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Hall of the House of Representatives
Des Moines, Iowa, Thursday, February 8, 2024

The House met pursuant to adjournment at 8:30 a.m., Wills of Dickinson in the chair.

Prayer was offered by Dunwell of Jasper.

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

The Pledge of Allegiance was led by Alma Jones. She was the guest and daughter of Jones of Clay.

The Journal of Wednesday, February 7, 2024, was approved.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS

[House File 2367](#), by Rinker, a bill for an act relating to a health insurer's duty of good faith in negotiations with hospitals.

Read first time and referred to committee on **Commerce**.

[House File 2368](#), by Rinker, a bill for an act relating to school lunch programs provided by school districts and accredited nonpublic schools and making appropriations.

Read first time and referred to committee on **Education**.

[House File 2369](#), by Andrews, a bill for an act relating to state funding for children receiving competent private instruction or independent private instruction, making penalties applicable, making appropriations, and including effective date provisions.

Read first time and referred to committee on **Education**.

[House File 2370](#), by Sherman, Hayes, Jeneary, M. Thompson, Stoltenberg, Osmundson, Cisneros, and Dieken, a bill for an act relating to Satanic displays or Satanic worship on property of the state and its political subdivisions.

Read first time and referred to committee on **Judiciary**.

[House File 2371](#), by B. Meyer, a bill for an act prohibiting the misclassification of employees as independent contractors, providing penalties, and including applicability provisions.

Read first time and referred to committee on **Labor and Workforce**.

[House File 2372](#), by Andrews, a bill for an act relating to correctional impact statements regarding minorities who are juveniles.

Read first time and referred to committee on **Public Safety**.

[House File 2373](#), by Andrews, a bill for an act relating to the conduct of elections, and making penalties applicable.

Read first time and referred to committee on **State Government**.

[House File 2374](#), by Gehlbach, a bill for an act relating to privately owned lakes.

Read first time and referred to committee on **State Government**.

[House File 2375](#), by Isenhart, Siegrist, Sieck, Scholten, and Bergan, a bill for an act enacting the dietitian licensure compact.

Read first time and referred to committee on **State Government**.

[House File 2376](#), by Shipley, a bill for an act prohibiting the use of a synthetic biological process to manufacture a food product, and providing penalties.

Read first time and referred to committee on **Agriculture**.

[House File 2377](#), by committee on Education, a bill for an act establishing the advanced dyslexia specialist endorsement competitive grant program within the department of education and making appropriations.

Read first time and referred to committee on **Appropriations**.

[House File 2378](#), by Turek and Siegrist, a bill for an act relating to enclosed structures on private docks and required insurance.

Read first time and referred to committee on **Commerce**.

[House File 2379](#), by Croken, Bagniewski, Levin, Abdul-Samad, Wilburn, Brown-Powers, Kressig, Jacoby, Madison, Cahill, and Gjerde, a bill for an act establishing a nursing education grant program and fund to be administered by the college student aid commission and making appropriations.

Read first time and referred to committee on **Education**.

[House File 2380](#), by Gustoff, a bill for an act relating to the amount of instruction a student who is enrolled in a school district for dual enrollment purposes may receive under the school district's academic programs.

Read first time and referred to committee on **Education**.

[House File 2381](#), by Shipley, a bill for an act relating to illegal reentry into the state by certain aliens, prohibition on arrest in certain locations, orders to return to a foreign nation, immunity from liability and indemnification for enforcement actions, sentencing restrictions, and providing penalties.

Read first time and referred to committee on **Judiciary**.

[House File 2382](#), by Bergan, a bill for an act relating to the treatment of veteran disability dependent benefits in the determination of a child support obligation.

Read first time and referred to committee on **Judiciary**.

[House File 2383](#), by Shipley, a bill for an act relating to state sovereignty.

Read first time and referred to committee on **Judiciary**.

[House File 2384](#), by Isenhardt, a bill for an act relating to watershed degradation monitoring and making appropriations.

Read first time and referred to committee on **Natural Resources**.

[House File 2385](#), by Croken, Bagniewski, Srinivas, Wilson, Staed, Amos Jr., Madison, Buck, Brown-Powers, Kressig, Wilburn, Jacoby, Cahill, and Gjerde, a bill for an act relating to the automatic mailing of ballots, and including applicability provisions.

Read first time and referred to committee on **State Government**.

[House File 2386](#), by Gerhold, a bill for an act relating to pedestrians, and making penalties applicable.

Read first time and referred to committee on **Transportation**.

[House File 2387](#), by Young and Kaufmann, a bill for an act relating to electric fuel, including the electric fuel excise tax and biennial electric fuel dispenser inspections.

Read first time and referred to committee on **Ways and Means**.

[House File 2388](#), by committee on Local Government, a bill for an act relating to the regulation of styles and materials used for residential building exteriors.

Read first time and placed on the **calendar**.

[House File 2389](#), by committee on Education, a bill for an act relating to the term sex and related terms for purposes of statutory construction, including an indication of a person's sex on certain vital records.

Read first time and placed on the **calendar**.

[House File 2390](#), by committee on Health and Human Services, a bill for an act relating to certain powers and duties of the department of inspections, appeals, and licensing including confidentiality of information and records, and dependent adult abuse, and making penalties applicable.

Read first time and placed on the **calendar**.

[House File 2391](#), by committee on Health and Human Services, a bill for an act relating to health care employment agencies, including the statewide maximum allowable charges schedule applicable to nursing services provided by health care employment agency workers, providing penalties, and including effective date provisions.

Read first time and placed on the **calendar**.

[House File 2392](#), by committee on Commerce, a bill for an act relating to mortgage administration and mortgage servicers.

Read first time and placed on the **calendar**.

[House File 2393](#), by committee on Education, a bill for an act relating to health examinations, surveys, and screenings conducted by school districts, charter schools, and innovation zone schools.

Read first time and placed on the **calendar**.

[House File 2394](#), by committee on Commerce, a bill for an act relating to the wholesaling of residential property by a wholesaler, and providing civil penalties.

Read first time and placed on the **calendar**.

[House File 2395](#), by committee on Health and Human Services, a bill for an act creating the compassion and care for medically challenging pregnancies Act.

Read first time and placed on the **calendar**.

[House File 2396](#), by committee on Education, a bill for an act prohibiting school districts and charter schools from taking disciplinary action against employees, contractors, or students for the use of legal names, the use of student names as listed in school registration forms or records, or for the failure to use personal pronouns in official communications, and providing civil penalties.

Read first time and placed on the **calendar**.

[House File 2397](#), by committee on Health and Human Services, a bill for an act relating to the transport of patients to mental health access centers by an ambulance.

Read first time and placed on the **calendar**.

[House File 2398](#), by committee on Local Government, a bill for an act relating to bonds and insurance policies for public officers.

Read first time and placed on the **calendar**.

[House File 2399](#), by committee on Health and Human Services, a bill for an act relating to an indoor mold information and public awareness program.

Read first time and placed on the **calendar**.

[House File 2400](#), by committee on Commerce, a bill for an act relating to contracts and payments for dental care service plans.

Read first time and placed on the **calendar**.

[House File 2401](#), by committee on Commerce, a bill for an act relating to pharmacy benefits managers, pharmacies, and prescription drug pricing, and providing applicability provisions.

Read first time and placed on the **calendar**.

[House File 2402](#), by committee on Health and Human Services, a bill for an act relating to psychiatric medical institutions for children.

Read first time and placed on the **calendar**.

[House File 2403](#), by committee on Judiciary, a bill for an act relating to responsibility for payment of fees relating to termination of parental rights proceedings.

Read first time and placed on the **calendar**.

[House File 2404](#), by committee on Health and Human Services, a bill for an act relating to processes overseen by the department of health and human services, including internal adoption information sharing, dependent adult abuse matters, juvenile justice court filings, and mandatory reporter training.

Read first time and placed on the **calendar**.

[House File 2405](#), by committee on Commerce, a bill for an act relating to the investment of funds by life insurance companies and associations.

Read first time and placed on the **calendar**.

[House File 2406](#), by Jacoby, a bill for an act requiring the department of agriculture and land stewardship to employ additional personnel to inspect or monitor commercial establishments where nonagricultural animals are kept, and including effective date provisions.

Read first time and referred to committee on **Agriculture**.

[House File 2407](#), by Lohse, a bill for an act creating a rural attorney recruitment assistance program, and making appropriations.

Read first time and referred to committee on **Appropriations**.

[House File 2408](#), by Jacoby, a bill for an act relating to prescription drug affordability, including the creation of a prescription drug affordability board.

Read first time and referred to committee on **Commerce**.

[House File 2409](#), by Thomson, a bill for an act relating to discrimination in the provision of financial services, and providing civil penalties.

Read first time and referred to committee on **Commerce**.

[House File 2410](#), by Jacoby, a bill for an act relating to coverage of treatment for congenital dental abnormalities under the Medicaid program.

Read first time and referred to committee on **Health and Human Services**.

[House File 2411](#), by Jacoby, a bill for an act relating to the provision of emergency medical services by a physician and surgeon or osteopathic physician and surgeon and the definition of first responder.

Read first time and referred to committee on **Health and Human Services**.

[House File 2412](#), by Croken, Abdul-Samad, and Madison, a bill for an act relating to rate increases for medical malpractice insurance policies.

Read first time and referred to committee on **Judiciary**.

[House File 2413](#), by Rinker, a bill for an act relating to the revocation or suspension of a law enforcement officer's certification or a reserve peace officer's certification.

Read first time and referred to committee on **Public Safety**.

[House File 2414](#), by Cahill, Baeth, Wilburn, James, Matson, Forbes, Croken, Bagniewski, Staed, Amos Jr., Madison, Brown-Powers, Buck, Kressig, Jacoby, Steckman, and Ehlert, a bill for an act relating to the support of police and community response teams, and making an appropriation.

Read first time and referred to committee on **Public Safety**.

[House File 2415](#), by Thomson, a bill for an act relating to the operation of motor vehicles, including a distracted driving information program and fund, citations issued due to use of automated systems for traffic law enforcement, and enforcement of safety belt and safety harness requirements, providing fees, and making appropriations.

Read first time and referred to committee on **Public Safety**.

[House File 2416](#), by Cahill, Baeth, Wilburn, Croken, Amos Jr., Brown-Powers, Abdul-Samad, and Steckman, a bill for an act relating to registered all-terrain vehicles and off-road utility vehicles.

Read first time and referred to committee on **Transportation**.

[House File 2417](#), by Thomson, a bill for an act relating to certain motor vehicle equipment, including required signage regarding such equipment, and making penalties applicable.

Read first time and referred to committee on **Transportation**.

[House File 2418](#), by Jacoby, a bill for an act creating a legislative tax expenditure committee to review certain tax expenditures prior to repeal or that are otherwise ending.

Read first time and referred to committee on **Ways and Means**.

[House File 2419](#), by Jacoby, a bill for an act modifying the calculation to determine the percentage of actual value at which agricultural and residential properties are taxed, and including applicability provisions.

Read first time and referred to committee on **Ways and Means**.

[House File 2420](#), by committee on Economic Growth and Technology, a bill for an act relating to the maximum amount of workforce housing tax incentives available against the individual and corporate income taxes, the franchise tax, the insurance premiums tax, and the moneys and credits tax.

Read first time and referred to committee on **Ways and Means**.

[House File 2421](#), by committee on Public Safety, a bill for an act relating to firearms by limiting civil liability of federal firearms licensees who enter into voluntary firearm hold agreements with individuals.

Read first time and placed on the **calendar**.

[House File 2422](#), by committee on Public Safety, a bill for an act relating to the criminal offense of accessory after the fact if the public offense involves a murder, and providing penalties.

Read first time and placed on the **calendar**.

[House File 2423](#), by committee on Public Safety, a bill for an act relating to operating-while-intoxicated offenses, including temporary restricted licenses and ignition interlock devices, providing penalties, making penalties applicable, and including effective date and applicability provisions.

Read first time and placed on the **calendar**.

[House File 2424](#), by committee on Public Safety, a bill for an act relating to Gadsden flag special registration plates.

Read first time and placed on the **calendar**.

[House File 2425](#), by committee on State Government, a bill for an act relating to the department of administrative services' process for managing the physical resources of state government, including the selection of state employees' office space.

Read first time and placed on the **calendar**.

[House File 2426](#), by committee on State Government, a bill for an act relating to the inspection obligations of the department of inspections, appeals, and licensing associated with asbestos and hotel sanitation.

Read first time and placed on the **calendar**.

ADOPTION OF [HOUSE RESOLUTION 107](#)

Stone of Winnebago called up for consideration [House Resolution 107](#), a resolution recognizing the cultural and historical significance of Lunar New Year in 2024.

Stone of Winnebago moved the adoption of [House Resolution 107](#).

The motion prevailed and the resolution was adopted.

REREFERRED

The Speaker announced that [House File 2339](#), previously referred to the committee on **Health and Human Services** was rereferred to committee on **Appropriations**.

STUDY BILL COMMITTEE ASSIGNMENTS

[H.S.B. 680](#) Ways and Means

Excluding the net capital gain from the sale of certain livestock from the computation of net income for purposes of the individual income tax, and including retroactive applicability provisions.

[H.S.B. 681](#) Ways and Means

Relating to the sales tax exemption for the purchase of central office equipment or transmission equipment used by certain entities primarily in the furnishing of telecommunications services on a commercial basis.

[H.S.B. 682](#) Ways and Means

Relating to the regulation of vapor products, and providing penalties.

[H.S.B. 683](#) Ways and Means

Relating to medical cannabidiol by providing deductions from the individual and corporate income taxes for expenses incurred by medical cannabidiol manufacturers and dispensaries, and including retroactive applicability provisions.

[H.S.B. 684](#) Ways and Means

Relating to the licensure of medical cannabidiol dispensaries.

[H.S.B. 685](#) Local Government

Relating to tax collections for buildings or improvements erected or made by a person on land owned by another person.

[H.S.B. 686](#) Labor and Workforce

Relating to work-based learning, including by repealing provisions related to regional industry sector partnerships and the statewide work-based learning intermediary network, establishing the workforce opportunity fund within the department of workforce development, modifying provisions related to career and technical education, student teacher requirements for students with substitute teaching or para-educator experience, and the future ready Iowa skilled workforce last-dollar scholarship program, and making appropriations.

[H.S.B. 687](#) Agriculture

Authorizing the Iowa sheep and wool promotion board to issue orders for the suspension and recommencement of the assessment imposed on wool, and including effective date provisions.

[H.S.B. 688](#) Agriculture

Establishing a central filing system relating to security interests in farm products, providing fees, and including contingent implementation and effective date provisions.

[H.S.B. 689](#) Appropriations

Relating to and making appropriations from the opioid settlement fund.

H.S.B. 690 Health and Human Services

Relating to the inclusion of psychiatrists in the mental health professional loan repayment program.

H.S.B. 691 Health and Human Services

Relating to health care facilities, including joint training sessions and review of certain citations for nursing facilities, and exceptions to on-site inspections of health care facilities following complaints.

SUBCOMMITTEE ASSIGNMENTS**House File 2088**

Public Safety: Meggers, Chair; Henderson and B. Meyer.

House File 2093

Ways and Means: Harris, Chair; Isenhardt and Lundgren.

House File 2096

Ways and Means: Kniff McCulla, Chair; Croken and Deyoe.

House File 2121

Ways and Means: Lundgren, Chair; Jacoby and Wulf.

House File 2149

Ways and Means: Wulf, Chair; Best and Gjerde.

House File 2188

Ways and Means: Kniff McCulla, Chair; Osmundson and Wilson.

House File 2231

Public Safety: Meggers, Chair; Henderson and B. Meyer.

House File 2243

Ways and Means: Siegrist, Chair; Jones and Kurth.

House File 2246

Ways and Means: P. Thompson, Chair; Judge and Wills.

[House File 2295](#)

Public Safety: Vondran, Chair; Dieken and Olson.

[House File 2334](#)

Public Safety: Vondran, Chair; Fisher and Kurth.

[House File 2348](#)

Judiciary: Thomson, Chair; Gustoff and Scheetz.

STUDY BILL SUBCOMMITTEE ASSIGNMENTS

[House Study Bill 680](#)

Ways and Means: Sexton, Chair; Wilson and Wulf.

[House Study Bill 680 Reassigned](#)

Ways and Means: Wulf, Chair; Sexton and Wilson.

[House Study Bill 681](#)

Ways and Means: Deyoe, Chair; Gjerde and Kniff McCulla.

[House Study Bill 682](#)

Ways and Means: Siegrist, Chair; Forbes and Harris.

[House Study Bill 683](#)

Ways and Means: Harris, Chair; Forbes and Siegrist.

[House Study Bill 684](#)

Ways and Means: Siegrist, Chair; Best and Forbes.

[House Study Bill 685](#)

Local Government: Bloomingdale, Chair; Cooling and M. Thompson.

[House Study Bill 686](#)

Labor and Workforce: Deyoe, Chair; Bradley and Buck.

[House Study Bill 687](#)

Agriculture: Sexton, Chair; Harris and Levin.

[House Study Bill 688](#)

Agriculture: Mommsen, Chair; Gjerde and Wulf.

[House Study Bill 689](#)

Appropriations: Fry, Chair; Brown-Powers and Lohse.

[House Study Bill 690](#)

Health and Human Services: A. Meyer, Chair; Matson and Moore.

[House Study Bill 691](#)

Health and Human Services: Moore, Chair; Brown-Powers and A. Meyer.

COMMITTEE RECOMMENDATIONS

MR. SPEAKER: The Chief Clerk of the House respectfully reports that the following committee recommendations have been received and are on file in the office of the Chief Clerk:

COMMITTEE ON JUDICIARY

[House File 594](#), a bill for an act relating to restitution for the death of a person caused by a victim of human trafficking.

Fiscal Note: **No**

Recommendation: **Do Pass** February 8, 2024. Placed on the **calendar** February 8, 2024.

Committee Bill (Formerly [House File 618](#)), relating to commercial transactions, including control and transmission of electronic records and digital assets.

Fiscal Note: **No**

Recommendation: **Amend and Do Pass** February 8, 2024.

Committee Bill (Formerly [House File 2095](#)), relating to representation by a local public defender of certain parties to an adoption.

Fiscal Note: **No**

Recommendation: **Do Pass** February 8, 2024.

Committee Bill (Formerly [House Study Bill 529](#)), relating to the judicial retirement fund.

Fiscal Note: **No**

Recommendation: **Do Pass** February 8, 2024.

Committee Bill (Formerly [House Study Bill 530](#)), relating to human trafficking including parole and work release and victim counselors, and guardian ad litem appointments for prosecuting witnesses with mental disabilities.

Fiscal Note: **No**

Recommendation: **Do Pass** February 8, 2024.

Committee Bill (Formerly [House Study Bill 614](#)), relating to the exercise of religion, and including effective date and applicability provisions.

Fiscal Note: **No**

Recommendation: **Do Pass** February 8, 2024.

Committee Bill (Formerly [House Study Bill 635](#)), relating to the penalty for public employees and public officials taking money from a public employer.

Fiscal Note: **No**

Recommendation: **Do Pass** February 8, 2024.

Committee Bill (Formerly [House Study Bill 645](#)), relating to statutory corrections which may adjust language to reflect current practices, insert earlier omissions, delete redundancies and inaccuracies, resolve inconsistencies and conflicts, remove ambiguities, and provide for Code editor directives.

Fiscal Note: **No**

Recommendation: **Amend and Do Pass** February 8, 2024.

COMMITTEE ON LABOR AND WORKFORCE

[Senate File 319](#), a bill for an act concerning private sector employee drug testing.

Fiscal Note: **No**

Recommendation: **Do Pass** February 8, 2024. Placed on the **calendar** February 8, 2024.

COMMITTEE ON NATURAL RESOURCES

Committee Bill (Formerly [House Study Bill 654](#)), relating to the conveyance of firearms on certain vehicles.

Fiscal Note: **No**

Recommendation: **Do Pass** February 8, 2024.

COMMITTEE ON TRANSPORTATION

Committee Bill (Formerly [House File 2092](#)), relating to motor grader operator training.

Fiscal Note: **No**

Recommendation: **Amend and Do Pass** February 7, 2024.

Committee Bill (Formerly [House File 2120](#)), relating to road construction, modification, and repair project standards.

Fiscal Note: **No**

Recommendation: **Amend and Do Pass** February 7, 2024.

Committee Bill (Formerly [House Study Bill 611](#)), relating to the maximum weight of vehicles powered primarily by natural gas or electric battery, and making penalties applicable.

Fiscal Note: **No**

Recommendation: **Do Pass** February 7, 2024.

Committee Bill (Formerly [House Study Bill 612](#)), relating to the driving privileges of persons under eighteen years of age, and making penalties applicable.

Fiscal Note: **No**

Recommendation: **Amend and Do Pass** February 7, 2024.

MEGHAN NELSON
Chief Clerk of the House

On motion by Stone of Winnebago, the House adjourned at 8:54 a.m., until 1:00 p.m., Monday, February 12, 2024.