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St. Paul, Minnesota, Wednesday, April 16, 1997

The Senate met at 9:00 a.m. and was called to order by the President.

## CALL OF THE SENATE

Mr. Moe, R.D. 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. Roland C. Brandt.

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

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

The President declared a quorum present.

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

## 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. 127, 137, 1071 and 1356.

Edward A. Burdick, Chief Clerk, House of Representatives

Returned April 15, 1997

Mr. President:

I have the honor to announce that the House has acceded to the request of the Senate for the appointment of a Conference Committee, consisting of 5 members of the House, on the amendments adopted by the House to the following Senate File:

**S.F. No. 1:** A bill for an act relating to human services; replacing the aid to families with dependent children program with the Minnesota family investment program-statewide; amending Minnesota Statutes 1996, sections 13.46, subdivisions 1 and 2; 84.98, subdivision 3; 124.17, subdivisions 1d and 1e; 124.175; 124A.02, subdivision 16; 124A.22, subdivision 3; 136A.125, subdivision 2; 196.27; 237.70, subdivision 4a; 254B.02, subdivision 1; 256.01, subdivisions 2 and 4a; 256.017, subdivisions 1 and 4; 256.019; 256.031, subdivision 5, and by adding subdivisions; 256.033, subdivisions 1 and 1a; 256.046, subdivision 1; 256.736, subdivision 3a; 256.74, subdivision 1; 256.82, subdivision 2; 256.935, subdivision 1; 256.9354, by adding a subdivision; 256.98, subdivision 8; 256.981; 256.983, subdivisions 1 and 4; 256.9861, subdivision 5; 256B.055, subdivisions 3, 5, and by adding subdivisions; 256B.056, subdivisions 1a, 3, and 4; 256B.057, subdivisions 1, 1b, and 2b; 256B.06, subdivision 4; 256B.062; 256D.01, subdivisions 1, 1a, and 1e; 256D.02, subdivisions 6 and 12a; 256D.03, subdivision 3; 256D.05, subdivisions 1, 2, 5, 7, and 8; 256D.051, subdivisions 1a, 2a, 3a, and by adding a subdivision; 256D.055; 256D.06, subdivisions 2 and 5; 256D.08, subdivisions 1 and 2; 256D.09, by adding a subdivision; 256D.435, subdivision 3; 256D.44, subdivision 5; 256E.03, subdivision 2; 256E.06, subdivisions 1 and 3; 256E.07, subdivision 1; 256E.08, subdivision 3; 256F.04, subdivisions 1 and 2; 256F.05, subdivisions 2, 3, 4, 5, and 8; 256F.06, subdivisions 1 and 2; 256G.01, subdivision 4; 256G.02, subdivision 6; 257.3573, subdivision 2; 259.67, subdivision 4; 260.38; 268.0111, subdivisions 5 and 7; 268.0122, subdivision 3; 268.552, subdivision 5; 268.6751, subdivision 1; 268.676, subdivision 1; 268.86, subdivision 2; 268.871, subdivision 1; 268.90, subdivision 2; 268.916; 268.95, subdivision 4; 393.07, subdivision 6; and 477A.0122, subdivision 2; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapters 256B; and 256D; proposing coding for new law as Minnesota Statutes, chapters 256J; and 256K; repealing Minnesota Statutes 1996, sections 256.12, subdivisions 9, 10, 14, 15, 20, 21, 22, and 23; 256.72; 256.73; 256.7341; 256.7351; 256.7352; 256.7353; 256.7354; 256.7355; 256.7356; 256.7357; 256.7358; 256.7359; 256.736, subdivision 19; 256.7365; 256.7366; 256.7381; 256.7382; 256.7383; 256.7384; 256.7385; 256.7386; 256.7387; 256.7388; 256.74, subdivisions 1, 1a, 1b, 2, and 6; 256.745; 256.75; 256.76; 256.78; 256.80; 256.81; 256.82; 256.84; 256.85; 256.86; 256.863; 256.871; 256.8711; 256.879; 256D.02, subdivision 5; 256D.05, subdivisions 3 and 3a; 256D.0511; 256D.065; 256F.05, subdivisions 5 and 7; and 256G.05, subdivision 2.

There has been appointed as such committee on the part of the House:

Jennings, Greenfield, Wejcman, Bradley and Goodno.

Senate File No. 1 is herewith returned to the Senate.

Edward A. Burdick, Chief Clerk, House of Representatives

Returned April 15, 1997

Mr. President:

I have the honor to announce the passage by the House of the following House File, herewith transmitted: H.F. No. 1314.

Edward A. Burdick, Chief Clerk, House of Representatives

Transmitted April 15, 1997

### FIRST READING OF HOUSE BILLS

The following bill was read the first time and referred to the committee indicated.

**H.F. No. 1314:** A bill for an act relating to the environment; modifying provisions relating to scrap motor vehicle facilities; modifying provisions relating to minerals subject to reservation and lease by counties; prohibiting motor vehicle shredding by certain metal shredding facilities; amending Minnesota Statutes 1996, sections 116.66; 116.67; and 373.01, subdivision 1.

Referred to the Committee on Rules and Administration for comparison with S.F. No. 1026, now on General Orders.

**REPORTS OF COMMITTEES**

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

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

**H.F. No. 255** for comparison with companion Senate File, reports the following House File was found identical and recommends the House File be given its second reading and substituted for its companion Senate File as follows:

<b>GENERAL ORDERS</b>		<b>CONSENT CALENDAR</b>		<b>CALENDAR</b>	
H.F. No.	S.F. No.	H.F. No.	S.F. No.	H.F. No.	S.F. No.
				255	354

and that the above Senate File be indefinitely postponed.

Pursuant to Rule 49, this report was prepared and submitted by the Secretary of the Senate on behalf of the Committee on Rules and Administration. Report adopted.

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

**H.F. No. 686** for comparison with companion Senate File, reports the following House File was found not identical with companion Senate File as follows:

<b>GENERAL ORDERS</b>		<b>CONSENT CALENDAR</b>		<b>CALENDAR</b>	
H.F. No.	S.F. No.	H.F. No.	S.F. No.	H.F. No.	S.F. No.
				686	756

Pursuant to Rule 49, the Committee on Rules and Administration recommends that H.F. No. 686 be amended as follows:

Delete all the language after the enacting clause of H.F. No. 686 and insert the language after the enacting clause of S.F. No. 756, the second engrossment; further, delete the title of H.F. No. 686 and insert the title of S.F. No. 756, the second engrossment.

And when so amended H.F. No. 686 will be identical to S.F. No. 756, and further recommends that H.F. No. 686 be given its second reading and substituted for S.F. No. 756, and that the Senate File be indefinitely postponed.

Pursuant to Rule 49, 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.

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

**H.F. No. 753** for comparison with companion Senate File, reports the following House File was found not identical with companion Senate File as follows:

<b>GENERAL ORDERS</b>		<b>CONSENT CALENDAR</b>		<b>CALENDAR</b>	
H.F. No.	S.F. No.	H.F. No.	S.F. No.	H.F. No.	S.F. No.
				753	339

Pursuant to Rule 49, the Committee on Rules and Administration recommends that H.F. No. 753 be amended as follows:

Delete all the language after the enacting clause of H.F. No. 753 and insert the language after

the enacting clause of S.F. No. 339, the second engrossment; further, delete the title of H.F. No. 753 and insert the title of S.F. No. 339, the second engrossment.

And when so amended H.F. No. 753 will be identical to S.F. No. 339, and further recommends that H.F. No. 753 be given its second reading and substituted for S.F. No. 339, and that the Senate File be indefinitely postponed.

Pursuant to Rule 49, 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.

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

**H.F. No. 1123** for comparison with companion Senate File, reports the following House File was found not identical with companion Senate File as follows:

GENERAL ORDERS		CONSENT CALENDAR		CALENDAR	
H.F. No.	S.F. No.	H.F. No.	S.F. No.	H.F. No.	S.F. No.
1123	1156				

Pursuant to Rule 49, the Committee on Rules and Administration recommends that H.F. No. 1123 be amended as follows:

Delete all the language after the enacting clause of H.F. No. 1123 and insert the language after the enacting clause of S.F. No. 1156, the first engrossment; further, delete the title of H.F. No. 1123 and insert the title of S.F. No. 1156, the first engrossment.

And when so amended H.F. No. 1123 will be identical to S.F. No. 1156, and further recommends that H.F. No. 1123 be given its second reading and substituted for S.F. No. 1156, and that the Senate File be indefinitely postponed.

Pursuant to Rule 49, 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.

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

**H.F. No. 299** for comparison with companion Senate File, reports the following House File was found not identical with companion Senate File as follows:

GENERAL ORDERS		CONSENT CALENDAR		CALENDAR	
H.F. No.	S.F. No.	H.F. No.	S.F. No.	H.F. No.	S.F. No.
299	386				

Pursuant to Rule 49, the Committee on Rules and Administration recommends that H.F. No. 299 be amended as follows:

Delete all the language after the enacting clause of H.F. No. 299 and insert the language after the enacting clause of S.F. No. 386, the first engrossment; further, delete the title of H.F. No. 299 and insert the title of S.F. No. 386, the first engrossment.

And when so amended H.F. No. 299 will be identical to S.F. No. 386, and further recommends that H.F. No. 299 be given its second reading and substituted for S.F. No. 386, and that the Senate File be indefinitely postponed.

Pursuant to Rule 49, 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.

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

**H.F. No. 1637** for comparison with companion Senate File, reports the following House File was found identical and recommends the House File be given its second reading and substituted for its companion Senate File as follows:

**GENERAL ORDERS****CONSENT CALENDAR****CALENDAR**

H.F. No.	S.F. No.	H.F. No.	S.F. No.	H.F. No.	S.F. No.
1637	1424				

and that the above Senate File be indefinitely postponed.

Pursuant to Rule 49, this report was prepared and submitted by the Secretary of the Senate on behalf of the Committee on Rules and Administration. Report adopted.

**Ms. Berglin from the Committee on Human Resources Finance, to which was referred**

**S.F. No. 1908:** A bill for an act relating to the operation of state government services; appropriating money for the operation of the departments of human services and health, the veterans home board, the health related boards, the disability council, the ombudsman for families, and the ombudsman for mental health and mental retardation; including provisions for agency management; children's programs; basic health care programs; medical assistance and general assistance medical care; long-term care; state-operated services; mental health and developmentally disabled; MinnesotaCare; child support enforcement; assistance to families; health department; amending Minnesota Statutes 1996, sections 13.99, by adding a subdivision; 16A.124, subdivision 4b; 62D.04, subdivision 5; 62E.14, by adding a subdivision; 103I.101, subdivision 6; 103I.208; 103I.401, subdivision 1; 144.057, subdivision 1; 144.0721, subdivision 3; 144.121, subdivision 1, and by adding subdivisions; 144.125; 144.2215; 144.226, subdivision 1, and by adding a subdivision; 144.394; 144A.071, subdivisions 1, 2, and 4a; 144A.073, subdivision 2; 144A.46, subdivision 5; 153A.17; 157.15, by adding subdivisions; 157.16, subdivision 3; 245.03, subdivision 2; 245.4882, subdivision 5; 245.493, subdivision 1, and by adding a subdivision; 245.652, subdivisions 1 and 2; 245.98, by adding a subdivision; 245A.04, subdivisions 3 and 3a; 246.02, subdivision 2; 252.025, subdivisions 1, 4, and by adding a subdivision; 252.28, by adding a subdivision; 252.32, subdivisions 1a, 3, 3a, 3c, and 5; 254.04; 254B.02, subdivisions 1 and 3; 254B.04, subdivision 1; 254B.09, subdivisions 4, 5, and 7; 256.01, subdivision 2, and by adding a subdivision; 256.025, subdivisions 2 and 4; 256.045, subdivisions 3, 3b, 4, 5, 7, 8, and 10; 256.476, subdivisions 2, 3, 4, and 5; 256.82, subdivision 1, and by adding a subdivision; 256.871, subdivision 6; 256.935; 256.969, subdivision 1; 256.9695, subdivision 1; 256B.037, subdivision 1a; 256B.04, by adding a subdivision; 256B.056, subdivisions 4 and 5; 256B.0625, subdivisions 13 and 15; 256B.0626; 256B.0627, subdivision 5, and by adding a subdivision; 256B.064, subdivisions 1a, 1c, and 2; 256B.0911, subdivisions 2 and 7; 256B.0912, by adding a subdivision; 256B.0913, subdivisions 10, 14, 15, and by adding a subdivision; 256B.0915, subdivision 3, and by adding a subdivision; 256B.19, subdivisions 1, 2a, and 2b; 256B.421, subdivision 1; 256B.431, subdivision 25, and by adding subdivisions; 256B.433, by adding a subdivision; 256B.434, subdivisions 2, 3, 4, 9, and 10; 256B.48, subdivision 6; 256B.49, subdivision 1, and by adding a subdivision; 256B.69, subdivisions 2, 3a, 5, 5b, and by adding subdivisions; 256D.03, subdivisions 2, 2a, 3b, and 6; 256D.36; 256F.11, subdivision 2; 256G.02, subdivision 6; 256G.05, subdivision 2; 256I.05, subdivision 1a, and by adding a subdivision; 326.37, subdivision 1; 393.07, subdivision 2; 466.01, subdivision 1; 469.155, subdivision 4; 471.59, subdivision 11; 626.556, subdivisions 10b, 10d, 10e, 10f, 11c, and by adding a subdivision; 626.558, subdivisions 1 and 2; and 626.559, subdivision 5; Laws 1995, chapter 207, articles 6, section 115; and 8, section 41, subdivision 2; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapters 144; 145A; 157; 252; 256B; and 257; repealing Minnesota Statutes 1996, sections 144.0721, subdivision 3; 144.1222, subdivision 3; 145.9256; 256.026; 256.82, subdivision 1; 256B.041, subdivision 5; 256B.0625, subdivision 13b; 256B.0911, subdivision 4; 256B.19, subdivision 1a; and 469.154, subdivision 6; Minnesota Rules, part 9505.1000.

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

Page 2, line 46, delete "31,629,000" and insert "31,552,000" and delete "31,882,000" and insert "31,803,000" and delete "63,511,000" and insert "63,355,000"

Page 2, line 50, delete "2,647,406,000" and insert "2,647,329,000" and delete "2,762,088,000" and insert "2,762,009,000" and delete "5,409,494,000" and insert "5,409,338,000"

Page 25, line 30, delete "72,570,000" and insert "72,493,000" and delete "73,628,000" and insert "73,649,000"

Page 25, line 36, delete "21,578,000" and insert "21,501,000" and delete "21,802,000" and insert "21,723,000"

Page 25, line 44, delete "48,668,000" and insert "48,143,000" and delete "49,791,000" and insert "49,266,000"

Page 25, line 46, delete "39,805,000" and insert "39,280,000" and delete "40,898,000" and insert "40,373,000"

Page 30, line 23, delete "20,852,000" and insert "21,300,000" and delete "20,662,000" and insert "21,108,000"

Page 30, line 25, delete "8,102,000" and insert "8,627,000" and delete "7,718,000" and insert "8,243,000"

Page 30, line 29, delete "12,557,000" and insert "12,480,000" and delete "12,751,000" and insert "12,672,000"

Pages 37 to 39, delete section 9

Page 45, after line 10, insert:

"Sec. 17. Minnesota Statutes 1996, section 145.925, subdivision 9, is amended to read:

Subd. 9. [RULES; REGIONAL FUNDING.] Notwithstanding any rules to the contrary, including rules proposed in the State Register on April 1, 1991, the commissioner, in allocating grant funds for family planning special projects, shall not limit the total amount of funds that can be allocated to an organization that has submitted applications from more than one region, except that no more than \$75,000 may be allocated to any grantee within a single region. For two or more organizations who have submitted a joint application, that limit is \$75,000 for each organization. This subdivision does not affect any procedure established in rule for allocating special project money to the different regions. The commissioner shall revise the rules for family planning special project grants so that they conform to the requirements of this subdivision. In adopting these revisions, the commissioner is not subject to the rulemaking provisions of chapter 14, but is bound by section 14.38, subdivision 7."

Page 49, line 3, before "The" insert "(a)"

Page 49, line 9, delete "\$425" and insert "\$650"

Page 49, line 12, strike "\$100"

Page 49, line 14, before the period, insert "\$300"

Page 49, line 17, delete "\$250" and insert "\$63" and delete "in"

Page 49, line 18, delete the new language and insert "until June 30, 2007"

Page 49, line 19, before "the" insert "\$88,000 of"

Page 49, line 22, before the period, insert "between July 1, 1994, and June 30, 1997"

Page 49, line 23, delete "\$108" and insert "\$200"

Page 49, after line 27, insert:

"(b) Notwithstanding the policy set forth in section 16A.1285, subdivision 2, audiologists

registered under chapter 148 shall pay a surcharge of \$74 at the time of initial registration or registration renewal, under section 148.5191. The surcharge on registered audiologists shall remain in effect until June 30, 2007, to recover \$88,000 of the commissioner's accumulated direct expenditures for administering the requirements of this chapter between July 1, 1994, and June 30, 1997."

Page 54, after line 3, insert:

"Sec. 26. [GRANT PROGRAM FOR JUVENILE ASSESSMENT CENTERS.]

Subdivision 1. [PROGRAM DESCRIBED.] The commissioner of health through the office of drug policy and violence prevention, shall administer a pilot project grant program to award grants to no more than three judicial districts to develop and implement plans to create juvenile assessment centers. A juvenile assessment center is a 24-hour centralized receiving, processing, and intervention facility for children who are accused of committing delinquent acts or status offenses or who are alleged to have been victims of abuse or neglect.

Subd. 2. [WORKING GROUPS AUTHORIZED; PLANS REQUIRED.] The chief judge of a judicial district or the judge's designee may convene a working group consisting of individuals experienced in providing services to children. A working group shall consist of, but is not limited to, representatives from substance abuse programs, domestic abuse programs, child protection agencies, mental health providers, mental health collaboratives, law enforcement agencies, schools, health service providers, and higher education institutions. The working group shall cooperatively develop a plan to create a juvenile assessment center in the judicial district. Juvenile assessment centers must provide initial screening for children, including intake and needs assessments, substance abuse screening, physical and mental health screening, fetal alcohol syndrome and fetal alcohol exposure screening, and diagnostic educational testing, as appropriate. The entities involved in the assessment center shall make the resources for the provision of these assessments available at the same level to which they are available to the general public. The plan must include, but is not limited to, recommended screening tools to assess children to determine their needs and assets; protocols to determine how children should enter the center, what will happen at the center, and what will happen after the child leaves the center; methods to share information in a manner consistent with existing law; and information on how the center will collaborate with a higher educational institution that has expertise in the research, programming, and evaluation of children's services. The plan may also address the provision of services to children.

Subd. 3. [COOPERATION WITH WORKING GROUPS.] The commissioner may provide technical assistance to the working groups and judicial districts. If the working groups identify any necessary changes in data privacy laws that would facilitate the operation of the assessment centers, the commissioner may recommend these changes to the legislature.

Subd. 4. [AWARDING OF GRANTS.] By January 1, 1998, the commissioner shall award grants under this section to judicial districts to develop plans to create juvenile assessment centers. Each district awarded a planning grant shall submit its plan to the commissioner. The commissioner shall review the plans and award grants to districts whose plans have been approved to develop an assessment center.

Subd. 5. [REPORT.] By January 15, 1999, the commissioner shall report to the legislature on the planning and implementation grants awarded under this section."

Page 54, lines 5 and 6, delete "sections 144.1222, subdivision 3; and 145.9256, are" and insert "section 145.9256, is"

Page 79, after line 26, insert:

"Section 1. Minnesota Statutes 1996, section 62E.02, subdivision 13, is amended to read:

Subd. 13. [ELIGIBLE PERSON.] (a) "Eligible person" means an individual who:

(1) is currently and has been a resident of Minnesota for the six months immediately preceding

the date of receipt by the association or its writing carrier of a completed certificate of eligibility ~~and who;~~

(2) meets the enrollment requirements of section 62E.14; and

(3) is not otherwise ineligible under this subdivision.

(b) No individual is eligible for coverage under a qualified or a Medicare supplement plan issued by the association for whom a premium is paid or reimbursed by medical assistance or general assistance medical care as of the first day of any term for which a premium amount is paid or reimbursed."

Page 84, after line 15, insert:

"Sec. 8. Minnesota Statutes 1996, section 256B.056, subdivision 8, is amended to read:

Subd. 8. [COOPERATION.] To be eligible for medical assistance, applicants and recipients must cooperate with the state and local agency to identify potentially liable third-party payers and assist the state in obtaining third party payments, unless good cause for noncooperation is determined according to Code of Federal Regulations, title 42, part 433.147. "Cooperation" includes identifying any third party who may be liable for care and services provided under this chapter to the applicant, recipient, or any other family member for whom application is made and providing relevant information to assist the state in pursuing a potentially liable third party. Cooperation also includes providing information about a group health plan for which the person may be eligible and if the plan is determined cost-effective by the state agency and premiums are paid by the local agency or there is no cost to the recipient, they must enroll or remain enrolled with the group. For purposes of this subdivision, coverage provided by the Minnesota comprehensive health association under chapter 62E shall not be considered group health plan coverage or cost-effective by the state and local agency. Cost-effective insurance premiums approved for payment by the state agency and paid by the local agency are eligible for reimbursement according to section 256B.19."

Page 87, lines 25 to 28, delete the new language and insert "Effective for all premium payments due on or after June 30, 1997, medical assistance does not cover premiums that a recipient is required to pay under a qualified or Medicare supplement plan issued by the Minnesota comprehensive health association. Medical assistance will continue to cover premiums for recipients who are covered under a plan issued by the Minnesota comprehensive health association on June 30, 1997, for a period of six months following receipt of the notice of termination or January 1, 1998, whichever is later."

Page 88, line 28, delete "12" and insert "14"

Page 89, line 7, delete "12" and insert "14"

Page 93, line 28, after "This" insert "maximum"

Page 93, line 30, delete everything after the period

Page 93, delete lines 31 and 32

Page 94, line 2, delete "support" and insert "supported"

Page 100, line 9, delete "PROHIBITION" and insert "EXEMPTION"

Page 100, line 15, delete everything after "shall"

Page 100, delete lines 16 to 19 and insert "be exempt from mandatory enrollment in the prepaid medical assistance program under this section unless otherwise directed by the legislature, except for those persons who were initially enrolled in the prepaid medical assistance program while residing in a nursing home or whose income changed after initial enrollment in the prepaid medical assistance program. Nothing in this subdivision shall require persons who are required to enroll in the prepaid medical assistance program to disenroll from that program or from the Minnesota senior health options project after initial enrollment."



Page 105, line 10, after the period, insert "For purposes of this subdivision, coverage provided by the Minnesota comprehensive health association under chapter 62E shall not be considered group health plan coverage or cost-effective by the state and local agency."

Page 105, lines 13 to 17, delete the new language and insert "Effective for all premium payments due on or after June 30, 1997, general assistance medical care does not cover premiums that a recipient is required to pay under a qualified or Medicare supplement plan issued by the Minnesota comprehensive health association. General assistance medical care will continue to cover premiums for recipients who are covered under a plan issued by the Minnesota comprehensive health association on June 30, 1997, for a period of six months following receipt of the notice of termination or January 1, 1998, whichever is later."

Page 106, line 18, delete "3" and insert "4"

Page 106, line 21, after the period, insert "Based on the results of the task force study, the commissioner may seek any federal waivers needed to improve the relationship between the elderly waiver and the Minnesota senior health options project."

Pages 106 and 107, delete section 26

Page 108, line 25, after "commissioner" insert "of human services"

Page 109, delete lines 4 and 5 and insert:

"Sec. 33. [EFFECTIVE DATE.]

Section 1 is effective January 1, 1998.

Sections 8, 17, and 24 are effective the day following final enactment."

Page 162, line 23, delete "8" and insert "256B.0952, subdivision 4"

Page 175, line 8, delete "1997" and insert "1998"

Page 184, after line 9, insert:

"Sec. 16. Minnesota Statutes 1996, section 256.045, subdivision 3, is amended to read:

Subd. 3. [STATE AGENCY HEARINGS.] (a) State agency hearings are available for the following: (1) any person applying for, receiving or having received public assistance or a program of social services granted by the state agency or a county agency under sections 252.32, 256.031 to 256.036, and 256.72 to 256.879, chapters 256B, 256D, 256E, 261, or the federal Food Stamp Act whose application for assistance is denied, not acted upon with reasonable promptness, or whose assistance is suspended, reduced, terminated, or claimed to have been incorrectly paid; (2) any patient or relative aggrieved by an order of the commissioner under section 252.27; (3) a party aggrieved by a ruling of a prepaid health plan; (4) any individual or facility determined by a lead agency to have maltreated a vulnerable adult under section 626.557 after they have exercised their right to administrative reconsideration under section 626.557; (5) any person whose claim for foster care payment pursuant to a placement of the child resulting from a child protection assessment under section 626.556 is denied or not acted upon with reasonable promptness, regardless of funding source; (6) any person to whom a right of appeal pursuant to this section is given by other provision of law; or (7) an applicant aggrieved by an adverse decision to an application for a hardship waiver under section 256B.15. The failure to exercise the right to an administrative reconsideration shall not be a bar to a hearing under this section if federal law provides an individual the right to a hearing to dispute a finding of maltreatment. Individuals and organizations specified in this section may contest the specified action, decision, or final disposition before the state agency by submitting a written request for a hearing to the state agency within 30 days after receiving written notice of the action, decision, or final disposition, or within 90 days of such written notice if the applicant, recipient, patient, or relative shows good cause why the request was not submitted within the 30-day time limit.

The hearing for an individual or facility under clause (4) is the only administrative appeal to the final lead agency disposition specifically, including a challenge to the accuracy and completeness of data under section 13.04. Hearings requested under clause (4) apply only to incidents of maltreatment that occur on or after October 1, 1995. Hearings requested by nursing assistants in nursing homes alleged to have maltreated a resident prior to October 1, 1995, shall be held as a contested case proceeding under the provisions of chapter 14.

For purposes of this section, bargaining unit grievance procedures are not an administrative appeal.

The scope of hearings involving claims to foster care payments under clause (5) shall be limited to the issue of whether the county is legally responsible for a child's placement under court order or voluntary placement agreement and, if so, the correct amount of foster care payment to be made on the child's behalf and shall not include review of the propriety of the county's child protection determination or child placement decision.

(b) ~~Except for a prepaid health plan,~~ A vendor of medical care as defined in section 256B.02, subdivision 7, or a vendor under contract with a county agency to provide social services under section 256E.08, subdivision 4, is not a party and may not request a hearing under this section, except if assisting a recipient as provided in subdivision 4.

(c) An applicant or recipient is not entitled to receive social services beyond the services included in the amended community social services plan developed under section 256E.081, subdivision 3, if the county agency has met the requirements in section 256E.081.

Sec. 17. Minnesota Statutes 1996, section 256.045, subdivision 5, is amended to read:

Subd. 5. [ORDERS OF THE COMMISSIONER OF HUMAN SERVICES.] This subdivision does not apply to appeals under subdivision 3b. A state human services referee shall conduct a hearing on the appeal and shall recommend an order to the commissioner of human services. The recommended order must be based on all relevant evidence and must not be limited to a review of the propriety of the state or county agency's action. A referee may take official notice of adjudicative facts. The commissioner of human services may accept the recommended order of a state human services referee and issue the order to the county agency and the applicant, recipient, former recipient, or prepaid health plan. The commissioner on refusing to accept the recommended order of the state human services referee, shall notify the county agency and the applicant, recipient, former recipient, or prepaid health plan of that fact and shall state reasons therefor and shall allow each party ten days' time to submit additional written argument on the matter. After the expiration of the ten-day period, the commissioner shall issue an order on the matter to the county agency and the applicant, recipient, former recipient, or prepaid health plan.

A party aggrieved by an order of the commissioner may appeal under subdivision 7, or request reconsideration by the commissioner within 30 days after the date the commissioner issues the order. The commissioner may reconsider an order upon request of any party or on the commissioner's own motion. A request for reconsideration does not stay implementation of the commissioner's order. Upon reconsideration, the commissioner may issue an amended order or an order affirming the original order.

Any order of the commissioner issued under this subdivision shall be conclusive upon the parties unless appeal is taken in the manner provided by subdivision 7. Any order of the commissioner is binding on the parties and must be implemented by the state agency ~~or~~, a county agency, or a prepaid health plan according to subdivision 3a, until the order is reversed by the district court, or unless the commissioner or a district court orders monthly assistance or aid or services paid or provided under subdivision 10.

~~Except for a prepaid health plan,~~ A vendor of medical care as defined in section 256B.02, subdivision 7, or a vendor under contract with a county agency to provide social services under section 256E.08, subdivision 4, is not a party and may not request a hearing or seek judicial review of an order issued under this section, unless assisting a recipient as provided in subdivision 4. A prepaid health plan is a party to an appeal under subdivision 3a, but cannot seek judicial review of an order issued under this section."

Page 192, line 22, delete "(4)" and insert "(3)"

Pages 214 and 215, delete section 35

Page 227, line 28, delete "18 to 21 and 32" and insert "20 to 23 and 34"

Pages 227 to 241, delete article 10 and insert:

"ARTICLE 10  
WELFARE REFORM

Section 1. Minnesota Statutes 1996, section 256J.50, is amended by adding a subdivision to read:

Subd. 5. [PARTICIPATION REQUIREMENTS FOR SINGLE-PARENT AND TWO-PARENT CASES.] For single parent cases, mandatory participation is required within six months of the eligibility determination for cash assistance. For two-parent cases, participation is required concurrent with the receipt of MFIP-S cash assistance."

Renumber the sections in sequence

Amend the title as follows:

Page 1, line 16, after "5;" insert "62E.02, subdivision 13;"

Page 1, line 18, delete "144.057, subdivision 1;"

Page 1, line 23, delete "144A.46, subdivision 5" and insert "145.925, by adding a subdivision"

Page 1, line 28, delete "245A.04, subdivisions 3 and 3a;"

Page 1, line 41, delete "and 5" and insert ", 5, and 8"

Page 2, line 3, delete "subdivisions" and insert "a subdivision"

Page 2, line 11, before "326.37," insert "256J.50, by adding a subdivision;"

Page 2, line 21, delete everything after "sections"

Page 2, line 22, delete "subdivision 3;"

Page 2, line 24, delete "256B.0911, subdivision 4;"

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

**Ms. Berglin from the Committee on Human Resources Finance, to which was referred**

**S.F. No. 1909:** A bill for an act relating to community development; appropriating money for community development and certain agencies of state government with certain conditions; establishing and modifying certain programs; regulating certain activities and practices; setting and modifying fees; defining terms; requiring studies and reports; amending Minnesota Statutes 1996, sections 60A.23, subdivision 8; 65B.48, subdivision 3; 79.255, by adding a subdivision; 116J.01, subdivision 5; 116J.553, subdivision 2; 116J.554, subdivision 1; 116L.04, subdivision 1, and by adding a subdivision; 176.181, subdivision 2a; 268A.15, subdivisions 2, 6, and by adding subdivisions; 394.25, by adding a subdivision; 446A.04, subdivision 5; 446A.081, subdivisions 1, 4, and 9; 462.357, by adding a subdivision; and 462A.206, subdivisions 2 and 4; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapters 116J; 116L; 268; and 366; repealing Minnesota Statutes 1996, sections 116J.990, subdivision 7; and 462A.206, subdivision 5.

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

Page 2, line 17, delete "40,157,000" and insert "42,157,000"

Page 2, line 19, delete "39,451,000" and insert "41,451,000"

Page 2, line 26, delete "25,401,000" and insert "27,401,000"

Page 2, after line 37, insert:

"\$2,000,000 in the first year is for the public facilities authority. Of that amount, \$1,500,000 is for repayment of the portion of the wastewater treatment loan to the city of Cambridge for the increased cost of wastewater treatment attributable to the designation of the Rum river as a wild and scenic river and \$500,000 is for municipalities with wastewater infrastructure projects that are not otherwise eligible for assistance under Minnesota Statutes, sections 446A.07 and 446A.072. Projects must be certified as technically feasible by the commissioner of the Minnesota pollution control agency and approved by the public facilities authority."

Page 11, line 19, after "property" insert "that has an occupancy rate of 50 percent or less"

Page 11, line 21, delete "Priority" and insert "Funds are only available for projects that will"

Page 11, line 22, delete "shall be given to projects that"

Page 11, line 28, after the period, insert "For the purposes of this paragraph, "substandard" means a building that cannot be modified to satisfy the applicable building codes at a cost of less than 50 percent of the total development cost of a new building of the same square footage and type on the site."

Page 19, line 19, delete "\$15,000,000" and insert "\$13,000,000"

Page 19, line 24, delete "\$5,000,000" and insert "\$3,000,000"

Page 28, after line 35, insert:

"Sec. 40. Minnesota Statutes 1996, section 116J.551, is amended to read:

116J.551 [CREATION OF ACCOUNT.]

A contaminated site cleanup and ~~development~~ predevelopment account is created in the general fund. Money in the account may be used, as appropriated by law, to make grants as provided in ~~section~~ sections 116J.554 and 116J.564 and to pay for the commissioner's costs in reviewing applications and making grants."

Page 30, delete section 42

Renumber the sections in sequence

Amend the title as follows:

Page 1, line 10, after the second semicolon, insert "116J.551;"

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

**SECOND READING OF SENATE BILLS**

S.F. Nos. 1908 and 1909 were read the second time.

**SECOND READING OF HOUSE BILLS**

H.F. Nos. 255, 686, 753, 1123, 299 and 1637 were read the second time.

**MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS****Mr. Metzen introduced--**

**Senate Resolution No. 42:** A Senate resolution congratulating Duane and Jane Brenna of Inver Grove Heights, Minnesota, on their 50th wedding anniversary.

Referred to the Committee on Rules and Administration.

**Mr. Wiger introduced--**

**Senate Resolution No. 43:** A Senate resolution congratulating the communities of North St. Paul, Maplewood, and Oakdale, Independent School District No. 622, as they close North High School and continue the tradition of superior education in the new North High School.

Referred to the Committee on Rules and Administration.

Mr. Morse moved that S.F. No. 1859 be withdrawn from the Committee on Environment and Natural Resources and re-referred to the Committee on State Government Finance. The motion prevailed.

Pursuant to Rule 10, Mr. Moe, R.D., Chair of the Committee on Rules and Administration, designated S.F. No. 1907 a Special Order to be heard immediately.

**SPECIAL ORDER**

**S.F. No. 1907:** A bill for an act relating to the organization and operation of state government; appropriating money for environmental, natural resource, and agricultural purposes; providing for regulation of certain activities and practices; providing for accounts, assessments, and fees; amending Minnesota Statutes 1996, sections 17.03, by adding a subdivision; 17.101; 17.116, subdivisions 2 and 3; 17.4988; 17.76; 18.79, by adding a subdivision; 18C.421, subdivisions 1 and 4; 18C.425, subdivisions 1, 2, 3, and 6; 18C.531, subdivision 2; 18C.551; 25.31; 25.32; 25.33, subdivisions 1, 5, 6, 9, 20, and by adding subdivisions; 25.35; 25.36; 25.37; 25.38; 25.39; 25.41, subdivision 6; 28A.08, subdivision 3; 32.103; 32.394, subdivisions 8b and 8d; 35.71, subdivision 5; 35.824; 41A.09, subdivision 3a; 84.027, by adding a subdivision; 84.0273; 84.82, subdivision 3; 85.015, by adding a subdivision; 85.052, subdivision 3; 85.053, subdivisions 1 and 4; 85.055, subdivision 1, and by adding a subdivision; 88.79, by adding a subdivision; 92.06, subdivisions 1 and 4; 92.16, subdivision 1; 94.10, subdivision 2; 97A.015, by adding a subdivision; 97A.028, subdivisions 1 and 3; 97A.075, subdivision 1; 97A.405, subdivision 2; 97A.415, subdivision 2; 97A.475; 97B.667; 97B.715, subdivision 1; 97B.721; 97B.801; 97C.305, subdivision 1; 97C.501, subdivision 2; 97C.801; 97C.835, by adding a subdivision; 103F.378, subdivision 1; 115A.932, subdivision 1; 115B.02, subdivision 16, and by adding a subdivision; 115B.17, subdivisions 14, 15, and by adding subdivisions; 115B.175, subdivisions 2 and 6a; 115B.412, subdivision 10; 115B.48, subdivisions 3 and 8; 115B.49, subdivision 4; 116.07, subdivisions 4d and 7; 116.92, by adding a subdivision; 116C.834, subdivision 2; 116O.09, subdivisions 2, 5, and 9; 168.1291; 216B.2423, by adding a subdivision; 216C.41, subdivision 1; 223.17, subdivision 3; 236.02, subdivisions 1 and 2; 300.11, by adding a subdivision; 308A.101, by adding a subdivision;

308A.201, by adding a subdivision; 347.33, subdivision 3; 394.25, subdivision 2, and by adding a subdivision; 446A.02, subdivision 6; 462.357, subdivision 1; 477A.12; and 477A.14; Laws 1995, chapter 220, section 19, subdivisions 4, as amended, and 11; and Laws 1996, chapter 463, section 7, subdivision 24; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapters 4; 17; 25; 92; 94; 115; and 116; repealing Minnesota Statutes 1996, sections 18C.541, subdivision 6; 25.34; 115A.908, subdivision 3; 115B.223; 115B.224; 116.991; 116.992; and 296.02, subdivision 7a; Laws 1995, chapter 220, section 21.

Mr. Morse moved to amend S.F. No. 1907 as follows:

Page 2, delete line 27 and insert:

"Natural				
Resources	600,000	23,417,000	23,615,000	47,032,000"

Page 2, line 35, delete "500,000" and insert "1,100,000"

Page 5, after line 36, insert:

"Upon enactment of the air quality fee increase contained in Minnesota Statutes, section 116.07, subdivision 4d, as amended by this act, the commissioner shall appoint an advisory task force to examine the air quality program. The task force must include representatives of permittees regulated by the agency and environmental interest groups. By August 15, 1998, the committee shall report to the chairs of the senate finance committee, the house ways and means committee, the house and senate environmental policy committees, the house environment and natural resources finance committee, and the senate environment and agriculture budget division. After making the report, the task force shall be dissolved.

The report shall include a benchmarking comparison with other states of the following air quality service level criteria:

- (1) the length of time and staff effort required to issue permits;
- (2) the backlog of permit applications;
- (3) the number of facility inspections per inspector; and
- (4) the nature and effectiveness of training and monitoring programs.

In addition, the report shall include:

- (1) a recommendation for a reporting mechanism which provides tracking of staff time and resources devoted to point source, mobile source, and area source general program activities;
- (2) an analysis of inequities in the current air emissions fee system; and
- (3) recommendations regarding mobile source,

area source, and point source contributions and general air program activity."

Page 12, line 57, delete "\$935,000" and insert "\$860,000" and delete "\$956,000" and insert "\$881,000"

Page 13, delete lines 12 to 17

Page 18, line 49, delete "\$49,651,000" and insert "\$50,551,000"

Page 18, line 58, delete "As"

Page 18, delete lines 59 and 60

Page 19, delete lines 1 to 11

Page 46, line 53, after "grants" insert ", paragraph (l), wildcat regional park"

Page 47, line 59, delete "\$420,000" and insert "\$1,320,000"

Page 48, delete section 19

Pages 77 and 78, delete section 56

Page 123, line 8, after the period, insert "The increase in air permit fees to match federal grant funds shall be a surcharge on existing fees. The commissioner may not collect the surcharge after the grant funds become unavailable. In addition, the commissioner shall use nonfee funds to the extent practical to match the grant funds so that the fee surcharge is minimized."

Renumber the sections in sequence and correct the internal references

Correct the subdivision and section totals and the summaries by fund accordingly

Amend the title accordingly

Mr. Morse then moved to amend the Morse amendment to S.F. No. 1907 as follows:

Page 1, line 18, after "senate" insert "state government"

The motion prevailed. So the amendment to the amendment was adopted.

### **CALL OF THE SENATE**

Mr. Lessard imposed a call of the Senate for the balance of the proceedings on S.F. No. 1907. The Sergeant at Arms was instructed to bring in the absent members.

The question recurred on the adoption of the Morse amendment, as amended. The motion prevailed. So the amendment, as amended, was adopted.

Mr. Stevens moved to amend S.F. No. 1907 as follows:

Pages 47 and 48, delete section 18

Renumber the sections in sequence and correct the internal references

Amend the title accordingly

The question was taken on the adoption of the amendment.

The roll was called, and there were yeas 23 and nays 38, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Belanger	Frederickson	Laidig	Oliver	Runbeck
Berg	Johnson, D.E.	Larson	Olson	Scheevel
Day	Kiscaden	Lesewski	Pariseau	Stevens
Dille	Kleis	Lessard	Robertson	
Fischbach	Knutson	Limmer	Robling	

Those who voted in the negative were:

Anderson	Higgins	Krentz	Novak	Spear
Beckman	Hottinger	Langseth	Pappas	Stumpf
Berglin	Johnson, D.H.	Lourey	Piper	Ten Eyck
Betzold	Johnson, D.J.	Marty	Pogemiller	Vickerman
Cohen	Johnson, J.B.	Metzen	Ranum	Wiener
Flynn	Junge	Moe, R.D.	Sams	Wiger
Foley	Kelley, S.P.	Morse	Samuelson	
Hanson	Kelley, R.C.	Murphy	Scheid	

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

Mr. Dille moved to amend S.F. No. 1907 as follows:

Page 19, after line 11, insert:

"If a cooperative decides to abandon plans to construct an ethanol production facility, and the cooperative documents that, pursuant to the formation of an ethanol production facility in the state, the cooperative collected \$1,000,000 in stock or \$100,000 in seed money toward the sale of at least \$1,000,000 in stock from January 1996 through March of 1997, the commissioner may reimburse the cooperative, subject to the limit in this paragraph, for up to 75 percent of any eligible planning costs as determined by the commissioner in conjunction with the proposed facility if such costs were incurred between January 1, 1996, and January 1, 1997. The maximum amount of reimbursement may not exceed \$200,000, and a cooperative must submit a request for planning cost reimbursement by December 31, 1997, to be eligible for this purpose."

The motion prevailed. So the amendment was adopted.

Mr. Johnson, D.J. moved to amend S.F. No. 1907 as follows:

Pages 95 to 102, delete section 83

Re-number the sections in sequence and correct the internal references

Amend the title accordingly

The question was taken on the adoption of the amendment.

The roll was called, and there were yeas 39 and nays 24, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Berg	Hottinger	Junge	Larson	Murphy
Betzold	Janezich	Kiscaden	Lesewski	Neuville
Day	Johnson, D.E.	Kleis	Lessard	Novak
Fischbach	Johnson, D.H.	Knutson	Limmer	Oliver
Hanson	Johnson, D.J.	Langseth	Metzen	Olson



Ourada  
Pariseau  
Robertson

Robling  
Runbeck  
Sams

Samuelson  
Scheevel  
Scheid

Solon  
Stevens  
Ten Eyck

Vickerman  
Wiger

Those who voted in the negative were:

Anderson  
Beckman  
Belanger  
Berglin  
Cohen

Dille  
Flynn  
Foley  
Frederickson  
Johnson, J.B.

Kelley, S.P.  
Kelly, R.C.  
Krentz  
Laidig  
Lourey

Marty  
Morse  
Pappas  
Piper  
Pogemiller

Price  
Ranum  
Spear  
Stumpf

The motion prevailed. So the amendment was adopted.

Mr. Morse moved to amend S.F. No. 1907 as follows:

Pages 130 and 131, delete section 118

Re-number the sections in sequence and correct the internal references

Amend the title accordingly

The motion prevailed. So the amendment was adopted.

Mr. Solon moved to amend S.F. No. 1907 as follows:

Page 109, after line 14, insert:

"Sec. 94. Minnesota Statutes 1996, section 115A.54, subdivision 2a, is amended to read:

Subd. 2a. [SOLID WASTE MANAGEMENT PROJECTS.] (a) The director shall provide technical and financial assistance for the acquisition and betterment of solid waste management projects as provided in this subdivision and section 115A.52. Money appropriated for the purposes of this subdivision must be distributed as grants.

(b) Except as provided in paragraph (c), a project may receive grant assistance up to 25 percent of the capital cost of the project or \$2,000,000, whichever is less, except that projects constructed as a result of intercounty cooperative agreements may receive (1) grant assistance up to 25 percent of the capital cost of the project; or (2) \$2,000,000 times the number of participating counties, whichever is less.

(c) A recycling project or a project to compost or cocompost waste may receive grant assistance up to 50 percent of the capital cost of the project or \$2,000,000, whichever is less, except that projects completed as a result of intercounty cooperative agreements may receive (1) grant assistance up to 50 percent of the capital cost of the project; or (2) \$2,000,000 times the number of participating counties, whichever is less. The following projects may also receive grant assistance in the amounts specified in this paragraph:

(1) a project to improve control of or reduce air emissions at an existing resource recovery facility; and

(2) a project to substantially increase the recovery of materials or energy, substantially reduce the amount or toxicity of waste processing residuals, or expand the capacity of an existing resource recovery facility to meet the resource recovery needs of an expanded region if each county from which waste is or would be received has achieved a recycling rate in excess of the goals in section 115A.551, and is implementing aggressive waste reduction and household hazardous waste management programs.

(d) Notwithstanding paragraph (e), the director may award grants for transfer stations that will initially transfer waste to landfills if the transfer stations are part of a planned resource recovery project, the county where the planned resource recovery facility will be located has a comprehensive solid waste management plan approved by the director, and the solid waste management plan proposes the development of the resource recovery facility. If the proposed resource recovery facility is not in place and operating within ~~eight~~ 12 years of the date of the grant award, the recipient shall repay the grant amount to the state.

(e) Projects without resource recovery are not eligible for assistance.

(f) In addition to any assistance received under paragraph (b) or (c), a project may receive grant assistance for the cost of tests necessary to determine the appropriate pollution control equipment for the project or the environmental effects of the use of any product or material produced by the project.

(g) In addition to the application requirements of section 115A.51, an application for a project serving eligible jurisdictions in only a single county must demonstrate that cooperation with jurisdictions in other counties to develop the project is not needed or not feasible. Each application must also demonstrate that the project is not financially prudent without the state assistance, because of the applicant's financial capacity and the problems inherent in the waste management situation in the area, particularly transportation distances and limited waste supply and markets for resources recovered.

(h) For the purposes of this subdivision, a "project" means a processing facility, together with any transfer stations, transmission facilities, and other related and appurtenant facilities primarily serving the processing facility. The director shall adopt rules for the program by July 1, 1985.

(i) Notwithstanding anything in this subdivision to the contrary, a project to construct a new mixed municipal solid waste transfer station that has an enforceable commitment of at least ten years, or of sufficient length to retire bonds sold for the facility, to serve an existing resource recovery facility may receive grant assistance up to 75 percent of the capital cost of the project if addition of the transfer station will increase substantially the geographical area served by the resource recovery facility and the ability of the resource recovery facility to operate more efficiently on a regional basis and the facility meets the criteria in paragraph (c), the second clause (2). A transfer station eligible for assistance under this paragraph is not eligible for assistance under any other paragraph of this subdivision."

Renumber the sections in sequence and correct the internal references

Amend the title accordingly

The motion prevailed. So the amendment was adopted.

Mr. Vickerman moved to amend S.F. No. 1907 as follows:

Page 136, line 16, delete "(a)"

Page 136, delete lines 22 to 26

Page 136, delete lines 27 to 35

Page 136, delete line 36

Page 137, delete lines 1 to 6

Mr. Dille requested division as follows:

First portion:

Page 136, line 16, delete "(a)"

Page 136, delete lines 22 to 26

Page 136, delete lines 27 to 35

Second portion:

Page 136, delete line 36

Page 137, delete lines 1 to 6

The question was taken on the adoption of the second portion of the Vickerman amendment.

The roll was called, and there were yeas 27 and nays 32, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Anderson	Higgins	Lessard	Piper	Stumpf
Beckman	Hottinger	Lourey	Price	Vickerman
Berglin	Johnson, D.J.	Marty	Ranum	Wiger
Betzold	Junge	Morse	Scheid	
Cohen	Kelley, S.P.	Novak	Solon	
Hanson	Krentz	Pappas	Spear	

Those who voted in the negative were:

Belanger	Johnson, D.E.	Larson	Ourada	Scheevel
Berg	Kelly, R.C.	Lesewski	Pariseau	Stevens
Day	Kiscaden	Limmer	Pogemiller	Ten Eyck
Dille	Kleis	Metzen	Robertson	Terwilliger
Fischbach	Knutson	Murphy	Robling	
Foley	Laidig	Neuville	Runbeck	
Frederickson	Langseth	Olson	Sams	

The motion did not prevail. So the second portion of the Vickerman amendment was not adopted.

Mr. Vickerman withdrew the first portion of his amendment.

Mr. Stumpf moved to amend S.F. No. 1907 as follows:

Page 108, after line 5, insert:

"Sec. 93. Minnesota Statutes 1996, section 115.03, subdivision 5, is amended to read:

Subd. 5. [AGENCY AUTHORITY; NATIONAL POLLUTANT DISCHARGE ELIMINATION SYSTEM.] (a) Notwithstanding any other provisions prescribed in or pursuant to this chapter and, with respect to the pollution of waters of the state, in chapter 116, or otherwise, the agency shall have the authority to perform any and all acts minimally necessary including, but not limited to, the establishment and application of standards, procedures, rules, orders, variances, stipulation agreements, schedules of compliance, and permit conditions, consistent with and, therefore not less stringent than the provisions of the Federal Water Pollution Control Act, as amended, applicable to the participation by the state of Minnesota in the National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System (NPDES); provided that this provision shall not be construed as a limitation on any powers or duties otherwise residing with the agency pursuant to any provision of law.

(b) Unless specifically required or approved by the legislature, the agency may not adopt or enforce a new, modified, or revised water quality standard, other than a standard adopted under the Great Lakes Initiative, that is more stringent than is necessary to comply with established federal water quality criteria."

Renumber the sections in sequence and correct the internal references

Amend the title accordingly

The question was taken on the adoption of the amendment.

The roll was called, and there were yeas 13 and nays 47, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Berg	Kleis	Lessard	Scheevel	Vickerman
Day	Langseth	Neuville	Stevens	
Dille	Lesewski	Sams	Stumpf	

Those who voted in the negative were:

Anderson	Hottinger	Krentz	Novak	Runbeck
Belanger	Janezich	Laidig	Oliver	Scheid
Berglin	Johnson, D.E.	Larson	Olson	Solon
Betzold	Johnson, D.H.	Limmer	Pappas	Spear
Cohen	Johnson, D.J.	Lourey	Piper	Terwilliger
Fischbach	Junge	Marty	Pogemiller	Wiener
Foley	Kelley, S.P.	Metzen	Price	Wiger
Frederickson	Kelly, R.C.	Moe, R.D.	Ranum	
Hanson	Kiscaden	Morse	Robertson	
Higgins	Knutson	Murphy	Robling	

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

Mr. Dille moved to amend S.F. No. 1907 as follows:

Page 108, after line 5, insert:

"Sec. 93. Minnesota Statutes 1996, section 115.03, is amended by adding a subdivision to read:

Subd. 9. [FUTURE COSTS OF WASTEWATER TREATMENT; UPDATE OF 1995 REPORT.] The commissioner shall, by January 1, 1998, and each even-numbered year thereafter, provide the chairs of the house and senate committees with primary jurisdiction over the agency's budget with the following information:

(1) an updated list of all wastewater treatment upgrade and construction projects the agency has identified to meet existing and proposed water quality standards and regulations;

(2) an estimate of the total costs associated with the projects listed in clause (1), and project's priority ranking under Minnesota Rules, chapter 7077. The costs of projects necessary to meet existing standards must be identified separately from the costs of projects necessary to meet proposed standards;

(3) the commissioner's best estimate, developed in consultation with the commissioner of trade and economic development and affected permittees, of the increase in sewer service rates to the residents in the municipalities required to construct the projects listed in clause (1) resulting from the cost of these projects; and

(4) a list of existing and proposed state water quality standards which are more stringent than is necessary to comply with federal law, either because the standard has no applicable federal water quality criteria, or because the standard is more stringent than the applicable federal water quality criteria."

Renumber the sections in sequence and correct the internal references

Amend the title accordingly

Mr. Betzold moved to amend the Dille amendment to S.F. No. 1907 as follows:

Page 1, line 6, delete "1" and insert "15"

The motion prevailed. So the amendment to the amendment was adopted.

The question recurred on the adoption of the Dille amendment, as amended. The motion prevailed. So the amendment, as amended, was adopted.

Mr. Pogemiller moved to amend S.F. No. 1907 as follows:

Page 148, after line 23, insert:

"Sec. 141. [RELOCATION OF STEAM SERVICE FACILITY.]

A person may not construct or reconstruct a University of Minnesota steam service facility in that portion of the Mississippi river critical area that is within the boundaries of the city of Minneapolis. The city of Minneapolis and the University of Minnesota shall jointly develop and

submit a plan to the legislature and to the governor for relocating the University's steam service facility currently located on the Mississippi riverfront. The city and University shall include a description of the necessary costs that will be incurred, and a request that the state appropriate funds to reimburse the entities for some portion of those costs."

Renumber the sections in sequence and correct the internal references

Amend the title accordingly

The motion prevailed. So the amendment was adopted.

### RECONSIDERATION

Having voted on the prevailing side, Mr. Johnson, D.E. moved that the vote whereby the Johnson, D.J. amendment to S.F. No. 1907 was adopted on April 16, 1997, be now reconsidered.

The question was taken on the adoption of the motion.

The roll was called, and there were yeas 29 and nays 35, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Anderson	Foley	Knutson	Oliver	Ranum
Belanger	Frederickson	Krentz	Olson	Scheevel
Berglin	Hottinger	Laidig	Ourada	Spear
Cohen	Johnson, D.E.	Lourey	Pappas	Terwilliger
Fischbach	Kelley, S.P.	Marty	Piper	Wiener
Flynn	Kiscaden	Morse	Price	

Those who voted in the negative were:

Beckman	Johnson, D.H.	Lesewski	Pariseau	Scheid
Berg	Johnson, D.J.	Lessard	Pogemiller	Solon
Betzold	Junge	Limmer	Robertson	Stevens
Day	Kelly, R.C.	Metzen	Robling	Stumpf
Dille	Kleis	Moe, R.D.	Runbeck	Ten Eyck
Hanson	Langseth	Neuville	Sams	Vickerman
Higgins	Larson	Novak	Samuelson	Wiger

The motion did not prevail. So the vote was not reconsidered.

Mr. Berg moved to amend S.F. No. 1907 as follows:

Page 81, line 17, delete the new language and reinstate the stricken language

Correct the subdivision and section totals and the summaries by fund accordingly

The question was taken on the adoption of the amendment.

The roll was called, and there were yeas 22 and nays 43, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Belanger	Knutson	Novak	Ranum	Scheid
Berg	Larson	Oliver	Robertson	Wiger
Betzold	Limmer	Olson	Robling	
Kelly, R.C.	Marty	Ourada	Runbeck	
Kiscaden	Neuville	Pariseau	Scheevel	

Those who voted in the negative were:

Anderson	Fischbach	Hottinger	Kelley, S.P.	Lessard
Beckman	Flynn	Janezich	Kleis	Lourey
Berglin	Foley	Johnson, D.E.	Krentz	Metzen
Cohen	Frederickson	Johnson, D.H.	Laidig	Moe, R.D.
Day	Hanson	Johnson, D.J.	Langseth	Morse
Dille	Higgins	Junge	Lesewski	Murphy

Pappas  
Piper  
Pogemiller

Price  
Sams  
Solon

Spear  
Stevens  
Stumpf

Ten Eyck  
Terwilliger  
Vickerman

Wiener

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

Mr. Morse moved to amend S.F. No. 1907 as follows:

Page 12, line 27, delete "33,990,000" and insert "31,740,000" and delete "36,007,000" and insert "32,957,000"

Page 13, line 24, delete "\$652,000" and insert "\$402,000" and delete "\$654,000" and insert "\$404,000"

Page 14, line 8, delete "12,039,000" and insert "11,939,000" and delete "12,274,000" and insert "12,174,000"

Correct the subdivision and section totals and the summaries by fund accordingly

The question was taken on the adoption of the amendment.

The roll was called, and there were yeas 51 and nays 10, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Anderson  
Beckman  
Berg  
Berglin  
Betzold  
Cohen  
Day  
Dille  
Flynn  
Foley  
Hanson

Higgins  
Hottinger  
Johnson, D.E.  
Johnson, D.J.  
Junge  
Kelley, S.P.  
Kelly, R.C.  
Kiscaden  
Kleis  
Krentz  
Laidig

Langseth  
Lesewski  
Lourey  
Marty  
Metzen  
Moe, R.D.  
Morse  
Murphy  
Neuville  
Oliver  
Ourada

Pappas  
Piper  
Pogemiller  
Price  
Ranum  
Robling  
Runbeck  
Scheevel  
Scheid  
Solon  
Spear

Stevens  
Stumpf  
Ten Eyck  
Terwilliger  
Vickerman  
Wiener  
Wiger

Those who voted in the negative were:

Belanger  
Fischbach

Frederickson  
Johnson, D.H.

Knutson  
Larson

Lessard  
Limmer

Novak  
Robertson

The motion prevailed. So the amendment was adopted.

Mr. Novak moved to amend S.F. No. 1907 as follows:

Page 146, after line 11, insert:

"Sec. 137. [REPORT ON WASTE MANAGEMENT ACT REVIEW; PRODUCT LABELING.]

By January 20, 1998, the office of environmental assistance shall report to the senate and house environment and natural resources committees on its comprehensive review of the Waste Management Act and make recommendations for any changes in the law. The report shall address options to improve waste reduction and recycling programs and the integrated waste management system, including whether additional product labeling should be required for products sold in Minnesota which require special disposal practices. The report must discuss the extent to which current authority under Minnesota Statutes, sections 115A.952 and 115A.956, can accomplish the objectives of Minnesota Statutes 1996, section 115A.9523."

Page 155, line 10, after "subdivision 3;" insert "115A.9523;"

Re-number the sections in sequence and correct the internal references

Amend the title accordingly

The motion prevailed. So the amendment was adopted.

Ms. Flynn moved to amend S.F. No. 1907 as follows:

Page 155, lines 9 and 10, delete "18C.541, subdivision 6;"

Amend the title accordingly

The motion prevailed. So the amendment was adopted.

S.F. No. 1907 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 61 and nays 4, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

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

Messrs. Kleis, Limmer, Ourada and Ms. Robertson voted in the negative.

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

Mr. Morse moved that S.F. No. 1907 be laid on the table. The motion prevailed.

## MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS - CONTINUED

### SUSPENSION OF RULES

Mr. Moe, R.D. moved that an urgency be declared within the meaning of Article IV, Section 19, of the Constitution of Minnesota, with respect to S.F. No. 1909 and that the rules of the Senate be so far suspended as to give S.F. No. 1909, now on General Orders, its third reading and place it on its final passage. The motion prevailed.

**S.F. No. 1909:** A bill for an act relating to community development; appropriating money for community development and certain agencies of state government with certain conditions; establishing and modifying certain programs; regulating certain activities and practices; setting and modifying fees; defining terms; requiring studies and reports; amending Minnesota Statutes 1996, sections 60A.23, subdivision 8; 65B.48, subdivision 3; 79.255, by adding a subdivision; 116J.01, subdivision 5; 116J.551; 116J.553, subdivision 2; 116J.554, subdivision 1; 116L.04, subdivision 1, and by adding a subdivision; 176.181, subdivision 2a; 268A.15, subdivisions 2, 6, and by adding subdivisions; 394.25, by adding a subdivision; 446A.04, subdivision 5; 446A.081, subdivisions 1, 4, and 9; 462.357, by adding a subdivision; and 462A.206, subdivisions 2 and 4; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapters 116J; 116L; 268; and 366; repealing Minnesota Statutes 1996, sections 116J.990, subdivision 7; and 462A.206, subdivision 5.

Mr. Beckman moved to amend S.F. No. 1909 as follows:

Page 4, after line 62, insert:

"\$300,000 the first year is for transfers to the Minnesota Futures Fund administered by the Minneapolis Foundation for the purpose of providing technical assistance to nonprofit organizations to assist them in redesigning services and organizational structures in response to the changes in federal and state welfare policy. The commissioner shall make the transfers in amounts necessary to match nonpublic contributions to the fund. This is a one-time appropriation."

Page 19, delete lines 44 to 56 and insert:

"\$100,000 is appropriated in the first year and \$500,000 in the second year for the creation and operation of the rural policy and development center. \$300,000 is appropriated in the second year for transfer to the center for rural policy and development fund account and is available only to the extent matched in cash with contributions from nonstate sources received after July 1, 1997."

Correct the subdivision and section totals and the summaries by fund accordingly

The motion prevailed. So the amendment was adopted.

Mr. Kleis moved to amend S.F. No. 1909 as follows:

Page 7, line 35, delete everything after the period

Page 7, delete lines 36 to 41

The question was taken on the adoption of the amendment.

The roll was called, and there were yeas 19 and nays 43, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Berglin	Johnson, D.E.	Kleis	Oliver	Runbeck
Betzold	Junge	Limmer	Olson	Spear
Cohen	Kelley, S.P.	Lourey	Ranum	Wiger
Flynn	Kiscaden	Neuville	Robertson	

Those who voted in the negative were:

Anderson	Higgins	Larson	Pappas	Solon
Beckman	Hottinger	Lesewski	Piper	Stevens
Belanger	Johnson, D.H.	Lessard	Pogemiller	Stumpf
Berg	Johnson, J.B.	Marty	Price	Ten Eyck
Day	Kelly, R.C.	Metzen	Robling	Terwilliger
Dille	Knutson	Morse	Sams	Vickerman
Foley	Krentz	Murphy	Samuelson	Wiener
Frederickson	Laidig	Novak	Scheevel	
Hanson	Langseth	Ourada	Scheid	

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

Mr. Murphy moved to amend S.F. No. 1909 as follows:

Page 7, line 41, after the period, insert "A person may not serve more than a total of six years as a member of the rehabilitation advisory council for the blind or its predecessor, the council for the



blind. Service prior to the effective date of this section is included in the six-year limit, except that a person currently serving on the rehabilitation advisory council for the blind may serve out the person's current term and serve one additional term."

The motion prevailed. So the amendment was adopted.

Mr. Oliver moved to amend S.F. No. 1909 as follows:

Page 22, after line 36, insert:

"Sec. 33. Minnesota Statutes 1996, section 44A.01, subdivision 2, is amended to read:

Subd. 2. [BOARD MEMBERSHIP.] The corporation is governed by a board of directors consisting of:

(1) four members, representing the international business community, elected to ~~six-year~~ three-year terms by the association of members established under section 44A.023, subdivision 2, clause (5);

(2) four members, representing the international business community, appointed by the governor, to serve at the governor's pleasure;

(3) the mayor of St. Paul or the mayor's designee;

(4) the commissioners of trade and economic development, agriculture, and commerce; and

(5) three members of the house appointed by the speaker of the house and three members of the senate appointed under the rules of the senate, who serve as nonvoting members. One member from each house must be a member of the minority party of that house. Legislative members are appointed at the beginning of each regular session of the legislature for two-year terms. A legislator who remains a member of the body from which the legislator was appointed may serve until a successor is appointed and qualifies. A vacancy in a legislator member's term is filled for the unexpired portion of the term in the same manner as the original appointment.

Members appointed by the governor must be knowledgeable or experienced in international trade in products or services."

Re-number the sections in sequence and correct the internal references

Amend the title accordingly

The motion prevailed. So the amendment was adopted.

Ms. Runbeck moved to amend S.F. No. 1909 as follows:

Pages 21 and 22, delete section 30

Re-number the sections in sequence and correct the internal references

Amend the title accordingly

The motion prevailed. So the amendment was adopted.

Ms. Lesewski moved to amend S.F. No. 1909 as follows:

Page 37, line 13, delete "commissioner" and insert "local workforce council"

The motion prevailed. So the amendment was adopted.

Ms. Runbeck moved to amend S.F. No. 1909 as follows:

Page 22, line 24, after "on" insert ": (1)"

Page 22, line 29, after "enacted" insert "; (2) new programs enacted by the 1997 legislature

designed to address the welfare to work requirements of federal welfare reform and evaluate the success of those new programs in achieving their goals; (3) job placement and retention rates for those programs; and (4) the success of those programs in meeting the needs of welfare recipients seeking employment"

Ms. Runbeck then moved to amend the Runbeck amendment to S.F. No. 1909 as follows:

Page 1, line 3, after the semicolon, insert "by January 20, 1999"

The motion prevailed. So the amendment to the amendment was adopted.

The question recurred on the adoption of the Runbeck amendment, as amended. The motion prevailed. So the amendment, as amended, was adopted.

S.F. No. 1909 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 61 and nays 3, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

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

Messrs. Neuville, Ourada and Scheevel voted in the negative.

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

Mr. Beckman moved that S.F. No. 1909 be laid on the table. The motion prevailed.

### MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS - CONTINUED

Remaining on the Order of Business of Motions and Resolutions, Mr. Moe, R.D. moved that the Senate take up the Calendar. The motion prevailed.

### SUSPENSION OF RULES

Mr. Moe, R.D. moved that Rule 8 be suspended as to the lie-over requirement on the Calendar. The motion prevailed.

### CALENDAR

**S.F. No. 960:** A bill for an act relating to health care; prohibiting contracts that restrict communication between providers and their patients; requiring certain disclosures; requiring health plan companies to provide continuity of care and access to specialty care for certain enrollees; prohibiting certain exclusive arrangements; modifying dispute resolution provisions; requiring identification of health care providers; requiring emergency services coverage; establishing a consumer advisory board; amending Minnesota Statutes 1996, sections 62Q.105,

subdivision 1; 62Q.30; 181.932, subdivision 1; and 214.16, subdivisions 1 and 3; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapters 62J; 62Q; and 144.

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 60 and nays 0, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

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

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

**S.F. No. 813:** A bill for an act relating to children; providing for transfer of custody of a child to a relative by a consent decree; authorizing communication or contact agreements between adoptive parents and birth relatives; providing for a relative conference and relative care agreement following a report of child abuse or neglect; amending Minnesota Statutes 1996, sections 257.02; 259.59 by adding a subdivision; 260.191, subdivision 3b; 260.241, subdivision 1; and 518.158; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapters 257; 259; and 626.

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 62 and nays 0, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

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

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

**S.F. No. 747:** A bill for an act relating to children; child protection; providing a uniform process for children in need of protection or services petitions; providing certain notice in voluntary placements; providing for access to certain data on children; providing for contact and communication agreements in adoption; modifying the reasonable efforts requirement when a child has been placed outside the home; clarifying and modifying time requirements for permanency planning; providing earlier notice to relatives of permanency planning for a child; modifying grounds for termination of parental rights; amending Minnesota Statutes 1996, sections 256E.03, subdivision 2; 257.071, subdivisions 3, 4, and by adding subdivisions; 257.072, subdivision 1; 259.41; 259.59, by adding a subdivision; 259.67, subdivision 2; 260.012; 260.015,

subdivisions 2a and 29; 260.131, subdivisions 1 and 2; 260.155, subdivisions 1a, 2, 3, 4, and 8; 260.161, by adding a subdivision; 260.165, subdivision 3; 260.191, subdivisions 3a, 3b, and 4; 260.192; 260.221, subdivisions 1 and 5; and 260.241, subdivisions 1 and 3; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapters 257; and 259; repealing Minnesota Statutes 1996, section 259.33.

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 62 and nays 0, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

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

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

**S.F. No. 1114:** A bill for an act relating to claims against governmental units; increasing tort liability limits; amending Minnesota Statutes 1996, sections 3.736, subdivision 4; and 466.04, subdivisions 1 and 3.

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 65 and nays 0, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

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

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

**S.F. No. 1720:** A bill for an act relating to local government; permitting the cities of Bloomington, Chanhassen, Eden Prairie, Edina, Minnetonka, and Richfield to issue general obligation bonds for a joint training facility.

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 64 and nays 1, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

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

Mrs. Robling voted in the negative.

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

**S.F. No. 1037:** A bill for an act relating to Scott county; permitting the appointment of the auditor, recorder, and treasurer; providing for a reverse referendum.

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 65 and nays 1, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

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

Mr. Dille voted in the negative.

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

**S.F. No. 566:** A bill for an act relating to lawful gambling; authorizing certain groupings of paddleticket cards; increasing percentage of lawful gambling gross profits that may be spent for expenses; restricting authority of gambling control board to impose sanctions against lawful gambling premises permits for illegal gambling; increasing maximum bingo prices; amending Minnesota Statutes 1996, sections 297E.04, subdivision 3; 349.12, subdivision 26a; 349.15, subdivision 1; 349.155, by adding a subdivision; 349.16, by adding a subdivision; 349.163, subdivision 8; 349.211, subdivisions 1 and 2; and 609.761, by adding a subdivision.

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 58 and nays 9, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Anderson	Berg	Dille	Foley	Higgins
Beckman	Cohen	Fischbach	Frederickson	Hottinger
Belanger	Day	Flynn	Hanson	Janezich

Johnson, D.E.	Laidig	Murphy	Price	Stevens
Johnson, D.H.	Langseth	Novak	Ranum	Stumpf
Johnson, J.B.	Larson	Oliver	Robertson	Ten Eyck
Junge	Lesewski	Olson	Robling	Terwilliger
Kelley, S.P.	Lessard	Ourada	Runbeck	Vickerman
Kelly, R.C.	Lourey	Pappas	Sams	Wiener
Kleis	Metzen	Pariseau	Scheevel	Wiger
Knutson	Moe, R.D.	Piper	Scheid	
Krentz	Morse	Pogemiller	Solon	

Those who voted in the negative were:

Berglin	Johnson, D.J.	Limmer	Neuville	Spear
Betzold	Kiscaden	Marty	Samuelson	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

**S.F. No. 432:** A bill for an act relating to children; modifying execution and consent requirements for designated caregiver agreements; amending Minnesota Statutes 1996, sections 171.07, subdivision 11; 257A.01, subdivision 2, and by adding a subdivision; and 257A.03, 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 67 and nays 0, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

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

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

**S.F. No. 597:** A bill for an act relating to human services; establishing an alternative grant application process for categorical social service programs in Pine county.

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 67 and nays 0, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Anderson	Foley	Kelley, S.P.	Limmer	Ourada
Beckman	Frederickson	Kelly, R.C.	Lourey	Pappas
Belanger	Hanson	Kiscaden	Marty	Pariseau
Berg	Higgins	Kleis	Metzen	Piper
Berglin	Hottinger	Knutson	Moe, R.D.	Pogemiller
Betzold	Janezich	Krentz	Morse	Price
Cohen	Johnson, D.E.	Laidig	Murphy	Ranum
Day	Johnson, D.H.	Langseth	Neuville	Robertson
Dille	Johnson, D.J.	Larson	Novak	Robling
Fischbach	Johnson, J.B.	Lesewski	Oliver	Runbeck
Flynn	Junge	Lessard	Olson	Sams

Samuelson	Solon	Stumpf	Terwilliger	Wiener
Scheevel	Spear	Ten Eyck	Vickerman	Wiger
Scheid	Stevens			

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

**S.F. No. 421:** A bill for an act relating to early childhood learning and protection facilities; clarifying grant limitations; amending Minnesota Statutes 1996, section 268.917.

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 65 and nays 0, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

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

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

**H.F. No. 645:** A bill for an act relating to insurance; providing a uniform minimum definition of medically necessary care for mental health coverage in health plans; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 62Q.

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 67 and nays 0, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

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

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

**H.F. No. 1045:** A bill for an act relating to insurance; prohibiting a surcharge for an automobile accident in which the insured is a passenger in a bus, taxi, or commuter van; prohibiting discrimination in automobile policies based on coverage; removing a surcharge for the automobile theft prevention program; amending Minnesota Statutes 1996, sections 65B.13; and 65B.133, by adding a subdivision; repealing Laws 1996, chapter 408, article 2, section 1, subdivision 3.

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 67 and nays 0, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

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

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

**S.F. No. 951:** A bill for an act relating to county officers; authorizing the county board to assign certain duties of the county auditor and treasurer; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 375A.

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 65 and nays 1, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Anderson	Hanson	Knutson	Neuville	Sams
Beckman	Higgins	Krentz	Novak	Samuelson
Belanger	Hottinger	Laidig	Oliver	Scheevel
Berg	Janezich	Langseth	Olson	Scheid
Berglin	Johnson, D.E.	Larson	Pappas	Solon
Betzold	Johnson, D.H.	Lesewski	Pariseau	Spear
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Flynn	Kelly, R.C.	Metzen	Robertson	Vickerman
Foley	Kiscaden	Morse	Robling	Wiener
Frederickson	Kleis	Murphy	Runbeck	Wiger

Mr. Ourada voted in the negative.

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

**S.F. No. 1669:** A bill for an act relating to Benton county; permitting the combining of the offices of auditor and treasurer and appointment to the combined office and to the offices of recorder and coroner; providing for completion of current terms and for a reverse referendum; providing for the reorganization of certain duties and terms of office.

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 60 and nays 7, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:



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

Those who voted in the negative were:

Dille	Kiscaden	Neuville	Novak	Ourada
Frederickson	Laidig			

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

**H.F. No. 356:** A bill for an act relating to local governmental bodies; authorizing consideration of cost as a criterion in the designation of newspapers for official publication; amending Minnesota Statutes 1996, section 331A.04, subdivision 1, and by adding a subdivision.

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 3, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

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

Mmes. Fischbach, Pariseau and Ms. Runbeck voted in the negative.

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

**S.F. No. 244:** A bill for an act relating to health; allowing physicians to prescribe and administer controlled substances in cases of intractable pain; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 152.

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 67 and nays 0, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Anderson	Day	Higgins	Junge	Laidig
Beckman	Dille	Hottinger	Kelley, S.P.	Langseth
Belanger	Fischbach	Janezich	Kelly, R.C.	Larson
Berg	Flynn	Johnson, D.E.	Kiscaden	Lesewski
Berglin	Foley	Johnson, D.H.	Kleis	Lessard
Betzold	Frederickson	Johnson, D.J.	Knutson	Limmer
Cohen	Hanson	Johnson, J.B.	Krentz	Lourey

Marty	Oliver	Price	Scheevel	Terwilliger
Metzen	Olson	Ranum	Scheid	Vickerman
Moe, R.D.	Ourada	Robertson	Solon	Wiener
Morse	Pappas	Robling	Spear	Wiger
Murphy	Pariseau	Runbeck	Stevens	
Neuville	Piper	Sams	Stumpf	
Novak	Pogemiller	Samuelson	Ten Eyck	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

**H.F. No. 108:** A bill for an act relating to employment; providing for the protection of health insurance benefits for certain Range technical college employees.

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 66 and nays 0, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

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

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

**S.F. No. 683:** A bill for an act relating to public employment; requiring notice before dissolution of certain self insured employee benefit plans; amending Minnesota Statutes 1996, section 471.617, subdivision 4.

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 66 and nays 0, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

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

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

**H.F. No. 156:** A bill for an act relating to state government; secretary of state; regulating filing

fees and procedures; amending Minnesota Statutes 1996, sections 5.12; 5.23; 5.25, subdivision 1; 5A.03; 5A.04; 302A.821, subdivision 5; 303.14, subdivision 1; 308A.005, by adding a subdivision; 317A.821, subdivision 3; 317A.827, subdivision 1; 322A.03; 331A.02, subdivision 1; 336.9-403; 336.9-404; 336A.04, subdivision 4; and 514.08, subdivision 2; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 5; repealing Minnesota Rules, part 3650.0030, subpart 8.

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 66 and nays 0, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Anderson	Higgins	Laidig	Oliver	Scheevel
Beckman	Hottinger	Langseth	Olson	Scheid
Belanger	Janezich	Larson	Ourada	Spear
Berg	Johnson, D.E.	Lesewski	Pappas	Stevens
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Flynn	Kiscaden	Morse	Robling	
Foley	Kleis	Murphy	Runbeck	
Frederickson	Knutson	Neuville	Sams	
Hanson	Krentz	Novak	Samuelson	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

**S.F. No. 1722:** A bill for an act relating to professions and occupations; defining pharmacy technician; amending Minnesota Statutes 1996, sections 151.01, by adding a subdivision; and 151.06, subdivision 1; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 151.

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 65 and nays 0, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

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

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

### MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS - CONTINUED

Mr. Kelley, S.P. moved that H.F. No. 1755 be withdrawn from the Committee on Jobs, Energy and Community Development and re-referred to the Committee on State Government Finance. The motion prevailed.

**INTRODUCTION AND FIRST READING OF SENATE BILLS**

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

**Mr. Wiger introduced--**

**S.F. No. 1917:** A bill for an act relating to education; modifying requirements for handicap access and fire safety improvements to school buildings; creating disabled access revenue, aid, and levy; providing for proration; amending Minnesota Statutes 1996, section 124.84, subdivision 1, and by adding subdivisions; repealing Minnesota Statutes 1996, section 124.84, subdivisions 3 and 4.

Referred to the Committee on Children, Families and Learning.

**Ms. Pappas, Messrs. Johnson, D.J.; Hottinger and Ms. Flynn introduced--**

**S.F. No. 1918:** A bill for an act relating to taxation; providing property tax class rate reform; providing for education financing; providing for calculation of rent constituting property taxes; providing increased property tax refunds for homeowners; changing truth-in-taxation requirements; providing for joint truth-in-taxation hearings; imposing levy limits on cities and counties for taxes levied in 1997 and 1998; changing fiscal note requirements for state mandates; providing for reimbursement for costs of state mandate; requiring periodic review of administrative rules; reducing or repealing certain corporate taxes; imposing a business activity tax; making miscellaneous property tax changes; providing procedures for the apportionment of a local government unit; providing for increase in city aid base; changing tax increment financing provisions; providing for heritage and historic subdistricts; authorizing certain tax increment districts; exempting certain tax increment districts from certain requirements; authorizing local tax levies, abatements, and assessments; requiring reports; appropriating money; amending Minnesota Statutes 1996, sections 93.41; 103D.905, subdivisions 4, 5, and by adding a subdivision; 124.239, subdivision 5, and by adding subdivisions; 124.2716, subdivision 3; 124.2727, subdivision 6b; 124.312, subdivisions 4 and 5; 124.314, subdivision 2; 124.83, subdivision 4; 124.95, subdivisions 1 and 4; 124A.23, subdivision 1; 216B.16, by adding a subdivision; 272.02, subdivision 1; 273.11, subdivision 16; 273.112, subdivisions 1, 2, 3, and 4; 273.124, by adding a subdivision; 273.13, subdivisions 22, 23, 24, 25, 31, and by adding a subdivision; 273.1399, subdivision 6, and by adding a subdivision; 275.065, subdivisions 1, 3, 5a, 6, 8, and by adding subdivisions; 275.16; 276.04, subdivision 2; 281.13; 281.23, subdivision 6, and by adding a subdivision; 281.273; 281.276; 282.01, subdivision 8; 282.04, subdivision 1; 290.06, subdivision 1; 290A.03, subdivisions 11 and 13; 290A.04, subdivisions 2 and 6; 290A.19; 373.40, subdivision 7; 375.192, subdivision 2; 383A.75, subdivision 3; 465.71; 465.81, subdivisions 1 and 3; 465.82, subdivisions 1, 2, and by adding a subdivision; 465.87, subdivisions 1a and 2; 465.88; 469.040, subdivision 3, and by adding a subdivision; 469.174, subdivisions 4, 7, 10, 12, 16, 23, 24, and by adding subdivisions; 469.175, subdivisions 1, 3, 7, and by adding a subdivision; 469.176, subdivisions 1b, 1e, 4c, 4e, 4j, 5, and by adding a subdivision; 469.1765, subdivisions 2, 3, 4, and 7; 469.177, subdivision 3; 477A.011, subdivision 36; 477A.014, subdivision 4; and 611.27, subdivision 4; Laws 1992, chapter 511, article 2, section 52; Laws 1993, chapter 375, article 7, section 29; and Laws 1995, chapter 264, article 5, sections 44, subdivision 4, as amended, and 45, subdivision 1, as amended; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapters 3; 14; 124; 273; 275; 290; 462A; and 469; repealing Minnesota Statutes 1996, sections 3.982; 124.91, subdivisions 2 and 7; 124.912, subdivisions 2 and 3; 270B.12, subdivision 11; 273.13, subdivision 32; 273.1317; 273.1318; 276.012; 290.0921; 290.0922; 290A.03, subdivisions 12a and 14; 290A.055; 290A.26; 469.174, subdivision 19; and 469.176, subdivision 4b; Laws 1995, chapter 264, article 4, as amended.

Referred to the Committee on Taxes.

**MEMBERS EXCUSED**

Mr. Price was excused from the Session of today from 9:00 to 11:30 a.m. Mr. Terwilliger was excused from the Session of today from 10:00 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. Ms. Higgins was excused from the Session of today from 11:00 a.m. to 12:00 noon. Mr. Moe, R.D. was excused from the Session of today from 11:30 a.m. to 1:10 p.m. Ms. Wiener was excused from the Session of today from 11:45 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. Ms. Flynn was excused from the Session of today from 12:30 to 1:30 p.m. Ms. Johnson, J.B. was excused from the Session of today from 12:30 to 2:30 p.m. Mrs. Fischbach was excused from the Session of today from 2:45 to 3:15 p.m. Mr. Pogemiller was excused from the Session of today from 3:15 to 3:30 p.m. Ms. Robertson was excused from the Session of today from 3:20 to 3:30 p.m.

**ADJOURNMENT**

Mr. Moe, R.D. moved that the Senate do now adjourn until 9:30 a.m., Thursday, April 17, 1997. The motion prevailed.

Patrick E. Flahaven, Secretary of the Senate



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