision 18; 256B.50, subdivisions 1, 1b, 1c, and 1f; 256D.01, subdivision 1a; 257.071, subdivision 2; 260.191, subdivision 3b; 260.192; 260.242, subdivision 2; and 382.18; repealing Minnesota Statutes 1996, sections 256B.17, subdivisions 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, and 8; and 256B.50, subdivisions 1d, 1g, 1h, and 2.

Referred to the Committee on Health and Family Security.

**Ms. Berglin introduced--**

**S.F. No. 102:** A bill for an act relating to health; modifying provisions related to health maintenance organizations; amending Minnesota Statutes 1996, sections 62D.02, subdivision 10; 62D.03, subdivisions 3 and 4; 62D.04, subdivision 3; 62D.042, subdivision 3; 62D.06, subdivision 1; 62D.07, subdivision 3; 62D.09, subdivisions 1, 3, and 8; 62D.102; 62D.11, subdivisions 1, 1b, and 3; 62D.12, by adding a subdivision; 62D.20, subdivision 2; 62J.60, subdivision 3; 62Q.105; 62Q.106; and 62Q.30; repealing Minnesota Statutes 1996, sections 62D.03, subdivision 2; 62D.11, subdivision 4; and 62Q.11.

Referred to the Committee on Health and Family Security.

**Ms. Berglin introduced--**

**S.F. No. 103:** A bill for an act relating to human services; providing authority to consolidate nonentitlement grant programs; modifying the prompt payment provision; amending Minnesota Statutes 1996, sections 16A.124, subdivision 4b; 245.03, subdivision 2; and 256F.11, subdivision 2.



Referred to the Committee on Health and Family Security.

**Messrs. Morse, Murphy, Day, Vickerman and Scheevel introduced--**

**S.F. No. 104:** A bill for an act relating to taxation; extending the homestead classification to residences occupied by nieces and nephews of the owner; amending Minnesota Statutes 1996, section 273.124, subdivision 1.

Referred to the Committee on Local and Metropolitan Government.

**Mr. Betzold, Meses. Kiscaden, Wiener, Mr. Knutson and Ms. Krentz introduced--**

**S.F. No. 105:** A bill for an act relating to civil actions; limiting punitive damages in cases involving products or devices approved by the FDA; amending Minnesota Statutes 1996, section 549.20, by adding a subdivision.

Referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

**Messrs. Vickerman; Sams; Johnson, D.E.; Meses. Lesewski and Piper introduced--**

**S.F. No. 106:** A bill for an act relating to agriculture; expanding services provided by the Passing on the Farm Center; appropriating money; amending Minnesota Statutes 1996, section 17.985.

Referred to the Committee on Agriculture and Rural Development.

**Messrs. Spear; Kelly, R.C.; Laidig; Ms. Ranum and Mr. Neuville introduced--**

**S.F. No. 107:** A bill for an act relating to sentencing guidelines; clarifying that the application of the sentencing guidelines system is not a right that a defendant may waive; amending Minnesota Statutes 1996, section 244.09, subdivision 5.

Referred to the Committee on Crime Prevention.

**Messrs. Stumpf and Moe, R.D. introduced--**

**S.F. No. 108:** A bill for an act relating to agriculture; appropriating money for seed potato inspection.

Referred to the Committee on Agriculture and Rural Development.

**Ms. Higgins introduced--**

**S.F. No. 109:** A bill for an act relating to youth initiative grants; substituting the Harrison neighborhood for the Sumner-Glenwood neighborhood for purposes of eligibility for certain enrichment grants; amending Laws 1996, chapter 463, section 4, subdivision 2.

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

**Mr. Day introduced--**

**S.F. No. 110:** A bill for an act relating to education; providing for a fund transfer for independent school district No. 763, Medford.

Referred to the Committee on Children, Families and Learning.

**Mr. Day introduced--**

**S.F. No. 111:** A bill for an act relating to metropolitan sports facilities; requiring the metropolitan sports facilities commission to sell the met center; requiring the commission to escrow funds for retirement of all outstanding debt on the metrodome; transferring ownership and operation of the metrodome from the commission to the major league professional football team and baseball club; abolishing the metropolitan sports facilities commission; transferring other commission assets to the general fund; providing for amateur sports commission funding for youth sports; appropriating money; amending Minnesota Statutes 1996, section 240A.08; repealing Minnesota Statutes 1996, sections 473.553; 473.556; 473.561; 473.564; 473.565; 473.572; 473.581; 473.592; 473.595; 473.596; 473.598; and 473.599.

Referred to the Committee on Local and Metropolitan Government.

**Messrs. Kelly, R.C.; Novak; Ms. Berglin, Messrs. Beckman and Limmer introduced--**

**S.F. No. 112:** A bill for an act relating to economic development; providing training to certain refugees to become citizens to increase their employability; appropriating money.

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

**Mses. Robertson, Olson and Mr. Limmer introduced--**

**S.F. No. 113:** A bill for an act relating to education; permitting independent school district No. 284, Wayzata, school year to begin before Labor Day.

Referred to the Committee on Children, Families and Learning.

**Messrs. Samuelson, Vickerman, Lessard, Sams and Day introduced--**

**S.F. No. 114:** A bill for an act relating to local government; appropriating money for emergency snow removal.

Referred to the Committee on Transportation.

**Ms. Berglin introduced--**

**S.F. No. 115:** A bill for an act relating to children; establishing recognition of American sign language; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 126.

Referred to the Committee on Children, Families and Learning.

**Messrs. Beckman, Solon, Sams, Ms. Wiener and Mr. Kelley, S.P. introduced--**

**S.F. No. 116:** A bill for an act relating to crime prevention; altering occupancy standards in adult correctional facilities; amending Minnesota Statutes 1996, section 243.53.

Referred to the Committee on Crime Prevention.

**Mr. Betzold introduced--**

**S.F. No. 117:** A bill for an act relating to the military; adding an exclusion to the tort claims act; amending Minnesota Statutes 1996, section 3.736, subdivision 3.

Referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

**Mr. Samuelson, Ms. Hanson, Mr. Ten Eyck, Ms. Robertson and Mr. Stevens introduced--**

**S.F. No. 118:** A bill for an act relating to employment; requiring leaves of absence without pay for employees rendering services as members of the civil air patrol; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 181.

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

**Mr. Murphy introduced--**

**S.F. No. 119:** A bill for an act relating to economic development; increasing departmental efficiency by eliminating certain duplicative reports required to be submitted to and prepared by the department of trade and economic development; modifying certain wage and job reporting requirements relating to assistance to businesses; amending Minnesota Statutes 1996, sections 116J.555, subdivision 2; 116J.58, subdivision 1; 116J.991; 469.003, subdivision 7; 469.154, subdivision 1; repealing Minnesota Statutes 1996, sections 469.003, subdivision 4; 469.004, subdivision 6; and 469.006, subdivision 3.

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

**Mr. Murphy introduced--**

**S.F. No. 120:** A bill for an act relating to housing programs; modifying eligibility for accessibility loans; authorizing equity take-out loans for section 236 rental property; clarifying eligible projects under the housing trust fund; modifying eligible uses of the mortgage foreclosure prevention and emergency rental assistance program; repealing the special needs housing for homeless persons program; amending Minnesota Statutes 1996, sections 268.38, subdivision 7; 462A.05, subdivisions 14d, 30, 39, and by adding a subdivision; 462A.201, subdivision 2; 462A.207, subdivisions 1, 2, 3, 4, and 6; 462A.21, subdivision 12a; repealing Minnesota Statutes 1996, sections 268.39; 462A.05, subdivision 20; and 462A.21, subdivisions 4k, 12, and 14.

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

**Messrs. Wiger, Langseth, Ms. Robertson, Mrs. Scheid and Mr. Scheevel introduced--**

**S.F. No. 121:** A bill for an act relating to education; providing for site decision-making options; providing for intradistrict enrollment options; modifying certain charter school provisions; amending Minnesota Statutes 1996, sections 120.064, subdivisions 3, 4, and 4a; 123.33, by adding a subdivision; and 123.951; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 120.

Referred to the Committee on Children, Families and Learning.

**Ms. Robertson, Mr. Foley, Mses. Kiscaden, Piper and Mr. Terwilliger introduced--**

**S.F. No. 122:** A bill for an act relating to human services; requiring notification of placement or adoption of a child to the other birth parent; requiring background checks for adoption; requiring affidavits for an emergency order requiring updates to adoption study; defining content of postplacement assessment and report; permitting court-ordered grandparent visitation with an adopted child; recognition of adoption which occurred in a foreign country; defining when adoption records shall become public records; amending Minnesota Statutes 1996, sections 245A.04, subdivision 10; 257.022, subdivision 2, and by adding a subdivision; 259.20, subdivision 2; 259.22, subdivision 4; 259.24, subdivision 2a; 259.41; 259.47, subdivisions 3, 6, 7, 8, and 10; 259.53, subdivision 2; 259.55, subdivision 1; 259.59, subdivision 1; 259.67, subdivision 7; 259.79, subdivision 3; 259.83, subdivision 3; and 259.89, subdivisions 1, 5, and by adding a subdivision; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 259; repealing Minnesota Statutes 1996, section 259.47, subdivision 9.

Referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

**Mr. Langseth, Mses. Hanson and Krentz introduced--**

**S.F. No. 123:** A bill for an act relating to education; providing for school technology revenue; appropriating money; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 124.

Referred to the Committee on Children, Families and Learning.

**Mr. Vickerman, Ms. Higgins, Messrs. Langseth, Ourada and Ms. Olson introduced--**

**S.F. No. 124:** A bill for an act relating to towns; authorizing the charging and collection of certain service charges; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 366.

Referred to the Committee on Local and Metropolitan Government.

**Mr. Solon introduced--**

**S.F. No. 125:** A bill for an act relating to retirement; Duluth teachers retirement fund association; authorizing an interim military service credit purchase by certain teachers at full actuarial value.

Referred to the Committee on Governmental Operations and Veterans.

**Ms. Berglin introduced--**

**S.F. No. 126:** A bill for an act relating to health; authorizing the creation of community and statewide immunization registries; providing criminal penalties; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 144.

Referred to the Committee on Health and Family Security.

**Mr. Stevens introduced--**

**S.F. No. 127:** A bill for an act relating to the environment; modifying requirements relating to certain environmental advisory councils; amending Minnesota Statutes 1996, sections 115A.12; and 473.803, subdivision 4; repealing Minnesota Statutes 1996, section 473.149, subdivision 4.

Referred to the Committee on Environment and Natural Resources.

**Messrs. Stevens, Lessard, Mrs. Pariseau, Messrs. Vickerman and Laidig introduced--**

**S.F. No. 128:** A bill for an act relating to game and fish; modifying provisions prohibiting hunter, trapper, and angler harassment; amending Minnesota Statutes 1996, section 97A.037, subdivision 1.

Referred to the Committee on Environment and Natural Resources.

**Ms. Robertson, Messrs. Ourada, Janezich, Murphy and Day introduced--**

**S.F. No. 129:** A bill for an act relating to drivers' licenses; providing for Under-21 Minnesota identification cards; amending Minnesota Statutes 1996, sections 171.06, subdivision 2; and 171.07, subdivisions 3 and 4.

Referred to the Committee on Transportation.

**Ms. Berglin introduced--**

**S.F. No. 130:** A bill for an act relating to human services; appropriating money.

Referred to the Committee on Health and Family Security.

**Mr. Metzen introduced--**

**S.F. No. 131:** A bill for an act relating to taxation; increasing the market value of commercial

industrial property that is subject to a reduced class rate; amending Minnesota Statutes 1996, section 273.13, subdivision 24.

Referred to the Committee on Local and Metropolitan Government.

**Mr. Metzen introduced--**

**S.F. No. 132:** A bill for an act relating to taxation; reducing the class rate that applies to certain rental residential property; amending Minnesota Statutes 1996, section 273.13, subdivision 25.

Referred to the Committee on Local and Metropolitan Government.

**Messrs. Kelly, R.C.; Beckman; Mrs. Scheid, Ms. Junge and Mr. Cohen introduced--**

**S.F. No. 133:** A bill for an act relating to crime prevention; clarifying that a victim's impact statement may not be rebutted by a defendant; providing a community representative the right to submit an impact statement; requiring that notice of a defendant's pending appeal be given to crime victims; making various changes to the crime victim emergency assistance grant statute; extending the sunset date of the Minnesota crime victim and witness advisory council and expanding its duties; adding "criminal vehicular homicide and injury" to the definition of "crime of violence" in the gun control laws; appropriating money; amending Minnesota Statutes 1996, sections 611A.038; 611A.675; 611A.71, subdivisions 5 and 7; and 624.712, subdivision 5; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 611A.

Referred to the Committee on Crime Prevention.

**Ms. Flynn, Mr. Langseth and Ms. Johnson, J.B. introduced--**

**S.F. No. 134:** A bill for an act relating to government; changing name of metropolitan airports commission to Minnesota airports commission.

Referred to the Committee on Local and Metropolitan Government.

**Mrs. Scheid, Messrs. Marty, Novak, Ms. Ranum and Mr. Knutson introduced--**

**S.F. No. 135:** A bill for an act relating to civil actions; authorizing civil actions against student organizations for damages relating to hazing; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 127.

Referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

**Mses. Kiscaden, Berglin, Piper, Robertson and Mr. Knutson introduced--**

**S.F. No. 136:** A bill for an act relating to human services; modifying child welfare programs and children's mental health collaboratives; providing for privatization of adoption services for children under state guardianship; establishing pilot projects; appropriating money; amending Minnesota Statutes 1996, sections 245.4882, subdivision 5; 245.493, subdivision 1, and by adding a subdivision; 256.01, subdivision 2, and by adding a subdivision; 256.045, subdivisions 3, 3b, 4, 5, and 8; 256.82, by adding a subdivision; 256E.115; 393.07, subdivision 2; 466.01, subdivision 1; 471.59, subdivision 11; 517.08, subdivision 1c; 626.558, subdivisions 1 and 2; and 626.559, subdivision 5.

Referred to the Committee on Health and Family Security.

**Mr. Morse introduced--**

**S.F. No. 137:** A bill for an act relating to natural resources; modifying the provisions of the youth corps advisory committee; authorizing the commissioner to make certain contracts and

grants; amending Minnesota Statutes 1996, section 84.0887, subdivision 4, and by adding a subdivision.

Referred to the Committee on Environment and Natural Resources.

**Mr. Cohen introduced--**

**S.F. No. 138:** A bill for an act proposing an amendment to the Minnesota Constitution, article I, by adding a section; providing for equality of rights under the law for men and women.

Referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

**Mr. Cohen introduced--**

**S.F. No. 139:** A bill for an act relating to retirement; allowing a purchase of service credit for certain members of the teachers retirement association who were on leave due to multiple sclerosis.

Referred to the Committee on Governmental Operations and Veterans.

**Mr. Cohen introduced--**

**S.F. No. 140:** A bill for an act relating to taxation; providing a property tax exemption for federal land used for cottage and camp purposes; amending Minnesota Statutes 1996, section 272.02, subdivision 1.

Referred to the Committee on Local and Metropolitan Government.

**Mr. Cohen introduced--**

**S.F. No. 141:** A bill for an act relating to taxation; requiring disclosure of and a vote by local governing bodies on increases in property taxes due to reduced market value; amending Minnesota Statutes 1996, section 275.065, subdivision 6.

Referred to the Committee on Local and Metropolitan Government.

**Mr. Cohen introduced--**

**S.F. No. 142:** A bill for an act relating to the legislature; reducing the number of members of the senate and house of representatives; amending Minnesota Statutes 1996, sections 2.021; and 2.031, subdivision 1; repealing Minnesota Statutes 1996, section 2.031, subdivision 2.

Referred to the Committee on Election Laws.

**Mr. Marty introduced--**

**S.F. No. 143:** A bill for an act relating to public safety; consolidating divisions of liquor control and gambling enforcement into division of alcohol and gambling enforcement in the department of public safety; making technical changes; amending Minnesota Statutes 1996, sections 16B.54, subdivision 2; 43A.34, subdivision 4; 299A.02, subdivisions 1, 2, and 3; 299L.01, subdivisions 1 and 2; 299L.02, subdivisions 4 and 5; 299L.03, subdivisions 1, 5, and 7; and 340A.201.

Referred to the Committee on Governmental Operations and Veterans.

**Messrs. Marty; Frederickson; Johnson, D.J. and Mrs. Scheid introduced--**

**S.F. No. 144:** A bill for an act relating to campaign finance; requiring conduit funds to register with the ethical practices board, to have a treasurer, and to not commingle funds; requiring reports;

amending Minnesota Statutes 1996, sections 10A.01, by adding a subdivision; 10A.14, subdivisions 1 and 2; and 10A.20, subdivision 3, and by adding a subdivision; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 10A.

Referred to the Committee on Election Laws.

**Mses. Runbeck, Higgins and Lesewski introduced--**

**S.F. No. 145:** A bill for an act relating to reemployment insurance; making technical and administrative changes; providing civil and criminal penalties; amending Minnesota Statutes 1996, sections 268.0111, by adding a subdivision; 268.022, subdivision 1; 268.04, subdivisions 5, 15, 17, 25, and by adding subdivisions; 268.06, subdivisions 1, 3a, 6, 8, 8a, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, and 31; 268.07, subdivisions 2, 3, 3a, and 3b; 268.071, subdivisions 3, 6, and 9; 268.08, subdivisions 1, 2, 3, 3a, 3b, 10, and by adding a subdivision; 268.09, subdivision 3, and by adding subdivisions; 268.101, subdivisions 2, 3, 4, and by adding a subdivision; 268.105; 268.11, subdivision 3; 268.12, subdivisions 8 and 9a; 268.121; 268.14, subdivision 1; 268.16, subdivision 2; 268.161, subdivisions 4, 6, and 7; 268.167; 268.18, subdivisions 1, 2, 3, 4, 6, and by adding a subdivision; and 268.21; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 268; repealing Minnesota Statutes 1996, sections 268.026; 268.04, subdivisions 8, 13, 14, 20, 21, 32, and 35; 268.06, subdivisions 2, 4, 5, 30, and 33; 268.073, subdivision 7; 268.09, subdivisions 1, 2, 4, 5, 6, 7, and 8; 268.12, subdivisions 2, 4, 5, 7, and 11; 268.14, subdivisions 3 and 4; 268.16, subdivision 8; 268.161, subdivision 3; 268.165; and 268.18, subdivision 5.

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

**Messrs. Stevens, Samuelson, Mses. Kiscaden and Berglin introduced--**

**S.F. No. 146:** A bill for an act relating to human services; establishing welfare reform initiatives; amending Minnesota Statutes 1996, sections 13.46, subdivisions 1 and 2; 13.82, subdivision 1; 13.99, by adding a subdivision; 84.98, subdivision 3; 124.17, subdivisions 1d and 1e; 124.175; 124A.02, subdivision 16; 124A.22, subdivision 3; 136A.125, subdivision 2; 196.27; 237.70, subdivision 4a; 254B.02, subdivision 1; 256.01, subdivisions 2 and 4a; 256.017, subdivisions 1, 2, and 4; 256.019; 256.025, subdivisions 2 and 4; 256.031, subdivision 5, and by adding subdivisions; 256.033, subdivisions 1 and 1a; 256.045, subdivision 3; 256.046; 256.74, subdivision 1; 256.82, subdivisions 1 and 2; 256.871, subdivision 6; 256.935; 256.98, subdivisions 1, 3, 4, and 8; 256.981; 256.983, subdivisions 1 and 4; 256.984, subdivision 1; 256.9850; 256.986; 256.9861, subdivisions 1, 2, 4, and 5; 256.998, by adding subdivisions; 256B.055, subdivision 5, and by adding subdivisions; 256B.056, subdivisions 1a, 3, and 4; 256B.057, subdivisions 1, 1b, 2a, and 2b; 256B.06, subdivision 4; 256B.0913, subdivision 14; 256B.19, subdivisions 1, 2a, and 2b; 256D.01, subdivisions 1 and 1a; 256D.02, subdivisions 6 and 12a; 256D.03, subdivisions 2, 2a, 3, and 6; 256D.05, subdivisions 1, 2, 3, 5, 7, and 8; 256D.051, subdivisions 1a, 2a, 3a, and by adding a subdivision; 256D.0511, subdivision 2; 256D.055; 256D.06, subdivision 2; 256D.08, subdivisions 1 and 2; 256D.09, subdivision 6, and by adding a subdivision; 256D.36; 256D.435, subdivision 3; 256D.44, subdivision 5; 256E.03, subdivision 2; 256E.06, subdivisions 1 and 3; 256E.07, subdivision 1; 256E.08, subdivision 3; 256F.04, subdivisions 1 and 2; 256F.05, subdivisions 2, 3, 4, 5, and 8; 256F.06, subdivisions 1 and 2; 256G.01, subdivision 4; 257.3573, subdivision 2; 259.67, subdivision 4; 260.38; 268.0111, subdivisions 5 and 7; 268.0122, subdivision 3; 268.552, subdivision 5; 268.6751, subdivision 1; 268.676, subdivision 1; 268.86, subdivision 2; 268.871, subdivision 1; 268.90, subdivision 2; 268.916; 268.95, subdivision 4; 270A.03, subdivision 5; 388.23, subdivision 1; 393.07, subdivisions 6 and 10; and 477A.0122, subdivision 2; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapters 256; and 256B; proposing coding for new law as Minnesota Statutes, chapters 256J; and 256K; repealing Minnesota Statutes 1996, sections 256.12, subdivisions 9, 10, 14, 15, 20, 21, 22, and 23; 256.72; 256.73; 256.7341; 256.7351; 256.7352; 256.7353; 256.7354; 256.7355; 256.7356; 256.7357; 256.7358; 256.7359; 256.736; 256.7365; 256.7366; 256.737; 256.738; 256.7381; 256.7382; 256.7383; 256.7384; 256.7385; 256.7386; 256.7387; 256.7388; 256.739; 256.74, subdivisions 1, 1a, 1b, 2, and 6; 256.745; 256.75; 256.76; 256.78; 256.80; 256.81; 256.82; 256.84; 256.85; 256.86; 256.863; 256.871; 256.8711; 256.879; 256B.041, subdivision 5; 256B.055, subdivision 3;

256B.062; 256B.19, subdivision 1a; 256D.01, subdivision 1e; 256D.02, subdivisions 5 and 6; 256D.05; 256D.0511, subdivisions 1, 3, 4, and 5; and 256F.05, subdivisions 5 and 7.

Referred to the Committee on Health and Family Security.

### **ADJOURNMENT**

Mr. Moe, R.D. moved that the Senate do now adjourn until 11:30 a.m., Monday, January 27, 1997. The motion prevailed.

Patrick E. Flahaven, Secretary of the Senate



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