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FIFTIETH DAY

St. Paul, Minnesota, Wednesday, May 9, 2001

The Senate met at 8:00 a.m. and was called to order by the President.

CALL OF THE SENATE

Senator 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. Paul J. Aldrich.

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

Anderson	Frederickson	Krentz	Olson	Sabo
Bachmann	Higgins	Langseth	Orfield	Sams
Belanger	Hottinger	Larson	Ourada	Samuelson
Berg	Johnson, Dave	Lesewski	Pappas	Scheevel
Berglin	Johnson, Dean	Lessard	Pariseau	Scheid
Betzold	Johnson, Debbie	Limmer	Pogemiller	Schwab
Chaudhary	Johnson, Doug	Lourey	Price	Stevens
Cohen	Kelley, S.P.	Marty	Ranum	Stumpf
Day	Kelly, R.C.	Metzen	Reiter	Terwilliger
Dille	Kierlin	Moe, R.D.	Rest	Tomassoni
Fischbach	Kiscaden	Murphy	Ring	Vickerman
Foley	Kleis	Neuville	Robertson	Wiener
Fowler	Knutson	Oliver	Robling	Wiger

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

Senators Kinkel and Solon were excused from the Session of today.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

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

Senator Johnson, Doug from the Committee on Finance, to which was re-referred

S.F. No. 829: A bill for an act relating to motor vehicles; modifying filing fee for vehicle transactions; making clarifying changes; amending Minnesota Statutes 2000, section 168.33, subdivision 7.

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

Page 1, line 10, delete the new language and strike "is imposed"

Page 1, line 11, delete the new language and strike "on every"

Page 1, delete line 12

Page 1, delete line 13 and insert ":

(i) \$3.50 is imposed on every application made directly to the department;

(ii) \$4.50 is imposed on every motor vehicle registration renewal, excluding pro rate, made to a public or private deputy registrar; and

(iii) \$7 is imposed on every other type of vehicle transaction, including pro rate, made to a public or private deputy registrar;

except that a filing fee may"

Page 1, line 15, after "safety" insert ", a licensed auto dealer,"

Page 2, line 9, delete the first "registrar" and insert "department" and after the period, insert "The department shall develop procedures to implement this subdivision in consultation with Minnesota Deputy Registrar Association and Minnesota Automobile Dealers Association. Deputy registrars shall not be prohibited from receiving and processing required documents supporting an electronic transaction."

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

Senator Johnson, Doug from the Committee on Finance, to which was re-referred

S.F. No. 619: A bill for an act relating to domestic violence; expanding the definition of domestic abuse; requiring additional findings before pretrial release of a defendant accused of domestic abuse, harassment, or violation of an order for protection or a no contact order; providing that additional crimes and crimes from other jurisdictions may be used to enhance certain criminal penalties; increasing criminal penalties; specifying standards for domestic abuse offender programs and directing that certain persons be ordered into these programs; requiring data collection on disorderly conduct convictions; providing that there is no residency requirement for order for protection petitions; prioritizing the payment of restitution and fines over domestic abuse investigation fees; clarifying the scope of the mandatory arrest provision of the domestic abuse order for protection law consistent with the original legislative intent; appropriating money to increase supervision of high risk domestic abuse offenders by means of caseload reduction, to fund services for battered women, for criminal justice intervention projects, and for monitoring judicial responses to domestic assault; amending Minnesota Statutes 2000, sections 299C.10, subdivision 1; 518B.01, subdivisions 2, 3, 6, 14; 609.02, by adding a subdivision; 609.224, subdivisions 2, 4; 609.2242, subdivisions 2, 4; 609.2244, subdivisions 2, 4; 609.748, subdivision 6; 609.749, subdivisions 4, 5; 629.72; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapters 518B; 611A.

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

Pages 23 and 24, delete section 20

Pages 30 and 31, delete section 22

Re-number the sections in sequence

Amend the title as follows:

Page 1, delete lines 20 to 24

Pages 1, line 31, delete "chapters 518B; 611A" and insert "chapter 518B"

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

Senator Johnson, Doug from the Committee on Finance, to which was re-referred

S.F. No. 765: A bill for an act relating to human services; prescription drug rebate program; appropriating money; amending Minnesota Statutes 2000, sections 8.31, subdivision 1; 256.01, subdivision 2; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 256.

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

Page 11, lines 29 and 30, delete "Fair Drug Pricing Act" and insert "fair drug pricing program"

Page 12, line 6, after the period, insert "Multisource drugs, as defined in section 256B.0625, subdivision 13, are excluded from the fair drug pricing program."

Page 15, line 4, after the period, insert "The commissioner must administer the program so that the costs total no more than funds appropriated plus the drug rebate proceeds."

Page 15, delete lines 12 to 14 and insert:

"\$5,000,000 is appropriated for the biennium ending June 30, 2003, from the general fund to the Minnesota prescription drug dedicated fund established under the fair drug pricing program."

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

Senator Johnson, Doug from the Committee on Finance, to which was re-referred

S.F. No. 264: A bill for an act relating to crime; establishing a felony level driving while impaired offense; amending Minnesota Statutes 2000, sections 169A.07; 169A.20, subdivision 3; 169A.25; 169A.26; 169A.27; 169A.275; 169A.283, subdivision 1; 169A.40, subdivision 3; 169A.63, subdivision 1; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 169A.

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

Page 1, after line 9, insert:

"Section 1. [62Q.137] [COVERAGE FOR CHEMICAL DEPENDENCY TREATMENT PROVIDED BY THE DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTIONS.]

(a) Any health plan that provides coverage for chemical dependency treatment must cover chemical dependency treatment provided to an enrollee by the department of corrections while the enrollee is committed to the custody of the commissioner of corrections following a conviction for a first-degree driving while impaired offense under section 169A.24 if: (1) a court of competent jurisdiction makes a preliminary determination based on a chemical use assessment conducted under section 169A.70 that treatment may be appropriate and includes this determination as part of the sentencing order; and (2) the department of corrections makes a determination based on a chemical assessment conducted while the individual is in the custody of the department that treatment is appropriate. Treatment provided by the department of corrections that meets the requirements of this section shall not be subject to a separate medical necessity determination under the health plan company's utilization review procedures.

(b) The health plan company must be given a copy of the court's preliminary determination and supporting documents and the assessment conducted by the department of corrections.

(c) Payment rates for treatment provided by the department of corrections shall not exceed the lowest rate for outpatient chemical dependency treatment paid by the health plan company to a participating provider of the health plan company.

(d) For purposes of this section, chemical dependency treatment means all covered services that

are intended to treat chemical dependency and that are covered by the enrollee's health plan or by law."

Page 7, delete lines 17 to 36 and insert:

"(c) When the court commits a person to the custody of the commissioner of corrections under this subdivision, it shall require the commissioner to release the person before completion of the person's term of imprisonment if the person:

(1) has served at least one-third of the executed sentence, plus any disciplinary confinement time imposed for violating the commissioner's rules or orders; and

(2) has successfully completed a chemical dependency treatment program while in prison. The chemical dependency treatment program described in clause (2) must meet the licensing standards contained in sections 245A.01 to 245A.06 (human services licensing).

(d) The court also shall provide that the commissioner may release a person described in paragraph (c) up to 150 days before having served one-third of the executed sentence if the commissioner places the person in a productive day program described in paragraph (i) administered or approved by the commissioner for the remainder of the first one-third of the executed sentence.

(e) A person who is granted release under paragraph (c) or (d) shall serve the entire conditional release term imposed under paragraph (g).

(f) Notwithstanding section 244.05 or any other law to the contrary, a person who is committed to the custody of the commissioner of corrections under this subdivision and who is not released under paragraph (c) or (d), shall serve one-third of the executed sentence in prison. The person may be required to serve up to an additional one-third of the executed sentence in prison in disciplinary confinement time added for violating the commissioner's rules or orders. At the conclusion of the person's imprisonment, the commissioner shall transfer the person to the local corrections agency in the county where the offender was convicted for incarceration in a local jail or workhouse for 180 days, subject to section 643.29. Following incarceration at the jail or workhouse, the commissioner shall place the person on supervised release for the remainder of the executed sentence. If the person violates supervised release, the commissioner may revoke the person's supervised release and order the person to serve all or part of the remaining portion of the supervised release term in the jail or workhouse.

(g) Notwithstanding the statutory maximum sentence provided in section 169A.24 (first-degree driving while impaired), when the court commits a person to the custody of the commissioner of corrections under this subdivision, it shall provide that after the person has been released from incarceration the commissioner shall place the person on conditional release for five years. The commissioner shall impose any conditions of release that the commissioner deems appropriate including, but not limited to, successful completion of an intensive probation program as described in section 169A.74 (pilot programs of intensive probation for repeat DWI offenders). If the person fails to comply with any condition of release during a period that the person is not also under supervised release under paragraph (f), the commissioner may revoke the person's conditional release and order the person to serve all or part of the remaining portion of the conditional release term in prison. If the person fails to comply with any condition of release during a period that the person is under supervised release under paragraph (f), the provisions of paragraph (f) apply. In addition, upon the expiration of the supervised release term, the commissioner may require that the person be transferred to a prison to serve all or part of the remaining portion of the conditional release term in prison. The commissioner may not dismiss the person from supervision before the conditional release term expires. Except as otherwise provided in this section, conditional release is governed by provisions relating to supervised release.

(h) The failure of a court to comply with the provisions of paragraphs (c), (d), and (g), relating to the conditions and timing of an offender's release, does not affect the applicability of those paragraphs to the offender.

(i) The commissioner shall require persons placed in a productive day program under paragraph (d) and persons placed on supervised or conditional release under this subdivision to pay as much of the costs of the program as possible. The commissioner shall develop appropriate standards for this. As used in this paragraph, a productive day program must be modeled on a work release program and require that the person work in a paying job for at least 40 hours a week. The person must be supervised during this period. The person must be returned to a secure facility after the work is completed. The commissioner shall attempt, but is not required, to place persons in productive day programs in areas near where they lived before conviction."

Page 10, after line 8, insert:

"Sec. 13. Minnesota Statutes 2000, section 244.18, subdivision 1, is amended to read:

Subdivision 1. [DEFINITION.] As used in this section, "local correctional fees" include fees for the following correctional services:

- (1) community service work placement and supervision;
- (2) restitution collection;
- (3) supervision;
- (4) court ordered investigations; ~~or~~
- (5) any other court ordered service;
- (6) postprison supervision or other form of release; or
- (7) supervision or other services provided to probationers or parolees under section 243.16 to be provided by a local probation and parole agency established under section 244.19 or community corrections agency established under chapter 401.

Sec. 14. [SUPERVISION LEVEL.]

Nothing in this act requires a different level of supervision for offenders than is currently required by law.

Sec. 15. [STUDY.]

By January 15, 2004, and each year thereafter through January 15, 2007, the commissioner of corrections must report to the chairs and ranking minority members of the house and senate committees having jurisdiction over criminal justice and judiciary finance issues on the implementation and effects of the felony level driving while impaired offense. The report must include the following information on felony level driving while impaired offenses:

- (1) the number of persons convicted;
- (2) the number of trials taken to verdict, separating out cases tried to a judge versus cases tried to a jury, and the number of convictions for each;
- (3) the number of offenders incarcerated locally and the term of incarceration;
- (4) the number placed on probation and the length of the probation;
- (5) the number for whom probation is revoked, the reasons for revocation, and the consequences imposed;
- (6) the number given an executed prison sentence upon conviction and the length of the sentence;
- (7) the number given an executed prison sentence upon revocation of probation and the length of sentence;

- (8) the number who successfully complete treatment and the number released early as a result;
- (9) the number placed on intensive supervision following release from incarceration;
- (10) the number who violate supervised release and the consequences imposed; and
- (11) any other information the commissioner deems relevant to estimating future costs."

Page 10, line 10, delete "11" and insert "15" and delete "July 1, 2002" and insert "January 1, 2003"

Page 10, line 12, delete "July 1, 2002" and insert "January 1, 2003"

Renumber the sections in sequence

Amend the title as follows:

Page 1, line 3, after the semicolon, insert "requiring health plans to cover chemical dependency treatment for impaired driving offenders in certain instances;"

Page 1, line 7, after the semicolon, insert "244.18, subdivision 1;"

Page 1, line 8, delete "chapter" and insert "chapters 62Q;"

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

Senator Johnson, Doug from the Committee on Finance, to which was re-referred

S.F. No. 2170: A bill for an act relating to real property; property surrounding the Coldwater Springs area in the city of Minneapolis; authorizing acquisition and requiring transfer by the metropolitan airports commission of the property; amending Minnesota Statutes 2000, section 473.608, by adding a subdivision.

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

Page 2, line 5, after the first comma, insert "Carver,"

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

Senator Johnson, Doug from the Committee on Finance, to which was re-referred

S.F. No. 1908: A bill for an act relating to human services; excluding the raw food cost adjustment from certain nursing facility rate computations; amending Minnesota Statutes 2000, section 256B.431, by adding a subdivision.

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

Page 1, line 12, after "array" insert ", determining a median, or otherwise performing a statistical measure"

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

Senator Johnson, Doug from the Committee on Finance, to which was referred

S.F. No. 648: A bill for an act relating to claims against the state; providing for payment of various claims; appropriating money.

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

Delete everything after the enacting clause and insert:

"Section 1. [ATTORNEY GENERAL.]

\$11,929.01 is appropriated from the general fund to the attorney general for payment to Eveleth Hospital Corporation, Eveleth, Minnesota, in full and final payment of its claim against the state for expenses related to legal advice given by the attorney general's office. This appropriation is available until June 30, 2002.

Sec. 2. [DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTIONS.]

Subdivision 1. [COMMUNITY SERVICE AND SENTENCING TO SERVICE WORK.] The amounts in this subdivision are appropriated from the general fund to the commissioner of corrections for payment under Minnesota Statutes, section 3.739, to service providers as indicated in full and final payment of claims against the state for medical services provided to individuals who were injured while performing community service or sentencing to service work for correctional purposes. These appropriations are available until June 30, 2002.

(a) For claims under \$500 each and other claims already paid by the department, \$5,885.39.

(b) For medical services provided to Carlos Block, who was injured while performing sentencing to service work in Hennepin county, \$760.85.

(c) For medical services provided to Timothy Burke, who was injured while performing sentencing to service work in McLeod county, \$576.17.

(d) For medical services provided to Roger Pearson, who was injured while performing sentencing to service work in Washington county, \$565.92, including reimbursement of \$71.68 to Mr. Pearson for bills he has already paid.

(e) For medical services provided to Phillip Piper, who was injured while performing sentencing to service work in Goodhue county, \$1,044.36.

(f) For medical services provided to James Wagner, who was injured while performing sentencing to service work in Todd county, \$1,585.85.

Subd. 2. [INSTITUTIONAL COMMUNITY WORK CREW PROGRAM.] \$2,049.86 is appropriated from the general fund to the commissioner of corrections for payment for medical services provided to Michael Murphy, who was injured while participating in the institutional community work crew program. This appropriation is available until June 30, 2002.

Sec. 3. [DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES.]

\$7,600 is appropriated from the general fund to the commissioner of human services for payment under Minnesota Statutes, section 3.738, as full and final payment of a claim against the state by Kelly James Maurer, who suffered permanent injuries to his left hand while an inmate at the St. Peter Regional Treatment Center. This appropriation is available until June 30, 2002.

Sec. 4. [DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES.]

The amounts in this section are appropriated from the general fund to the commissioner of natural resources for payment to the persons named in this section in full and final payment of claims against the state for the reasons given. These appropriations are available until June 30, 2002.

(a) Charles G. Born of Janesville, Minnesota, to pay for crop losses caused by the elevated level of Willis Lake \$9,423.25.

(b) Rex Campbell of Gray Eagle, Minnesota, to pay for income lost because of enforcement of invalid rules \$20,000.

(c) Leonard Korbel of New Prague, Minnesota, to pay for the reduced value of property subject to an unrecorded easement \$28,300.

(d) St. Croix Valley Heritage Coalition, Inc., to reimburse that organization for costs it incurred as part of a project entered into in partnership with the department of natural resources which was

abandoned because of unique concerns raised by the federal government and Wisconsin officials ... \$75,000.

(e) Waseca county, to pay for road damage caused by the elevated level of Willis Lake ... \$2,745.25.

Sec. 5. [PUBLIC EMPLOYEES RETIREMENT ASSOCIATION.]

\$69,637.02 is appropriated from the general fund to the Public Employees Retirement Association, for the benefit of Deborah Montgomery of St. Paul, Minnesota, in full and final payment of her claim against the state for inadvertent diminution of her pension benefits while she was serving as assistant commissioner of public safety. This appropriation is available until June 30, 2002.

Sec. 6. [DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE.]

\$13,098.84 is appropriated from the general fund to the commissioner of revenue for payment to GOCO Salons, Inc. of Minnetonka, Minnesota, in full and final payment of its claim against the state for a sales and use tax overpayment. This appropriation is available until June 30, 2002.

Sec. 7. [DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION.]

\$439.52 is appropriated from the general fund to the commissioner of transportation for payment to Joann Danelski of Superior, Wisconsin, in full and final payment of her claim against the state for damage to her car caused by unique circumstances related to actions of an unknown driver who knocked severely deteriorated curbing into the roadway of a highway entrance ramp in Duluth, Minnesota. This appropriation is available until June 30, 2002.

Sec. 8. [MURRAY COUNTY.]

Murray county may reimburse Howard Van Roekel of Chandler, Minnesota, for property taxes mistakenly overpaid from 1985 through 1995 because of failure to grant homestead classification to all of Mr. Van Roekel's property.

Sec. 9. [WILLIS LAKE.]

Notwithstanding Minnesota Statutes, section 97A.101, subdivision 2, Willis Lake in Waseca county is hereby designated as a wildlife management lake to be managed by the department of natural resources under Minnesota Statutes, section 97A.101, pursuant to the lake management plan prepared by the division of wildlife on April 16, 2001."

Delete the title and insert:

"A bill for an act relating to claims against the state; providing for payment of various claims; granting authority to Murray county; designating a lake as a wildlife management lake; appropriating money."

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

Senator Johnson, Doug from the Committee on Finance, to which was re-referred

S.F. No. 1485: A bill for an act relating to commerce; providing for the licensing of money transmitters; prescribing the powers and duties of the commissioner; amending Minnesota Statutes 2000, section 48.151; proposing coding for new law as Minnesota Statutes, chapter 53B.

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

Page 3, line 19, after "a" insert "prepaid telephone card, electronic benefits transfer card, or any other"

Page 14, line 21, before "Any" insert "(a)" and delete "or authorized delegate"

Page 14, line 24, before "Any" insert:

"(b)" and delete "or authorized"

Page 14, line 25, delete "delegate"

Page 14, line 31, before "Maintenance" insert:

"(c)"

Page 16, line 33, before the period, insert "and that as a part of that supervision and regulation, the commissioner may require the licensee to cancel an authorized delegate contract as a result of a violation of section 53B.21"

Page 16, line 34, delete "DELEGATES" and insert "DELEGATE CONTRACT"

Page 17, delete lines 8 to 21 and insert:

"(b) An authorized delegate shall conduct its money transmission activities in a safe and sound manner.

(c) An authorized delegate shall cooperate with an investigation conducted by the commissioner under this chapter by providing any relevant information in its possession that the commissioner cannot reasonably obtain from another source."

Page 17, line 22, delete "(e)" and insert "(d)"

Page 17, line 25, delete everything after "contract"

Page 17, line 26, delete everything before the period

Page 17, line 27, delete "(f)" and insert "(e)"

Page 18, delete lines 3 to 5

Page 18, line 6, delete "(h)" and insert "(f)"

Pages 18 and 19, delete section 23

Page 19, line 10, delete "[53B.23]" and insert "[53B.22]"

Page 19, line 16, delete "[53B.24]" and insert "[53B.23]"

Page 19, line 19, delete "[53B.25]" and insert "[53B.24]"

Page 19, line 21, delete "[53B.26]" and insert "[53B.25]"

Page 19, line 27, delete "[53B.27]" and insert "[53B.26]"

Renumber the sections in sequence

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

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

H.F. No. 1155 for comparison with companion Senate File, reports the following House File was found not identical with companion Senate File as follows:

GENERAL ORDERS

H.F. No. 1155
S.F. No. 1081

CONSENT CALENDAR

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

CALENDAR

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

Pursuant to Rule 45, the Committee on Rules and Administration recommends that H.F. No. 1155 be amended as follows:

Delete all the language after the enacting clause of H.F. No. 1155 and insert the language after the enacting clause of S.F. No. 1081, the second engrossment; further, delete the title of H.F. No. 1155 and insert the title of S.F. No. 1081, the second engrossment.

And when so amended H.F. No. 1155 will be identical to S.F. No. 1081, and further recommends that H.F. No. 1155 be given its second reading and substituted for S.F. No. 1081, and that the Senate File be indefinitely postponed.

Pursuant to Rule 45, 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.

Senator Johnson, Doug from the Committee on Finance, to which was re-referred

S.F. No. 1541: A bill for an act relating to commerce; regulating currency exchanges, real estate brokers, real property appraisers, subdivided land sales licenses, residential contractors, and collection agencies; modifying certain continuing education requirements; regulating certain fees, costs, duties, rights, and penalties; regulating nonprofit corporations; amending Minnesota Statutes 2000, sections 45.0295; 53A.081, subdivision 2; 60K.19, subdivision 8; 72B.04, subdivisions 6, 7; 80B.03, subdivision 4a; 82.195, subdivision 2; 82.196, subdivision 2; 82.197, subdivisions 1, 4, by adding a subdivision; 82.22, subdivision 13; 82.24, subdivision 8; 82.27, subdivision 3; 82.34, subdivision 15; 82B.14; 83.25, subdivision 1; 317A.203; 326.91, subdivision 1; 326.975, subdivision 1; 332.41; 359.02; 507.45, subdivision 3.

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

Page 2, after line 6, insert:

"Sec. 3. Minnesota Statutes 2000, section 58.10, subdivision 1, is amended to read:

Subdivision 1. [AMOUNTS.] The following fees must be paid to the commissioner:

(1) for an initial residential mortgage originator license, ~~\$800~~ \$850, \$50 of which is credited to the consumer education account in the special revenue fund;

(2) for a renewal license, ~~\$400~~ \$450, \$50 of which is credited to the consumer education account in the special revenue fund;

(3) for an initial residential mortgage servicer's license, \$1,000;

(4) for a renewal license, \$500; and

(5) for a certificate of exemption, \$100.

Sec. 4. Minnesota Statutes 2000, section 58.10, is amended by adding a subdivision to read:

Subd. 3. [CONSUMER EDUCATION ACCOUNT; MONEY CREDITED AND APPROPRIATED.] (a) The consumer education account is created in the special revenue fund. Money credited to this account may be appropriated to the commissioner for the purpose of making grants to programs and campaigns designed to help consumers avoid being victimized by unscrupulous lenders and mortgage brokers. Preference shall be given to programs and campaigns designed by coalitions of public sector, private sector, and nonprofit agencies, institutions, companies, and organizations.

(b) A sum sufficient is appropriated annually from the consumer education account to the commissioner to make the grants described in paragraph (a)."

Page 16, line 1, strike "or" and after the second "laws" insert ", or courses designed to help licensees to meet the housing needs of immigrant and other underserved populations"

Page 18, after line 1, insert:

"Sec. 17. Minnesota Statutes 2000, section 82.34, is amended by adding a subdivision to read:

Subd. 7a. [ACCELERATED CLAIMS PAYMENT.] (a) The commissioner shall pay claims from the recovery portion of the fund that do not exceed the jurisdiction limits for conciliation court matters as specified in section 491A.01 on an accelerated basis if all of the requirements in subdivision 7 and paragraphs (b) to (f) have been satisfied.

(b) When any aggrieved person as defined in subdivision 7 obtains a judgment in any court of competent jurisdiction, regardless of whether the judgment has been discharged by a bankruptcy court against a licensee on grounds specified in subdivision 7, the aggrieved person may file a verified application with the commissioner for payment out of the recovery portion of the fund of the amount of actual and direct out-of-pocket loss in the transaction, but excluding any attorney fees, interest on the loss, and on any judgment obtained as a result of the loss, up to the conciliation court jurisdiction limits, of the amount unpaid upon the judgment. For purposes of this section, persons who are joint tenants or tenants in common are deemed to be a single claimant.

(c) The commissioner shall send the licensee a copy of the verified application by first-class mail to the licensee's address as it appears in the records of the department of commerce with a notice that the claim will be paid 15 days from the date of the notice unless the licensee notifies the commissioner before that date of the commencement of an appeal of the judgment, if the time for appeal has not expired, and that payment of the claim will result in automatic suspension of the licensee's license.

(d) If the licensee does not notify the commissioner of the commencement of an appeal, the commissioner shall pay the claim at the end of the 15-day period.

(e) If an appeal is commenced, the payment of the claim is stayed until the conclusion of the appeal.

(f) The commissioner may pay claims which total no more than \$50,000 against the licensee under this accelerated process. The commissioner may prorate the amount of claims paid under this subdivision if claims in excess of \$50,000 against the licensee are submitted. Any unpaid portions of these claims must be satisfied in the manner set forth in subdivision 7."

Page 18, line 20, delete "\$6,000,000" and insert "\$2,000,000"

Page 19, delete section 17

Page 24, after line 34, insert:

"Sec. 26. [STUDY; FAIR HOUSING TRAINING.]

The commissioner of commerce shall examine the issue of whether licensed occupations under the jurisdiction of the department and related to the purchase or financing of residential housing, including, but not limited to, appraisers, and employees of licensed mortgage originators and servicers, should be required to attend continuing education courses in state and federal fair housing law, and other antidiscrimination laws, in order to further consumer protection. The commissioner shall report the results of the examination to the commerce committees of the legislature by February 1, 2002.

Sec. 27. [APPROPRIATION.]

Up to \$1,000,000 is appropriated from the real estate education, research, and recovery fund established under Minnesota Statutes, section 82.34, to the department of commerce for an educational campaign aimed at fair housing and housing-related antidiscrimination initiatives. The appropriation must be used for educating real estate licensees and for a public information campaign across the state on consumer's rights under current fair housing laws. The educational campaign may include, but is not limited to, television and radio advertisements and printed material. The materials used for the public information campaign may be prepared in multiple languages if necessary."

Page 24, line 36, delete "6, 11, 16, and 23" and insert "8, 13, 19, and 25"

Page 25, line 1, delete "12 and 17 are" and insert "3 and 4 are repealed January 1, 2003. Section 14 is"

Page 25, line 2, delete "20" and insert "22"

Renumber the sections in sequence

Amend the title as follows:

Page 1, line 10, after the first semicolon, insert "58.10, subdivision 1, by adding a subdivision;"

Page 1, line 14, after "15" insert ", by adding a subdivision"

Page 1, line 15, delete "83.25, subdivision 1;"

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

SECOND READING OF SENATE BILLS

S.F. Nos. 829, 619, 765, 264, 2170, 1908, 648, 1485 and 1541 were read the second time.

SECOND READING OF HOUSE BILLS

H.F. No. 1155 was read the second time.

RECESS

Senator Moe, R.D. moved that the Senate do now recess until 10:30 a.m. to receive the address to the Legislature by His Holiness the Dalai Lama. The motion prevailed.

The hour of 10:30 a.m. having arrived, the President called the Senate to order.

CALL OF THE SENATE

Senator Betzold imposed a call of the Senate. The Sergeant at Arms was instructed to bring in the absent members.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS

Without objection, remaining on the Order of Business of Motions and Resolutions, the Senate reverted to the Orders of Business of Messages From the House and First Reading of House Bills.

MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE

Mr. President:

I have the honor to announce the passage by the House of the following Senate Files, herewith returned: S.F. Nos. 1441, 1008 and 1404.

Edward A. Burdick, Chief Clerk, House of Representatives

Returned May 8, 2001

Mr. President:

I have the honor to announce that the House refuses to concur in the Senate amendments to House File No. 2486:

H.F. No. 2486: A bill for an act relating to state government; appropriating money for economic development, housing, and certain agencies of state government; establishing and modifying programs; transferring certain duties and funds; establishing an account; consolidating housing programs; regulating activities and practices; modifying fees; making conforming changes; requiring reports; revising certain provisions involving state regulation of private health coverage; transferring certain regulatory control; establishing requirements for managed care plans; codifying reorganization order No. 181; transferring the remaining duties of the commissioner of public service to the commissioner of commerce; instructing the revisor to change certain terms; modifying provisions of the Minnesota Electrical Act; providing for power limited technician licensing; amending Minnesota Statutes 2000, sections 3C.12, subdivision 2; 13.679; 15.01; 15.06, subdivision 1; 15A.0815, subdivision 2; 16B.32, subdivision 2; 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268.979; 268.98; 326.01, subdivision 6d; 326.2421, subdivisions 3, 4, 6, 8; 462A.201, subdivision 4; 462A.207; 462A.209, subdivision 4; 462A.21, subdivision 17; 462A.221, subdivision 4; 462A.30, subdivision 2; 462A.33, subdivisions 4, 6, 7; Minnesota Rules, parts 3800.3500, subpart 12; 4685.0801, subpart 7; 4685.1010; 4685.1300; 4685.1900; 4685.2000; 4685.2200, subpart 3; 4685.1105; 4685.1110; 4685.1115; 4685.1120; 4685.1125; 4685.1130.

The House respectfully requests that a Conference Committee of 5 members be appointed thereon.

McElroy, Gunther, Gerlach, Linder and Clark, K. have been appointed as such committee on the part of the House.

House File No. 2486 is herewith transmitted to the Senate with the request that the Senate appoint a like committee.

Edward A. Burdick, Chief Clerk, House of Representatives

Transmitted May 8, 2001

Senator Cohen moved that the Senate accede to the request of the House for a Conference Committee on H.F. No. 2486, and that a Conference Committee of 5 members be appointed by the Subcommittee on Committees on the part of the Senate, to act with a like Conference Committee appointed on the part of the House. The motion prevailed.

Mr. President:

I have the honor to announce the passage by the House of the following House Files, herewith transmitted: H.F. Nos. 1406, 1407, 1973, 1941 and 783.

Edward A. Burdick, Chief Clerk, House of Representatives

Transmitted May 8, 2001

FIRST READING OF HOUSE BILLS

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

H.F. No. 1406: A bill for an act relating to health; establishing maternal death reviews; amending Minnesota Statutes 2000, section 13.3806, by adding a subdivision; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 145; repealing Minnesota Statutes 2000, sections 13.3806, subdivision 19; and 145.90.

Referred to the Committee on Rules and Administration for comparison with S.F. No. 1398, now on General Orders.

H.F. No. 1407: A bill for an act relating to health; modifying provisions for public health collaboration plans; modifying rural hospital programs eligibility; transferring certain enforcement authority related to the provision of funeral goods and services; repealing professional boxing regulation; amending Minnesota Statutes 2000, sections 62Q.075; 144.147, subdivision 1; 144.148, subdivision 1; 144.1483; 149A.01, by adding a subdivision; 149A.02, subdivision 14, by adding a subdivision; 149A.11; 149A.62; 149A.71, subdivision 4; 149A.97, subdivision 8; repealing Minnesota Statutes 2000, section 144.994; Laws 2000, chapter 488, article 2, section 26.

Referred to the Committee on Rules and Administration for comparison with S.F. No. 1415, now on General Orders.

H.F. No. 1973: A bill for an act relating to transportation; regulating state highways in municipalities; making conforming changes; amending Minnesota Statutes 2000, sections 160.85, subdivision 3; and 161.1245, subdivision 4; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 161; repealing Minnesota Statutes 2000, sections 161.17; 161.171; 161.172; 161.173; 161.174; 161.175; 161.176; 161.177; and 473.181, subdivision 1.

Referred to the Committee on Rules and Administration for comparison with S.F. No. 2106.

H.F. No. 1941: A bill for an act relating to economic development; clarifying provisions in the job skills partnership program; amending Minnesota Statutes 2000, sections 116L.02; 116L.04, subdivision 1a; and 116L.06, subdivision 5.

Referred to the Committee on Rules and Administration for comparison with S.F. No. 1899, now on General Orders.

H.F. No. 783: A bill for an act relating to crime prevention; specifying that peace officers' use of less lethal munitions does not constitute deadly force; amending Minnesota Statutes 2000, section 609.066, subdivision 1.

Referred to the Committee on Rules and Administration for comparison with S.F. No. 1244, now on General Orders.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS - CONTINUED

Without objection, remaining on the Order of Business of Motions and Resolutions, the Senate reverted to the Order of Business of Messages From the House.

MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE

Mr. President:

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

S.F. No. 103: A bill for an act relating to civil actions; providing civil remedies for receiving motor fuel from a motor fuel retail business without paying for it; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 332.

Senate File No. 103 is herewith returned to the Senate.

Edward A. Burdick, Chief Clerk, House of Representatives

Returned May 8, 2001

Senator Larson moved that the Senate do not concur in the amendments by the House to S.F. No. 103, and that a Conference Committee of 3 members be appointed by the Subcommittee on Committees on the part of the Senate, to act with a like Conference Committee to be appointed on the part of the House. The motion prevailed.

Mr. President:

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

S.F. No. 1394: A bill for an act relating to human services; changing child placement provisions; modifying provisions governing child maltreatment investigations; classifying data and authorizing data sharing; amending Minnesota Statutes 2000, sections 13.319, by adding a subdivision; 13.32, subdivision 3; 13.43, by adding a subdivision; 13.46, subdivision 2; 119B.02, by adding a subdivision; 256.01, subdivision 2; 256.045, subdivision 3b; 260C.007, subdivisions 4, 14, and by adding subdivisions; 260C.141, subdivision 2; 260C.151, subdivision 6; 260C.178, subdivisions 1 and 7; 260C.193, subdivision 3; 260C.201, subdivisions 1, 2, 5, 6, 7, 10, 11, and by adding a subdivision; 260C.205; 260C.212, subdivisions 1, 2, 4, 5, 7, 8, and 9; 260C.215, subdivision 6; 260C.301, subdivisions 1, 4, and 8; 260C.312; 260C.317, subdivision 3; and 260C.325, subdivision 4; 626.556, subdivisions 2, 3, 4, 7, 10, 10b, 10d, 10e, 10i, 10j, 11;

proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 256F; repealing Minnesota Statutes 2000, sections 260C.325, subdivision 2; and 626.5565.

Senate File No. 1394 is herewith returned to the Senate.

Edward A. Burdick, Chief Clerk, House of Representatives

Returned May 8, 2001

Senator Frederickson, for Senator Kiscaden, moved that the Senate do not concur in the amendments by the House to S.F. No. 1394, and that a Conference Committee of 3 members be appointed by the Subcommittee on Committees on the part of the Senate, to act with a like Conference Committee to be appointed on the part of the House. The motion prevailed.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS - CONTINUED

Senator Moe, R.D. moved that S.F. No. 2106 be taken from the table and returned to General Orders. The motion prevailed.

S.F. No. 2106: A bill for an act relating to transportation; regulating state highways in municipalities; making conforming changes; amending Minnesota Statutes 2000, sections 160.85, subdivision 3; and 161.1245, subdivision 4; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 161; repealing Minnesota Statutes 2000, sections 161.17; 161.171; 161.172; 161.173; 161.174; 161.175; 161.176; 161.177; and 473.181, subdivision 1.

Without objection, remaining on the Order of Business of Motions and Resolutions, the Senate proceeded to the Order of Business of Introduction and First Reading of Senate Bills.

INTRODUCTION AND FIRST READING OF SENATE BILLS

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

Senator Lesewski introduced--

S.F. No. 2371: A bill for an act relating to capital improvements; authorizing spending to acquire and to better public land and buildings and other public improvements of a capital nature; authorizing a grant to the city of Luverne for the Carnegie Regional Cultural Center; authorizing issuance of bonds; appropriating money.

Referred to the Committee on Finance.

Senator Johnson, Dean introduced--

S.F. No. 2372: A bill for an act relating to state government; adding circumstances under which collection entity costs may be canceled; amending Minnesota Statutes 2000, section 16D.11, subdivision 3.

Referred to the Committee on State and Local Government Operations.

Senator Marty introduced--

S.F. No. 2373: A resolution memorializing the President and Congress to stop Major League Baseball from demanding taxpayer subsidies under threats of moving teams or contraction of teams; encouraging diligent effort and sincere and open negotiations with Major League Baseball to preserve the Minnesota Twins for Minnesota's future; encouraging private stadium financing; and requesting Major League Baseball reform its economy and implement comprehensive revenue sharing, so teams do not need public subsidies from taxpayers.

Referred to the Committee on Rules and Administration.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS - CONTINUED

SPECIAL ORDERS

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

S.F. Nos. 179, 1249 and 2142.

SPECIAL ORDER

S.F. No. 179: A bill for an act relating to civil commitment; requiring certain hearings on neuroleptic medications to be combined with a civil commitment proceeding; amending Minnesota Statutes 2000, sections 253B.066, subdivision 1; 253B.07, subdivision 2.

Was read the third time and placed on its final passage.

The question was taken on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and there were yeas 63 and nays 0, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Anderson	Frederickson	Langseth	Orfield	Sams
Bachmann	Higgins	Larson	Ourada	Samuelson
Belanger	Johnson, Dave	Lesewski	Pappas	Scheevel
Berg	Johnson, Dean	Lessard	Pariseau	Scheid
Berglin	Johnson, Debbie	Limmer	Pogemiller	Schwab
Betzold	Johnson, Doug	Lourey	Price	Stevens
Chaudhary	Kelley, S.P.	Marty	Ranum	Stumpf
Cohen	Kelly, R.C.	Metzen	Reiter	Tomassoni
Day	Kierlin	Moe, R.D.	Rest	Vickerman
Dille	Kiscaden	Murphy	Ring	Wiener
Fischbach	Kleis	Neuville	Robertson	Wiger
Foley	Knutson	Oliver	Robling	
Fowler	Krentz	Olson	Sabo	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

SPECIAL ORDER

S.F. No. 1249: A bill for an act relating to utilities; modifying biomass mandate; amending Minnesota Statutes 2000, section 216B.2424, 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 61 and nays 0, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Anderson	Cohen	Higgins	Kiscaden	Lessard
Bachmann	Day	Johnson, Dave	Kleis	Limmer
Belanger	Dille	Johnson, Dean	Knutson	Lourey
Berg	Fischbach	Johnson, Debbie	Krentz	Marty
Berglin	Foley	Kelley, S.P.	Langseth	Metzen
Betzold	Fowler	Kelly, R.C.	Larson	Moe, R.D.
Chaudhary	Frederickson	Kierlin	Lesewski	Murphy

Neuville	Pariseau	Ring	Scheevel	Wiener
Oliver	Pogemiller	Robertson	Scheid	Wiger
Olson	Price	Robling	Schwab	
Orfield	Ranum	Sabo	Stevens	
Ourada	Reiter	Sams	Stumpf	
Pappas	Rest	Samuelson	Vickerman	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

SPECIAL ORDER

S.F. No. 2142: A bill for an act relating to highways; allowing judicial review of public purpose and necessity for taking property for county highway or town road; amending Minnesota Statutes 2000, sections 163.12, subdivision 2, by adding subdivisions; 164.07, subdivisions 1, 2, 7, 10.

Senator Kelly, R.C. moved to amend S.F. No. 2142 as follows:

Page 4, line 31, before "condemnation" insert "proposed road or"

Page 5, line 4, before "condemnation" insert "proposed road or"

The motion prevailed. So the amendment was adopted.

S.F. No. 2142 was read the third time, as amended, and placed on its final passage.

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

The roll was called, and there were yeas 64 and nays 0, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Anderson	Frederickson	Langseth	Orfield	Sams
Bachmann	Higgins	Larson	Ourada	Samuelson
Belanger	Hottinger	Lesewski	Pappas	Scheevel
Berg	Johnson, Dave	Lessard	Pariseau	Scheid
Berglin	Johnson, Dean	Limmer	Pogemiller	Schwab
Betzold	Johnson, Debbie	Lourey	Price	Stevens
Chaudhary	Kelley, S.P.	Marty	Ranum	Stumpf
Cohen	Kelly, R.C.	Metzen	Reiter	Terwilliger
Day	Kierlin	Moe, R.D.	Rest	Tomassoni
Dille	Kiscaden	Murphy	Ring	Vickerman
Fischbach	Kleis	Neuville	Robertson	Wiener
Foley	Knutson	Oliver	Robling	Wiger
Fowler	Krentz	Olson	Sabo	

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

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS - CONTINUED

Senator Olson moved that her name be stricken as a co-author to S.F. No. 2298. The motion prevailed.

RECESS

Senator Moe, R.D. moved that the Senate do now recess subject to the call of the President. The motion prevailed.

After a brief recess, the President called the Senate to order.

APPOINTMENTS

Senator Moe, R.D. from the Subcommittee on Committees recommends that the following Senators be and they hereby are appointed as a Conference Committee on:

S.F. No. 1394: Senators Kiscaden, Ranum and Knutson.

H.F. No. 2486: Senators Anderson; Cohen; Johnson, Dave; Lesewski and Orfield.

S.F. No. 103: Senators Larson, Marty and Scheid.

Senator Moe, R.D. moved that the foregoing appointments be approved. The motion prevailed.

MEMBERS EXCUSED

Senator Lessard was excused from the Session of today from 8:00 to 10:30 a.m. Senator Reiter was excused from the Session of today from 8:00 to 9:45 and 10:40 to 11:00 a.m.

ADJOURNMENT

Senator Moe, R.D. moved that the Senate do now adjourn until 9:00 a.m., Thursday, May 10, 2001. The motion prevailed.

Patrick E. Flahaven, Secretary of the Senate

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