

## JOURNAL OF THE HOUSE

## Sixtieth Legislative Assembly

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Bismarck, April 4, 2007

The House convened at 9:30 a.m., with Speaker Delzer presiding.

The prayer was offered by Pastor Bill Bradley with Evangelical Congregational Church, Glen Ullin.

The roll was called and all members were present except Representatives Froelich, Nottestad, and Thorpe.

A quorum was declared by the Speaker.

**CORRECTION AND REVISION OF THE JOURNAL**

**MR. SPEAKER:** Your **Committee on Correction and Revision of the Journal (Rep. Kretschmar, Chairman)** has carefully examined the Journal of the Forty-sixth Day and recommends that it be corrected as follows and when so corrected, recommends that it be approved:

Page 937, line 24, replace "Baseball" with "Basketball"

**REP. KRETSCHMAR MOVED** that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed.

**CONSIDERATION OF MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE**

**REP. BELTER MOVED** that the House do not concur in the Senate amendments to Engrossed HB 1029 as printed on HJ pages 857-858 and that a conference committee be appointed to meet with a like committee from the Senate, which motion prevailed on a voice vote.

**APPOINTMENT OF CONFERENCE COMMITTEE**

**THE SPEAKER APPOINTED** as a Conference Committee on Engrossed HB 1029: Reps. Froseth, Owens, Schmidt.

**CONSIDERATION OF MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE**

**REP. SVEDJAN MOVED** that the House do not concur in the Senate amendments to Engrossed HB 1004 as printed on HJ pages 1370-1372 and that a conference committee be appointed to meet with a like committee from the Senate, which motion prevailed on a voice vote.

**APPOINTMENT OF CONFERENCE COMMITTEE**

**THE SPEAKER APPOINTED** as a Conference Committee on Engrossed HB 1004: Reps. Bellew, Kreidt, Kerzman.

**CONSIDERATION OF MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE**

**REP. SVEDJAN MOVED** that the House do not concur in the Senate amendments to Engrossed HB 1007 as printed on HJ pages 1373-1374 and that a conference committee be appointed to meet with a like committee from the Senate, which motion prevailed on a voice vote.

**APPOINTMENT OF CONFERENCE COMMITTEE**

**THE SPEAKER APPOINTED** as a Conference Committee on Engrossed HB 1007: Reps. Kreidt, Nelson, Metcalf.

**CONSIDERATION OF MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE**

**REP. SVEDJAN MOVED** that the House do not concur in the Senate amendments to Engrossed HB 1016 as printed on HJ pages 1391-1393 and that a conference committee be appointed to meet with a like committee from the Senate, which motion prevailed on a voice vote.

**APPOINTMENT OF CONFERENCE COMMITTEE**

**THE SPEAKER APPOINTED** as a Conference Committee on Engrossed HB 1016: Reps. Klein, Wald, Gulleon.

**CONSIDERATION OF MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE**

**REP. SVEDJAN MOVED** that the House do not concur in the Senate amendments to Engrossed HB 1018 as printed on HJ pages 1374-1390 and that a conference committee be appointed to meet with a like committee from the Senate, which motion prevailed on a voice vote.

**APPOINTMENT OF CONFERENCE COMMITTEE**

**THE SPEAKER APPOINTED** as a Conference Committee on Engrossed HB 1018: Reps. Carlson, Skarphol, Glassheim.

**CONSIDERATION OF CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT**

**REP. KOPPELMAN MOVED** that the conference committee report on Engrossed HB 1507 as printed on HJ page 1358 be adopted, which motion prevailed on a voice vote.

Engrossed HB 1507, as amended, was placed on the Eleventh order.

**SECOND READING OF HOUSE BILL**

**HB 1507:** A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new section to chapter 44-04 and a new section to chapter 51-27 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to exempting electronic mail addresses and telephone numbers from open records requirements and to computer and internet fraud; to amend and reenact section 51-27-01 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to definitions; and to provide a penalty.

**ROLL CALL**

The question being on the final passage of the amended bill, which has been read, the roll was called and there were 91 YEAS, 0 NAYS, 0 EXCUSED, 3 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING.

**YEAS:** Aarsvold; Amerman; Bellew; Belter; Berg; Boe; Boehning; Boucher; Brandenburg; Carlisle; Carlson; Charging; Clark; Conrad; Dahl; Damschen; DeKrey; Delmore; Dietrich; Dosch; Drovda; Ekstrom; Froseth; Glassheim; Grande; Griffin; Gruchalla; Gulleon; Haas; Hanson; Hatlestad; Hawken; Headland; Heller; Herbel; Hofstad; Hunskor; Johnson, D.; Johnson, N.; Kaldor; Karls; Kasper; Keiser; Kelsch, R.; Kelsh, S.; Kempenich; Kerzman; Kingsbury; Klein; Klemin; Koppelman; Kreidt; Kretschmar; Kroeber; Martinson; Meier, L.; Metcalf; Meyer, S.; Monson; Mueller; Myxter; Nelson; Onstad; Owens; Pietsch; Pinkerton; Pollert; Porter; Potter; Price; Ruby; Schmidt; Schneider; Skarphol; Solberg; Sukut; Svedjan; Thoreson; Uglem; Vig; Vigesaa; Wald; Wall; Weiler; Weisz; Wieland; Williams; Wolf; Wrangham; Zaiser; Speaker Delzer

**ABSENT AND NOT VOTING:** Froelich; Nottestad; Thorpe

Reengrossed HB 1507 passed and the title was agreed to.

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**CONSIDERATION OF CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT**

**REP. DROVDAL MOVED** that the conference committee report on Engrossed HB 1402 as printed on HJ page 1357 be adopted, which motion prevailed on a voice vote.

Engrossed HB 1402, as amended, was placed on the Eleventh order.

**SECOND READING OF HOUSE BILL**

**HB 1402:** A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new subsection to section 20.1-02-05 and a new section to chapter 20.1-08 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to authority of the game and fish director to issue hunting licenses to a nonprofit organization and to establish once-in-a-lifetime hunting opportunities for terminally ill children.

**ROLL CALL**

The question being on the final passage of the amended bill, which has been read, the roll was called and there were 91 YEAS, 0 NAYS, 0 EXCUSED, 3 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING.

**YEAS:** Aarsvold; Amerman; Bellew; Belter; Berg; Boe; Boehning; Boucher; Brandenburg; Carlisle; Carlson; Charging; Clark; Conrad; Dahl; Damschen; DeKrey; Delmore; Dietrich; Dosch; Drovda; Ekstrom; Froseth; Glassheim; Grande; Griffin; Gruchalla; Gulleon; Haas; Hanson; Hatlestad; Hawken; Headland; Heller; Herbel; Hofstad; Hunskor; Johnson, D.; Johnson, N.; Kaldor; Karls; Kasper; Keiser; Kelsch, R.; Kelsh, S.; Kempenich; Kerzman; Kingsbury; Klein; Klemin; Koppelman; Kreidt; Kretschmar; Kroeber; Martinson; Meier, L.; Metcalf; Meyer, S.; Monson; Mueller; Myxter; Nelson; Onstad; Owens; Pietsch; Pinkerton; Pollert; Porter; Potter; Price; Ruby; Schmidt; Schneider; Skarphol; Solberg; Sukut; Svedjan; Thoreson; Uglem; Vig; Vigesaa; Wald; Wall; Weiler; Weisz; Wieland; Williams; Wolf; Wrangham; Zaiser; Speaker Delzer

**ABSENT AND NOT VOTING:** Froelich; Nottestad; Thorpe

Reengrossed HB 1402 passed and the title was agreed to.

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**MESSAGE TO THE SENATE FROM THE HOUSE (BUELL J. REICH, CHIEF CLERK)**

**MR. PRESIDENT:** Your signature is respectfully requested on: HB 1056, HB 1060, HB 1129, HB 1134, HB 1136, HB 1138, HB 1147, HB 1155, HB 1160, HB 1195, HB 1227, HB 1229, HB 1241, HB 1258, HB 1282, HB 1293, HB 1295, HB 1304, HB 1312, HB 1315, HB 1360, HB 1434, HB 1446, HB 1472, HB 1483.

**MESSAGE TO THE SENATE FROM THE HOUSE (BUELL J. REICH, CHIEF CLERK)**

**MR. PRESIDENT:** The House does not concur in the Senate amendments to HB 1004, HB 1007, HB 1016, HB 1018, and HB 1029 and the Speaker has appointed as a conference committee to act with a like committee from the Senate on:

**HB 1004:** Reps. Bellew; Kreidt; Kerzman  
**HB 1007:** Reps. Kreidt; Nelson; Metcalf  
**HB 1016:** Reps. Klein; Wald; Gulleson  
**HB 1018:** Reps. Carlson; Skarphol; Glassheim  
**HB 1029:** Reps. Froseth; Owens; Schmidt

**MESSAGE TO THE HOUSE FROM THE SENATE (WILLIAM R. HORTON, SECRETARY)**

**MR. SPEAKER:** The President has appointed as a conference committee to act with a like committee from the House on:

**HB 1002:** Sens. Christmann; Kilzer; Tallackson  
**HB 1125:** Sens. Flakoll; G. Lee; Taylor  
**HB 1372:** Sens. G. Lee; Flakoll; Bakke  
**HB 1504:** Sens. Lyson; Nething; Marcellais

**MESSAGE TO THE HOUSE FROM THE SENATE (WILLIAM R. HORTON, SECRETARY)**

**MR. SPEAKER:** The Senate does not concur in the House amendments to SB 2021, SB 2186, and SB 2401 and the President has appointed as a conference committee to act with a like committee from the House on:

**SB 2021:** Sens. Krebsbach; Wardner; Tallackson  
**SB 2186:** Sens. J. Lee; Erbele; Heckaman  
**SB 2401:** Sens. G. Lee; Freborg; Taylor

**MESSAGE TO THE HOUSE FROM THE SENATE (WILLIAM R. HORTON, SECRETARY)**

**MR. SPEAKER:** The Senate has concurred in the House amendments and subsequently passed: SB 2070, SCR 4016, SCR 4022, SCR 4030, and SCR 4032.

**MESSAGE TO THE HOUSE FROM THE SENATE (WILLIAM R. HORTON, SECRETARY)**

**MR. SPEAKER:** The Senate has adopted the conference committee report and subsequently passed: SB 2062, SB 2222, SB 2251, SB 2389, SB 2406.

**MESSAGE TO THE HOUSE FROM THE SENATE (WILLIAM R. HORTON, SECRETARY)**

**MR. SPEAKER:** Your signature is respectfully requested on: SB 2129, SB 2268, SB 2310, SB 2336, SB 2338, SB 2397.

**MESSAGE TO THE SENATE FROM THE HOUSE (BUELL J. REICH, CHIEF CLERK)**

**MR. PRESIDENT:** The House has adopted the conference committee report and subsequently passed: HB 1402, HB 1507.

**MESSAGE TO THE SENATE FROM THE HOUSE (BUELL J. REICH, CHIEF CLERK)**

**MR. PRESIDENT:** The Speaker has signed: HCR 3045, HCR 3065.

**DELIVERY OF ENROLLED BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS**

The following resolutions were delivered to the Secretary of State for filing on April 4, 2007: HCR 3045, HCR 3065.

**ANNOUNCEMENT**

**SPEAKER DELZER ANNOUNCED** that the House stand in recess until 1:00 p.m..

**THE HOUSE RECONVENED** pursuant to recess taken, with Speaker Delzer presiding.

**CORRECTION AND REVISION OF THE JOURNAL**

**MR. SPEAKER:** Your **Committee on Correction and Revision of the Journal (Rep. Kretschmar, Chairman)** has carefully examined the Journal of the Sixty-second Day and recommends that it be corrected as follows and when so corrected, recommends that it be approved:

Page 1393, before line 38, insert:

**"MESSAGE TO THE HOUSE FROM THE SENATE (WILLIAM R. HORTON, SECRETARY)**

**MR. SPEAKER:** The Senate has concurred in the House amendments and subsequently passed: SB 2402."

**REP. KRETSCHMAR MOVED** that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed.

**COMMUNICATION FROM GOVERNOR JOHN HOEVEN**

This is to inform you that on April 3, 2007, I have signed the following: HB 1216 and HB 1217.

**CONSIDERATION OF MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE**

**REP. SVEDJAN MOVED** that the House do not concur in the Senate amendments to Engrossed HB 1021 as printed on HJ pages 1401-1403 and that a conference committee be appointed to meet with a like committee from the Senate, which motion prevailed on a voice vote.

**APPOINTMENT OF CONFERENCE COMMITTEE**

**THE SPEAKER APPOINTED** as a Conference Committee on Engrossed HB 1021: Reps. Skarphol, Thoreson, Glassheim.

**CONSIDERATION OF MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE**

**REP. KEISER MOVED** that the House do not concur in the Senate amendments to Engrossed HB 1403 as printed on HJ pages 1407-1408 and that a conference committee be appointed to meet with a like committee from the Senate, which motion prevailed on a voice vote.

**APPOINTMENT OF CONFERENCE COMMITTEE**

**THE SPEAKER APPOINTED** as a Conference Committee on Engrossed HB 1403: Reps. N. Johnson, Nottestad, Gruchalla.

**MOTION**

**REP. MONSON MOVED** that HB 1469, which is on the Twelfth order, be laid over one legislative day, which motion prevailed.

**MOTION**

**REP. MONSON MOVED** that Engrossed SB 2256, which is on the Fourteenth order, be rereferred to the **Judiciary Committee**, which motion prevailed. Pursuant to Rep. Monson's motion, Engrossed SB 2256 was rereferred.

**CONSIDERATION OF MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE**

**REP. HAAS MOVED** that the House do concur in the Senate amendments to Engrossed HB 1218 as printed on HJ page 1339, which motion prevailed on a voice vote.

Engrossed HB 1218, as amended, was placed on the Eleventh order of business.

**SECOND READING OF HOUSE BILL**

**HB 1218:** A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 43-09-11 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to qualifications of electricians; and to provide for a legislative council study.

**ROLL CALL**

The question being on the final passage of the amended bill, which has been read, the roll was called and there were 58 YEAS, 29 NAYS, 0 EXCUSED, 7 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING.

**YEAS:** Bellew; Belter; Berg; Boehning; Brandenburg; Carlisle; Carlson; Charging; Clark; Dahl; DeKrey; Dietrich; Dosch; Drovdal; Froseth; Grande; Haas; Hatlestad; Hawken; Headland; Heller; Herbel; Hofstad; Johnson, D.; Johnson, N.; Karls; Kasper; Keiser; Kelsch, R.; Kempenich; Kingsbury; Klein; Klemin; Koppelman; Kreidt; Kretschmar; Kroeber; Martinson; Meier, L.; Metcalf; Monson; Mueller; Nelson; Owens; Pietsch; Pollert; Porter; Potter; Ruby; Skarphol; Sukut; Svedjan; Thoreson; Uglem; Wald; Weiler; Weisz; Wieland

**NAYS:** Aarsvold; Amerman; Boe; Boucher; Conrad; Delmore; Ekstrom; Glassheim; Griffin; Gruchalla; Hanson; Hunskor; Kaldor; Kelsh, S.; Kerzman; Meyer, S.; Myxter; Onstad;

Schmidt; Schneider; Solberg; Vig; Vigesaa; Wall; Williams; Wolf; Wrangham; Zaiser; Speaker Delzer

**ABSENT AND NOT VOTING:** Damschen; Froelich; Gulleson; Nottestad; Pinkerton; Price; Thorpe

Reengrossed HB 1218 passed and the title was agreed to.

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#### CONSIDERATION OF MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE

**REP. SVEDJAN MOVED** that the House do concur in the Senate amendments to HB 1309 as printed on HJ page 1340, which motion prevailed on a voice vote.

HB 1309, as amended, was placed on the Eleventh order of business.

#### SECOND READING OF HOUSE BILL

**HB 1309:** A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new section to chapter 54-24.2 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to reimbursement for certain public libraries; and to provide an expiration date.

#### ROLL CALL

The question being on the final passage of the amended bill, which has been read, the roll was called and there were 88 YEAS, 0 NAYS, 0 EXCUSED, 6 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING.

**YEAS:** Aarsvold; Amerman; Bellew; Belter; Berg; Boe; Boehning; Boucher; Brandenburg; Carlisle; Carlson; Charging; Clark; Conrad; Dahl; DeKrey; Delmore; Dietrich; Dosch; Drovdal; Ekstrom; Froseth; Glassheim; Grande; Griffin; Gruchalla; Haas; Hanson; Hatlestad; Hawken; Headland; Heller; Herbel; Hofstad; Hunskor; Johnson, D.; Johnson, N.; Kaldor; Karls; Kasper; Keiser; Kelsch, R.; Kelsh, S.; Kempenich; Kerzman; Kingsbury; Klein; Klemin; Koppelman; Kreidt; Kretschmar; Kroeber; Martinson; Meier, L.; Metcalf; Meyer, S.; Monson; Mueller; Myxter; Nelson; Onstad; Owens; Pietsch; Pollert; Porter; Potter; Price; Ruby; Schmidt; Schneider; Skarphol; Solberg; Sukut; Svedjan; Thoreson; Uglem; Vig; Vigesaa; Wald; Wall; Weiler; Weisz; Wieland; Williams; Wolf; Wrangham; Zaiser; Speaker Delzer

**ABSENT AND NOT VOTING:** Damschen; Froelich; Gulleson; Nottestad; Pinkerton; Thorpe

Engrossed HB 1309 passed and the title was agreed to.

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#### CONSIDERATION OF MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE

**REP. HAAS MOVED** that the House do concur in the Senate amendments to Engrossed HB 1322 as printed on HJ page 1341, which motion prevailed on a voice vote.

Engrossed HB 1322, as amended, was placed on the Eleventh order of business.

#### SECOND READING OF HOUSE BILL

**HB 1322:** A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new section to chapter 32-12.2 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to indemnification and insurance provisions in state contracts.

#### ROLL CALL

The question being on the final passage of the amended bill, which has been read, the roll was called and there were 86 YEAS, 2 NAYS, 0 EXCUSED, 6 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING.

**YEAS:** Aarsvold; Amerman; Belter; Berg; Boe; Boehning; Boucher; Brandenburg; Carlisle; Carlson; Charging; Clark; Conrad; Dahl; DeKrey; Delmore; Dietrich; Dosch; Drovdal; Ekstrom; Froseth; Glassheim; Grande; Griffin; Gruchalla; Haas; Hanson; Hatlestad; Hawken; Headland; Heller; Herbel; Hofstad; Hunskor; Johnson, D.; Johnson, N.; Kaldor; Karls; Kasper; Keiser; Kelsch, R.; Kelsh, S.; Kempenich; Kerzman; Kingsbury; Klein; Klemin; Koppelman; Kreidt; Kretschmar; Kroeber; Martinson; Meier, L.; Metcalf; Meyer, S.; Monson; Mueller; Myxter; Nelson; Onstad; Owens; Pietsch; Pollert; Porter; Potter; Price; Ruby; Schmidt; Schneider; Skarphol; Solberg; Sukut; Svedjan; Thoreson; Uglem; Vig; Vigesaa; Wald; Wall; Weiler; Weisz; Wieland; Williams; Wolf; Zaiser; Speaker Delzer

**NAYS:** Bellew; Wrangham

**ABSENT AND NOT VOTING:** Damschen; Froelich; Gulleson; Nottestad; Pinkerton; Thorpe

Reengrossed HB 1322 passed and the title was agreed to.

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**CONSIDERATION OF MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE**

**REP. HERBEL MOVED** that the House do concur in the Senate amendments to Engrossed HB 1344 as printed on HJ page 1284, which motion prevailed on a voice vote.

Engrossed HB 1344, as amended, was placed on the Eleventh order of business.

**SECOND READING OF HOUSE BILL**

**HB 1344:** A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new section to chapter 24-07 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to section lines.

**ROLL CALL**

The question being on the final passage of the amended bill, which has been read, the roll was called and there were 88 YEAS, 0 NAYS, 0 EXCUSED, 6 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING.

**YEAS:** Aarsvold; Amerman; Bellew; Belter; Berg; Boe; Boehning; Boucher; Brandenburg; Carlisle; Carlson; Charging; Clark; Conrad; Dahl; DeKrey; Delmore; Dietrich; Dosch; Drovdal; Ekstrom; Froseth; Glassheim; Grande; Griffin; Gruchalla; Haas; Hanson; Hatlestad; Hawken; Headland; Heller; Herbel; Hofstad; Hunskor; Johnson, D.; Johnson, N.; Kaldor; Karls; Kasper; Keiser; Kelsch, R.; Kelsh, S.; Kempenich; Kerzman; Kingsbury; Klein; Klemin; Koppelman; Kreidt; Kretschmar; Kroeber; Martinson; Meier, L.; Metcalf; Meyer, S.; Monson; Mueller; Myxter; Nelson; Onstad; Owens; Pietsch; Pollert; Porter; Potter; Price; Ruby; Schmidt; Schneider; Skarphol; Solberg; Sukut; Svedjan; Thoreson; Uglem; Vig; Vigesaa; Wald; Wall; Weiler; Weisz; Wieland; Williams; Wolf; Wrangham; Zaiser; Speaker Delzer

**ABSENT AND NOT VOTING:** Damschen; Froelich; Gulleson; Nottestad; Pinkerton; Thorpe

Reengrossed HB 1344 passed and the title was agreed to.

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**CONSIDERATION OF MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE**

**REP. HERBEL MOVED** that the House do concur in the Senate amendments to HB 1392 as printed on HJ page 1407, which motion prevailed on a voice vote.

HB 1392, as amended, was placed on the Eleventh order of business.

**SECOND READING OF HOUSE BILL**

**HB 1392:** A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact subsection 2 of section 58-03-14 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the penalty for violation of zoning regulations in townships.

**ROLL CALL**

The question being on the final passage of the amended bill, which has been read, the roll was called and there were 61 YEAS, 28 NAYS, 0 EXCUSED, 5 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING.

**YEAS:** Aarsvold; Amerman; Berg; Boe; Boucher; Charging; Clark; Conrad; Damschen; DeKrey; Delmore; Dietrich; Ekstrom; Froseth; Glassheim; Griffin; Gruchalla; Haas; Hanson; Hatlestad; Hawken; Heller; Herbel; Hofstad; Hunskor; Johnson, D.; Johnson, N.; Kaldor; Karls; Keiser; Kelsh, S.; Kerzman; Kingsbury; Klein; Klemin; Koppelman; Kreidt; Kretschmar; Kroeber; Martinson; Metcalf; Monson; Mueller; Myxter; Nelson; Onstad; Owens; Pietsch; Potter; Schmidt; Schneider; Solberg; Sukut; Svedjan; Uglem; Vigesaa; Wall; Weisz; Williams; Wolf; Zaiser

**NAYS:** Bellew; Belter; Boehning; Brandenburg; Carlisle; Carlson; Dahl; Dosch; Drovdal; Grande; Headland; Kasper; Kelsch, R.; Kempenich; Meier, L.; Meyer, S.; Pollert; Porter; Price; Ruby; Skarphol; Thoreson; Vig; Wald; Weiler; Wieland; Wrangham; Speaker Delzer

**ABSENT AND NOT VOTING:** Froelich; Gulleson; Nottestad; Pinkerton; Thorpe

Engrossed HB 1392 passed and the title was agreed to.

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**CONSIDERATION OF MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE**

**REP. SVEDJAN MOVED** that the House do concur in the Senate amendments to Engrossed HB 1429 as printed on HJ page 1125, which motion prevailed on a voice vote.

Engrossed HB 1429, as amended, was placed on the Eleventh order of business.

**SECOND READING OF HOUSE BILL**

**HB 1429:** A BILL for an Act to provide a transfer and appropriation from the general fund; to amend and reenact section 54-27.2-01 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the budget stabilization fund; and to provide an effective date.

**ROLL CALL**

The question being on the final passage of the amended bill, which has been read, the roll was called and there were 87 YEAS, 2 NAYS, 0 EXCUSED, 5 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING.

**YEAS:** Aarsvold; Amerman; Bellew; Belter; Berg; Boe; Boehning; Boucher; Brandenburg; Carlisle; Carlson; Charging; Clark; Dahl; Damschen; DeKrey; Delmore; Dietrich; Dosch; Drovdal; Ekstrom; Froseth; Glassheim; Grande; Griffin; Gruchalla; Haas; Hanson; Hatlestad; Hawken; Headland; Heller; Herbel; Hofstad; Hunskor; Johnson, D.; Johnson, N.; Kaldor; Karls; Kasper; Keiser; Kelsch, R.; Kelsh, S.; Kempenich; Kerzman; Kingsbury; Klein; Klemin; Koppelman; Kreidt; Kretschmar; Kroeber; Martinson; Meier, L.; Metcalf; Meyer, S.; Monson; Mueller; Myxter; Nelson; Onstad; Owens; Pietsch; Pollert; Porter; Potter; Price; Ruby; Schmidt; Schneider; Skarphol; Solberg; Sukut; Svedjan; Thoreson; Uglem; Vig; Vigesaa; Wald; Wall; Weiler; Weisz; Wieland; Williams; Wrangham; Zaiser; Speaker Delzer

**NAYS:** Conrad; Wolf

**ABSENT AND NOT VOTING:** Froelich; Gulleson; Nottestad; Pinkerton; Thorpe

Reengrossed HB 1429 passed and the title was agreed to.

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**CONSIDERATION OF MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE**

**REP. SVEDJAN MOVED** that the House do concur in the Senate amendments to Engrossed HB 1461 as printed on HJ page 1284, which motion prevailed on a voice vote.

Engrossed HB 1461, as amended, was placed on the Eleventh order of business.

**SECOND READING OF HOUSE BILL**

**HB 1461:** A BILL for an Act to create and enact two new sections to chapter 15-10 and a new subsection to section 54-35-15.2 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to higher education information technology, telecommunications and information services competition, and powers and duties of the information technology committee; and to amend and reenact sections 54-59-05, 54-59-09, and 54-59-11 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the information technology department, information technology standards, and information technology plans.

**ROLL CALL**

The question being on the final passage of the amended bill, which has been read, the roll was called and there were 89 YEAS, 0 NAYS, 0 EXCUSED, 5 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING.

**YEAS:** Aarsvold; Amerman; Bellew; Belter; Berg; Boe; Boehning; Boucher; Brandenburg; Carlisle; Carlson; Charging; Clark; Conrad; Dahl; Damschen; DeKrey; Delmore; Dietrich; Dosch; Drovdal; Ekstrom; Froseth; Glassheim; Grande; Griffin; Gruchalla; Haas; Hanson; Hatlestad; Hawken; Headland; Heller; Herbel; Hofstad; Hunskor; Johnson, D.; Johnson, N.; Kaldor; Karls; Kasper; Keiser; Kelsch, R.; Kelsh, S.; Kempenich; Kerzman; Kingsbury; Klein; Klemin; Koppelman; Kreidt; Kretschmar; Kroeber; Martinson; Meier, L.; Metcalf; Meyer, S.; Monson; Mueller; Myxter; Nelson; Onstad; Owens; Pietsch; Pollert; Porter; Potter; Price; Ruby; Schmidt; Schneider; Skarphol; Solberg; Sukut; Svedjan; Thoreson; Uglem; Vig; Vigesaa; Wald; Wall; Weiler; Weisz; Wieland; Williams; Wolf; Wrangham; Zaiser; Speaker Delzer

**ABSENT AND NOT VOTING:** Froelich; Gulleson; Nottestad; Pinkerton; Thorpe

Reengrossed HB 1461 passed and the title was agreed to.

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**CONSIDERATION OF MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE**

**REP. WEISZ MOVED** that the House do concur in the Senate amendments to HB 1465 as printed on HJ page 1410, which motion prevailed on a voice vote.

HB 1465, as amended, was placed on the Eleventh order of business.

**SECOND READING OF HOUSE BILL**

**HB 1465:** A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new subsection to section 39-01-01 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the definition of motor-powered recreational vehicles; and to amend and reenact sections 39-22-05.1, 39-22.3-01, 39-22.3-02, 39-22.3-03, 39-22.3-04, 39-22.3-05, 39-22.3-06, 39-22.3-07, 39-22.3-08, 39-22.3-09, and 39-22.3-10 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to deposit of dealer enforcement funds and the licensing of motor-powered recreational vehicle dealers.

**ROLL CALL**

The question being on the final passage of the amended bill, which has been read, the roll was called and there were 89 YEAS, 0 NAYS, 0 EXCUSED, 5 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING.

**YEAS:** Aarsvold; Amerman; Bellew; Belter; Berg; Boe; Boehning; Boucher; Brandenburg; Carlisle; Carlson; Charging; Clark; Conrad; Dahl; Damschen; DeKrey; Delmore; Dietrich; Dosch; Drovda; Ekstrom; Froseth; Glassheim; Grande; Griffin; Gruchalla; Haas; Hanson; Hatlestad; Hawken; Headland; Heller; Herbel; Hofstad; Hunskor; Johnson, D.; Johnson, N.; Kaldor; Karls; Kasper; Keiser; Kelsch, R.; Kelsh, S.; Kempenich; Kerzman; Kingsbury; Klein; Klemin; Koppelman; Kreidt; Kretschmar; Kroeber; Martinson; Meier, L.; Metcalf; Meyer, S.; Monson; Mueller; Myxter; Nelson; Onstad; Owens; Pietsch; Pollert; Porter; Potter; Price; Ruby; Schmidt; Schneider; Skarphol; Solberg; Sukut; Svedjan; Thoreson; Uglem; Vig; Vigesaa; Wald; Wall; Weiler; Weisz; Wieland; Williams; Wolf; Wrangham; Zaiser; Speaker Delzer

**ABSENT AND NOT VOTING:** Froelich; Gulleson; Nottestad; Pinkerton; Thorpe

Engrossed HB 1465 passed and the title was agreed to.

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**CONSIDERATION OF MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE**

**REP. DEKREY MOVED** that the House do concur in the Senate amendments to Engrossed HB 1499 as printed on HJ page 1112, which motion prevailed on a voice vote.

Engrossed HB 1499, as amended, was placed on the Eleventh order of business.

**SECOND READING OF HOUSE BILL**

**HB 1499:** A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new section to chapter 16.1-08.1 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to campaign finance reporting; and to amend and reenact subsections 8 and 10 of section 16.1-08.1-01 and subdivision a of subsection 2 of section 16.1-10-02 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the definition of a political committee and a political purpose.

**ROLL CALL**

The question being on the final passage of the amended bill, which has been read, the roll was called and there were 88 YEAS, 0 NAYS, 0 EXCUSED, 6 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING.

**YEAS:** Aarsvold; Amerman; Bellew; Belter; Berg; Boe; Boehning; Boucher; Brandenburg; Carlisle; Carlson; Charging; Clark; Conrad; Dahl; Damschen; DeKrey; Delmore; Dietrich; Dosch; Drovda; Ekstrom; Froseth; Glassheim; Grande; Griffin; Gruchalla; Haas; Hanson; Hatlestad; Hawken; Headland; Heller; Herbel; Hofstad; Hunskor; Johnson, D.; Johnson, N.; Kaldor; Karls; Kasper; Keiser; Kelsch, R.; Kelsh, S.; Kempenich; Kerzman; Kingsbury; Klein; Klemin; Koppelman; Kreidt; Kretschmar; Kroeber; Martinson; Meier, L.; Metcalf; Meyer, S.; Monson; Mueller; Myxter; Nelson; Onstad; Owens; Pietsch; Pollert; Porter; Potter; Price; Ruby; Schmidt; Schneider; Solberg; Sukut; Svedjan; Thoreson; Uglem; Vig; Vigesaa; Wald; Wall; Weiler; Weisz; Wieland; Williams; Wolf; Wrangham; Zaiser; Speaker Delzer

**ABSENT AND NOT VOTING:** Froelich; Gulleson; Nottestad; Pinkerton; Skarphol; Thorpe

Reengrossed HB 1499 passed and the title was agreed to.

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**CONSIDERATION OF MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE**

**REP. PRICE MOVED** that the House do concur in the Senate amendments to HCR 3046 as printed on HJ page 1341, which motion prevailed on a voice vote.

HCR 3046, as amended, was placed on the Eleventh order of business.

**SECOND READING OF HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION**

**HCR 3046:** A concurrent resolution directing the Legislative Council to study ways in which various public and private entities can cooperate with families to promote healthy lifestyles for children and create awareness about the interplay of healthy lifestyle choices and educational success.

The question being on the final passage of the amended bill, which has been read.

Engrossed HCR 3046 passed and the title was agreed to on a voice vote.

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**CONSIDERATION OF CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT**

**REP. WIELAND MOVED** that the conference committee report on Engrossed HB 1010 as printed on HJ pages 1421-1422 be adopted, which motion prevailed on a voice vote.

Engrossed HB 1010, as amended, was placed on the Eleventh order.

**SECOND READING OF HOUSE BILL**

**HB 1010:** A BILL for an Act to provide an appropriation for defraying the expenses of the council on the arts.

**ROLL CALL**

The question being on the final passage of the amended bill, which has been read, the roll was called and there were 77 YEAS, 11 NAYS, 0 EXCUSED, 6 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING.

**YEAS:** Aarsvold; Amerman; Bellew; Belter; Berg; Boe; Boehning; Boucher; Brandenburg; Carlisle; Carlson; Charging; Clark; Conrad; Dahl; Damschen; Delmore; Drovdal; Froseth; Glassheim; Grande; Griffin; Gruchalla; Haas; Hanson; Hatlestad; Hawken; Heller; Herbel; Hofstad; Hunsakor; Johnson, D.; Johnson, N.; Kaldor; Karls; Kasper; Keiser; Kelsch, R.; Kelsh, S.; Kerzman; Kingsbury; Klein; Klemin; Koppelman; Kreidt; Kretschmar; Kroeber; Martinson; Meier, L.; Metcalf; Meyer, S.; Monson; Mueller; Myxter; Nelson; Onstad; Owens; Pietsch; Pollert; Porter; Potter; Price; Schmidt; Schneider; Skarphol; Solberg; Sukut; Svedjan; Thoreson; Uglem; Vig; Wald; Wall; Wieland; Williams; Wolf; Wrangham

**NAYS:** DeKrey; Dietrich; Dosch; Ekstrom; Headland; Ruby; Vigesaa; Weiler; Weisz; Zaiser; Speaker Delzer

**ABSENT AND NOT VOTING:** Froelich; Gulleson; Kempenich; Nottestad; Pinkerton; Thorpe

Reengrossed HB 1010 passed and the title was agreed to.

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**REPORT OF CONFERENCE COMMITTEE**

**HB 1456, as engrossed:** Your conference committee (Sens. Lyson, Tollefson, Triplett and Reps. Porter, Brandenburg, S. Kelsh) recommends that the **SENATE RECEDE** from the Senate amendments on HJ page 1027, adopt amendments as follows, and place HB 1456 on the Seventh order:

That the Senate recede from its amendments as printed on page 1027 of the House Journal and page 780 of the Senate Journal and that Engrossed House Bill No. 1456 be amended as follows:

Page 1, line 1, after "siting" insert "and decommissioning"

Page 1, line 3, after "**SITING**" insert "**AND DECOMMISSIONING**"

Page 1, line 4, after "siting" insert "and decommissioning"

Page 1, line 8, remove "and"

Page 1, line 9, after "siting" insert "and reclamation of wind farm sites; and the decommissioning of wind farm sites"

Renumber accordingly

Engrossed HB 1456 was placed on the Seventh order of business on the calendar.

#### CONSIDERATION OF CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT

**REP. PORTER MOVED** that the conference committee report on Engrossed HB 1456 be adopted, which motion prevailed on a voice vote.

Engrossed HB 1456, as amended, was placed on the Eleventh order.

#### SECOND READING OF HOUSE BILL

**HB 1456:** A BILL for an Act to provide for a legislative council study of wind farm siting and decommissioning.

#### ROLL CALL

The question being on the final passage of the amended bill, which has been read, the roll was called and there were 88 YEAS, 1 NAYS, 0 EXCUSED, 5 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING.

**YEAS:** Aarsvold; Amerman; Bellew; Belter; Berg; Boe; Boehning; Boucher; Brandenburg; Carlisle; Carlson; Charging; Clark; Conrad; Dahl; Damschen; DeKrey; Delmore; Dietrich; Dosch; Drovda; Ekstrom; Froseth; Glassheim; Grande; Griffin; Gruchalla; Haas; Hanson; Hatlestad; Hawken; Headland; Heller; Herbel; Hofstad; Hunskor; Johnson, D.; Johnson, N.; Kaldor; Karls; Kasper; Keiser; Kelsch, R.; Kelsch, S.; Kempenich; Kerzman; Kingsbury; Klein; Klemin; Koppelman; Kreidt; Kretschmar; Kroeber; Martinson; Meier, L.; Metcalf; Meyer, S.; Monson; Mueller; Myxter; Nelson; Onstad; Owens; Pietsch; Pollert; Porter; Potter; Price; Schmidt; Schneider; Skarphol; Solberg; Sukut; Svedjan; Thoreson; Uglem; Vig; Vigesaa; Wald; Wall; Weiler; Weisz; Wieland; Williams; Wolf; Wrangham; Zaiser; Speaker Delzer

**NAYS:** Ruby

**ABSENT AND NOT VOTING:** Froelich; Gulleson; Nottestad; Pinkerton; Thorpe

Reengrossed HB 1456 passed and the title was agreed to.

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#### REPORT OF CONFERENCE COMMITTEE

**SB 2062:** Your conference committee (Sens. Nething, Lyson, Nelson and Reps. Klemin, Koppelman, Onstad) recommends that the **SENATE ACCEDE** to the House amendments on SJ page 824 and place SB 2062 on the Seventh order.

SB 2062 was placed on the Seventh order of business on the calendar.

#### CONSIDERATION OF CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT

**REP. KLEMIN MOVED** that the conference committee report on SB 2062 be adopted, which motion prevailed on a voice vote.

#### MESSAGE TO THE HOUSE FROM THE SENATE (WILLIAM R. HORTON, SECRETARY)

**MR. SPEAKER:** The President has signed: SB 2321.

#### MESSAGE TO THE SENATE FROM THE HOUSE (BUELL J. REICH, CHIEF CLERK)

**MR. PRESIDENT:** The House does not concur in the Senate amendments to HB 1021 and HB 1403 and the Speaker has appointed as a conference committee to act with a like committee from the Senate on:

**HB 1021:** Reps. Skarphol; Thoreson; Glassheim

**HB 1403:** Reps. N. Johnson; Nottestad; Gruchalla

#### MESSAGE TO THE SENATE FROM THE HOUSE (BUELL J. REICH, CHIEF CLERK)

**MR. PRESIDENT:** The House has concurred in the Senate amendments and subsequently passed: HB 1218, HB 1309, HB 1322, HB 1344, HB 1392, HB 1429, HB 1461, HB 1465, HB 1499, and HCR 3046.

#### MESSAGE TO THE SENATE FROM THE HOUSE (BUELL J. REICH, CHIEF CLERK)

**MR. PRESIDENT:** The House has adopted the conference committee report and subsequently passed: HB 1010, HB 1456.

**MESSAGE TO THE SENATE FROM THE HOUSE (BUELL J. REICH, CHIEF CLERK)**  
**MR. PRESIDENT:** The House has adopted the conference committee report and subsequently passed: SB 2062.

**MESSAGE TO THE HOUSE FROM THE SENATE (WILLIAM R. HORTON, SECRETARY)**  
**MR. SPEAKER:** The Senate has amended and subsequently passed: HB 1006, HB 1311, HB 1488, HB 1491, HB 1515.

**SENATE AMENDMENTS TO ENGROSSED HOUSE BILL NO. 1006**

Page 1, line 2, replace "; and to create and enact a new section to chapter 2-05 of the North Dakota" with a period

Page 1, remove line 3

Page 2, remove lines 15 through 30

Page 3, remove lines 1 through 15

Renumber accordingly

**STATEMENT OF PURPOSE OF AMENDMENT:**

**House Bill No. 1006 - Aeronautics Commission - Senate Action**

	EXECUTIVE BUDGET	HOUSE VERSION	SENATE CHANGES	SENATE VERSION
Salaries and wages	\$803,540	\$803,540		\$803,540
Operating expenses	1,960,304	1,960,304		1,960,304
Capital assets	734,000	734,000		734,000
Grants	3,575,000	3,575,000		3,575,000
Rural airport economic development fund		900,000	(\$900,000)	
Transfer from general fund		<u>900,000</u>	<u>(900,000)</u>	
Total all funds	\$7,072,844	\$8,872,844	(\$1,800,000)	\$7,072,844
Less estimated income	<u>6,522,844</u>	<u>7,422,844</u>	<u>(900,000)</u>	<u>6,522,844</u>
General fund	\$550,000	\$1,450,000	(\$900,000)	\$550,000
FTE	6.00	6.00	0.00	6.00

**Dept. 412 - Aeronautics Commission - Detail of Senate Changes**

	REMOVES FUNDING FOR THE RURAL AIRPORT ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT FUND <sup>1</sup>	TOTAL SENATE CHANGES
Salaries and wages		
Operating expenses		
Capital assets		
Grants		
Rural airport economic development fund	(\$900,000)	(\$900,000)
Transfer from general fund	<u>(900,000)</u>	<u>(900,000)</u>
Total all funds	(\$1,800,000)	(\$1,800,000)
Less estimated income	<u>(900,000)</u>	<u>(900,000)</u>
General fund	(\$900,000)	(\$900,000)
FTE	0.00	0.00

<sup>1</sup> This amendment removes Sections 4 through 6 of the engrossed bill providing for:

- A \$900,000 transfer from the general fund to the rural airport economic development fund.
- A \$900,000 special funds appropriation for the rural airport economic development fund.
- The creation of the rural airport economic development fund.

**SENATE AMENDMENTS TO ENGROSSED HOUSE BILL NO. 1311**

Page 1, line 1, replace "section" with "sections 20.1-03-01.2, 20.1-03-01.3, and"

Page 1, line 2, after "to" insert "hunter safety education requirements and"

Page 1, after line 3, insert:

**"SECTION 1. AMENDMENT.** Section 20.1-03-01.2 of the North Dakota Century Code is amended and reenacted as follows:

**20.1-03-01.2. Instruction required before issuance of hunting license - Age limits - Penalty.** ~~No person~~ An individual born after December 31, 1961, except as provided in section 20.1-03-01.3, may not be issued ~~any~~ a hunting license in this state unless that ~~person~~ individual submits or exhibits the certificate of completion earned by that ~~person~~ individual for successful completion of the hunter safety education course of instruction required by sections 20.1-03-01.1 through 20.1-03-01.3 or the ~~person~~ individual submits or exhibits a prior North Dakota hunting license issued to that ~~person~~ individual with that ~~person's~~ individual's hunter education certificate number on the license. A certificate of completion issued by ~~any other~~ another state or province of Canada is valid for all purposes. ~~Any person~~ An individual who purchases a hunting license without successfully completing ~~the~~ a hunter safety education course of instruction required by sections 20.1-03-01.1 through 20.1-03-01.3 is guilty of a class 2 noncriminal offense.

**SECTION 2. AMENDMENT.** Section 20.1-03-01.3 of the North Dakota Century Code is amended and reenacted as follows:

**20.1-03-01.3. Exemptions** Exemption. Sections 20.1-03-01.1 through 20.1-03-01.3 do not apply to:

- 1- ~~Persons under twelve years of age who hunt only with their parent or legal guardian.~~
- 2- ~~Persons~~ individuals who hunt exclusively on land of which they are the record title owner or operator."

Page 1, line 12, after "under" insert ", who have completed a certified state or provincial hunter safety education course,"

Renumber accordingly

#### **SENATE AMENDMENTS TO HOUSE BILL NO. 1488**

In lieu of the amendments printed on pages 933 and 934 of the Senate Journal, House Bill No. 1488 is amended as follows:

Page 1, line 2, after "facilities" insert "; and to provide for a report to the legislative council"

Page 1, line 14, after the underscored period insert "As part of the survey process, the department shall develop, in consultation with basic care facilities, and shall implement a two-tiered system of identifying areas of noncompliance with the health portions of the survey."

Page 1, after line 14, insert:

**"SECTION 2. STATE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH - REPORT TO LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.** Before August 1, 2008, the state department of health shall provide a report to the legislative council regarding the impact of implementation of this Act, including whether the department will be recommending any legislative changes to the basic care survey process."

Renumber accordingly

#### **SENATE AMENDMENTS TO ENGROSSED HOUSE BILL NO. 1491**

Page 1, after line 23, insert:

- "3. The approval process provided for in this section does not apply to a course provided electronically between approved schools in this state."

Renumber accordingly

#### **SENATE AMENDMENTS TO ENGROSSED HOUSE BILL NO. 1515**

Page 1, line 4, remove "; and to provide an appropriation"

Page 2, remove lines 22 through 27

Renumber accordingly

**STATEMENT OF PURPOSE OF AMENDMENT:**

This amendment removes the appropriation to the Industrial Commission for the establishment of a private land open to sportsmen biomass demonstration project and a biomass incentive and research project.

**MESSAGE TO THE HOUSE FROM THE SENATE (WILLIAM R. HORTON, SECRETARY)**

**MR. SPEAKER:** The Senate has failed to pass: HB 1399.

**MESSAGE TO THE HOUSE FROM THE SENATE (WILLIAM R. HORTON, SECRETARY)**

**MR. SPEAKER:** The Senate has passed unchanged: HB 1340.

**MESSAGE TO THE HOUSE FROM THE SENATE (WILLIAM R. HORTON, SECRETARY)**

**MR. SPEAKER:** The President has signed: HCR 3016, HCR 3049, HCR 3059.

**MOTION**

**REP. MONSON MOVED** that the absent members be excused, which motion prevailed.

**MOTION**

**REP. MONSON MOVED** that the House be on the Fifth, Seventh, and Thirteenth orders of business and at the conclusion of those orders, the House stand adjourned until 8:30 a.m., Thursday, April 5, 2007, which motion prevailed.

**REPORT OF CONFERENCE COMMITTEE**

**HB 1092, as engrossed:** Your conference committee (Sens. Nething, Lyson, Nelson and Reps. Kretschmar, Dahl, Delmore) recommends that the **HOUSE ACCEDE** to the Senate amendments on HJ pages 907-908 and place HB 1092 on the Seventh order.

Engrossed HB 1092 was placed on the Seventh order of business on the calendar.

**REPORT OF CONFERENCE COMMITTEE**

**HB 1219, as engrossed:** Your conference committee (Sens. Nething, Lyson, Nelson and Reps. Klemin, Koppelman, Delmore) recommends that the **HOUSE ACCEDE** to the Senate amendments on HJ page 1100 and place HB 1219 on the Seventh order.

Engrossed HB 1219 was placed on the Seventh order of business on the calendar.

**REPORT OF CONFERENCE COMMITTEE**

**HB 1513, as engrossed:** Your conference committee (Sens. Urlacher, Tollefson, Heitkamp and Reps. Hofstad, DeKrey, Solberg) recommends that the **SENATE RECEDE** from the Senate amendments on HJ page 931, adopt amendments as follows, and place HB 1513 on the Seventh order:

That the Senate recede from its amendments as printed on page 931 of the House Journal and page 718 of the Senate Journal and that Engrossed House Bill No. 1513 be amended as follows:

Page 1, line 1, after "A BILL" replace the remainder of the bill with "for an Act to create and enact a new section to chapter 61-02 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to an emergency municipal, tribal, and rural water system drinking water grant program.

**BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY OF NORTH DAKOTA:**

**SECTION 1.** A new section to chapter 61-02 of the North Dakota Century Code is created and enacted as follows:

**Emergency municipal, tribal, and rural water system drinking water grant program.** The commission may establish an emergency municipal, tribal, and rural water assistance program for municipalities, tribes, and rural water systems, whose primary source of water is the Missouri River, Lake Sakakawea, or Lake Oahe. The commission may establish procedures, cost-share guidelines, and other criteria for municipalities, tribes, and rural water systems that request emergency assistance due to low water conditions on the Missouri River, Lake Sakakawea, or Lake Oahe. The purpose of this program is to provide emergency grant funds to municipalities, tribes,

and rural water systems facing a critical need or health risk as a result of the inability of the water intake system for the municipal, tribal, or rural water system to supply an adequate quantity of quality water to the people served by the municipal, tribal, or rural water system."

Renumber accordingly

Engrossed HB 1513 was placed on the Seventh order of business on the calendar.

**REPORT OF CONFERENCE COMMITTEE**

**SB 2222, as engrossed:** Your conference committee (Sens. Lyson, Nething, Fiebiger and Reps. Kretschmar, Kingsbury, S. Meyer) recommends that the **SENATE ACCEDE** to the House amendments on SJ page 883 and place SB 2222 on the Seventh order.

Engrossed SB 2222 was placed on the Seventh order of business on the calendar.

**REPORT OF CONFERENCE COMMITTEE**

**SB 2251:** Your conference committee (Sens. Lyson, Urlacher, Heitkamp and Reps. Nottestad, Keiser, S. Meyer) recommends that the **SENATE ACCEDE** to the House amendments on SJ page 851 and place SB 2251 on the Seventh order.

SB 2251 was placed on the Seventh order of business on the calendar.

**REPORT OF CONFERENCE COMMITTEE**

**SB 2389, as engrossed:** Your conference committee (Sens. Wanzek, Hacker, Behm and Reps. Vigesaa, Nottestad, Boe) recommends that the **SENATE ACCEDE** to the House amendments on SJ pages 756-759 and place SB 2389 on the Seventh order.

Engrossed SB 2389 was placed on the Seventh order of business on the calendar.

**REPORT OF CONFERENCE COMMITTEE**

**SB 2406, as engrossed:** Your conference committee (Sens. G. Lee, Andrist, Bakke and Reps. Ruby, Price, Schmidt) recommends that the **HOUSE RECEDE** from the House amendments on SJ page 745, adopt amendments as follows, and place SB 2406 on the Seventh order:

That the House recede from its amendments as printed on page 745 of the Senate Journal and pages 849 and 850 of the House Journal and that Engrossed Senate Bill No. 2406 be amended as follows:

Page 1, line 7, replace "three" with "five"

Renumber accordingly

Engrossed SB 2406 was placed on the Seventh order of business on the calendar.

The House stood adjourned pursuant to Representative Monson's motion.

**Buell J. Reich, Chief Clerk**