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SEVENTY-SECOND CALENDAR DAY  
FORTY-SECOND SESSION DAY

Senate Chamber  
Des Moines, Iowa, Tuesday, March 25, 2003

The Senate met in regular session at 8:34 a.m., Senator Larson presiding.

Prayer was offered in song by Godz Guys of the Gloria Dei Lutheran Church in Urbandale, Iowa. They were the guests of Senator Holveck.

The Journal of Monday, March 24, 2003, was approved.

The Senate stood at ease at 8:38 a.m. until the fall of the gavel for the purpose of party caucuses.

The Senate resumed session at 9:47 a.m., President Kramer presiding.

### LEAVES OF ABSENCE

Leaves of absence were granted as follows:

Senator Gronstal, until he arrives, on request of Senator Kibbie; and Senator Miller, for the day, on request of Senator Rehberg.

### CONSIDERATION OF BILL (Regular Calendar)

Senator Iverson asked and received unanimous consent to take up for consideration [Senate File 416](#).

**Senate File 416**

On motion of Senator Iverson, **Senate File 416**, a bill for an act relating to an emergency shelter and support services demonstration project relating to dependent adults, was taken up for consideration.

Senator Tinsman offered amendment **S-3076**, filed by her on March 24, 2003, to page 1 of the bill, and moved its adoption.

Amendment **S-3076** was adopted by a voice vote.

Senator Tinsman moved that the bill be read the last time now and placed upon its passage, which motion prevailed by a voice vote, and the bill was read the last time.

On the question "Shall the bill pass?" (**S.F. 416**), the vote was:

Yeas, 48:

Angelo	Beall	Behn	Black
Boettger	Bolkcom	Brunkhorst	Connolly
Courtney	Dearden	Dotzler	Drake
Dvorsky	Fraise	Gaskill	Hatch
Holveck	Horn	Hosch	Houser
Iverson	Johnson	Kettering	Kibbie
Kramer	Kreiman	Lamberti	Larson
Lundby	McCoy	McKibben	McKinley
Putney	Quirnbach	Ragan	Redfern
Rehberg	Schuerer	Seng	Seymour
Shull	Sievers	Stewart	Tinsman
Veenstra	Warnstadt	Wieck	Zieman

Nays, none.

Absent, 2:

Gronstal                      Miller

The bill, having received a constitutional majority, was declared to have passed the Senate and the title was agreed to.

CONSIDERATION OF BILL  
(Appropriations Calendar)

Senator Iverson asked and received unanimous consent to take up for consideration **Senate File 425**.

**Senate File 425**

On motion of Senator Gaskill, **Senate File 425**, a bill for an act relating to and making appropriations involving state government, including provisions affecting agriculture and natural resources, was taken up for consideration.

Senator Schuerer offered amendment **S-3083**, filed by him from the floor to page 6 of the bill, and moved its adoption.

A nonrecord roll call was requested.

The ayes were 7, nays 31.

Amendment **S-3083** lost.

Senator Gaskill moved that the bill be read the last time now and placed upon its passage, which motion prevailed by a voice vote, and the bill was read the last time.

On the question "Shall the bill pass?" (**S.F. 425**), the vote was:

Yeas, 46:

Angelo	Beall	Behn	Black
Boettger	Bolkcom	Brunkhorst	Connolly
Courtney	Dearden	Dotzler	Drake
Dvorsky	Fraise	Gaskill	Hatch
Holveck	Horn	Hosch	Houser
Iverson	Johnson	Kettering	Kibbie
Kramer	Lamberti	Larson	Lundby
McKibben	McKinley	Putney	Quirnbach
Ragan	Redfern	Rehberg	Schuerer
Seng	Seymour	Shull	Sievers
Stewart	Tinsman	Veenstra	Warnstadt
Wieck	Zieman		

Nays, 2:

Kreiman	McCoy
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Absent, 2:

Gronstal	Miller
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The bill, having received a constitutional majority, was declared to have passed the Senate and the title was agreed to.

CONSIDERATION OF BILL  
(Regular Calendar)

Senator Iverson asked and received unanimous consent to take up for consideration [Senate File 386](#).

[Senate File 386](#)

On motion of Senator Boettger, [Senate File 386](#), a bill for an act requiring the insurance division of the department of commerce to establish a school health insurance reform team study and to make recommendations to the general assembly, was taken up for consideration.

Senator Kreiman offered amendment [S-3088](#), filed by Senators Kreiman and Boettger from the floor to page 2 of the bill, and moved its adoption.

Amendment [S-3088](#) was adopted by a voice vote.

Senator Boettger moved that the bill be read the last time now and placed upon its passage, which motion prevailed by a voice vote, and the bill was read the last time.

On the question "Shall the bill pass?" ([S.F. 386](#)), the vote was:

Yeas, 49:

Angelo	Beall	Behn	Black
Boettger	Bolkcom	Brunkhorst	Connolly
Courtney	Dearden	Dotzler	Drake
Dvorsky	Fraise	Gaskill	Gronstal
Hatch	Holveck	Horn	Hosch
Houser	Iverson	Johnson	Kettering
Kibbie	Kramer	Kreiman	Lamberti
Larson	Lundby	McCoy	McKibben
McKinley	Putney	Quirnbach	Ragan
Redfern	Rehberg	Schuerer	Seng
Seymour	Shull	Sievers	Stewart

Tinsman  
Zieman

Veenstra

Warnstadt

Wieck

Nays, none.

Absent, 1;

Miller

The bill, having received a constitutional majority, was declared to have passed the Senate and the title was agreed to.

#### IMMEDIATELY MESSAGED

Senator Iverson asked and received unanimous consent that **Senate Files 386, 416, and 425** be **immediately messaged** to the House.

#### RECESS

On motion of Senator Iverson, the Senate recessed at 10:35 a.m. until 4:00 p.m.

**APPENDIX — 1****CERTIFICATES OF RECOGNITION**

The Secretary of the Senate issued the following certificates of recognition:

Troy P. Bockenstedt, Dyersville — For achieving the rank of Eagle Scout, Boy Scout Troop 60. Senator Hosch (3/25/03).

Lee and Martha Faris, Mount Ayr — For being chosen "Iowa Master Farmer" by Wallaces Farmer magazine. Senator Angelo (3/25/03)

Adam J. Kruse, Indianola — For achieving the rank of Eagle Scout, Boy Scout Troop 126. Senator Shull (3/25/03).

Steven Martin, Mason City — For achieving the rank of Eagle Scout, Boy Scout Troop 12. Senator Ragan (3/25/03).

Joseph Henry Montag, Manchester — For achieving the rank of Eagle Scout, Boy Scout Troop 33. Senator Hosch (3/25/03).

**REPORTS OF COMMITTEE MEETINGS****APPROPRIATIONS**

**Convened:** March 25, 2003, 3:05 p.m.

**Members Present:** Lamberti, Chair; Kramer, Vice Chair; Dvorsky, Ranking Member; Behn, Bolcom, Connolly, Dotzler, Fraise, Gaskill, Horn, Houser, McKibben, McKinley, Schuerer, Seng, Seymour, Shull, Sievers, Tinsman, Veenstra, Warnstadt, and Zieman.

**Members Absent:** Black, Hatch, and Miller (all excused).

**Committee Business:** Approved [SSB 1179](#) (as amended).

**Adjourned:** 3:15 p.m.

**COMMERCE**

**Convened:** March 25, 2003, 1:40 p.m.

**Members Present:** Angelo, Chair; Wieck, Vice Chair; Warnstadt, Ranking Member; Beall, Behn, Bolcom, Brunkhorst, Gronstal, Kettering, McCoy, Redfern, Schuerer, Sievers, and Stewart.

**Members Absent:** Larson (excused).

**Committee Business:** Passed [HF 319](#) (as amended) and approved the Governor's appointee.

**Adjourned:** 1:50 p.m.

**NATURAL RESOURCES AND ENVIRONMENT**

**Convened:** March 25, 2003, 2:35 p.m.

**Members Present:** Houser, Chair; Johnson, Vice Chair; Seng, Ranking Member; Black, Bolkcom, Brunkhorst, Dearden, Holveck, Kettering, Kibbie, Lundby, Wieck, and Zieman.

**Members Absent:** Drake and Miller (both excused).

**Committee Business:** Approved the Governor's appointees.

**Adjourned:** 2:55 p.m.

**INTRODUCTION OF RESOLUTION**

[Senate Concurrent Resolution 12](#), by Black, a concurrent resolution supporting the United Nations' recognition of the Republic of China on Taiwan.

Read first time under Rule 28 and referred to committee on **Rules and Administration**.

**INTRODUCTION OF BILL**

[Senate File 430](#), by Johnson, a bill for an act relating to tax credits provided for purposes of acquiring agricultural assets, and providing for an effective and applicability date.

Read first time under Rule 28 and referred to committee on **Ways and Means**.

**SUBCOMMITTEE ASSIGNMENTS**

[Senate File 427](#)

APPROPRIATIONS: Dvorsky, Chair; Kramer and Lamberti

[Senate File 428](#)

APPROPRIATIONS: Kramer, Chair; Dvorsky and Lamberti

[Senate File 429](#)

WAYS AND MEANS: Larson, Chair; McKibben and Stewart

[House File 457](#)

HUMAN RESOURCES: Hatch, Chair; McKinley and Veenstra

[House File 557](#)

HUMAN RESOURCES: Tinsman, Chair; Boettger and Horn

[House File 558](#)

HUMAN RESOURCES: Kreiman, Chair; Hosch and Veenstra

[House File 565](#)

HUMAN RESOURCES: Tinsman, Chair; Kreiman and Veenstra

[House File 575](#)

HUMAN RESOURCES: Schuerer, Chair; Hatch and Seymour

[House File 601](#)

STATE GOVERNMENT: Johnson, Chair; Dearden and Zieman

[House File 603](#)

STATE GOVERNMENT: Black, Chair; Shull and Tinsman

[House File 604](#)

STATE GOVERNMENT: Johnson, Chair; Connolly and Veenstra

[House File 615](#)

WAYS AND MEANS: McCoy, Chair; Lamberti and Shull

**BILLS ENROLLED, SIGNED, AND SENT TO GOVERNOR**

**The Secretary of the Senate submitted the following report:**

MADAM PRESIDENT: The Secretary of the Senate respectfully reports that the following bills have been enrolled, signed by the President of the Senate and the Speaker of the House, and presented to the Governor for his approval on this 25th day of March, 2003:

Senate Files 97 and 424.

MICHAEL E. MARSHALL  
Secretary of the Senate

## AFTERNOON SESSION

The Senate reconvened at 4:03 p.m., President Kramer presiding.

## HOUSE MESSAGES RECEIVED AND CONSIDERED

The following messages were received from the Chief Clerk of the House:

MADAM PRESIDENT: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has on March 25, 2003, **passed** the following bills in which the concurrence of the Senate is asked:

**House File 400**, a bill for an act relating to providing probationer and parolee information to local law enforcement agencies and the state department of transportation.

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

**House File 614**, a bill for an act relating to elections and voter registration by implementing requirements of federal law, modifying closing hours of the polls and voter identification requirements, transferring duties relating to conduct of elections and voter registration from the office of secretary of state to the Iowa ethics and campaign disclosure board, and making changes relating to absentee voting procedures, including request and delivery of absentee ballot applications, delivery of absentee ballots to the voter, and delivery of completed absentee ballots to the county commissioner of elections, and including effective date provisions.

Read first time and **attached to similar Senate File 370**.

The Senate stood at ease at 4:04 p.m. until the fall of the gavel for the purpose of party caucuses.

The Senate resumed session at 5:00 p.m., President Kramer presiding.

## HOUSE MESSAGES RECEIVED AND CONSIDERED

The following messages were received from the Chief Clerk of the House:

MADAM PRESIDENT: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has on March 25, 2003, passed the following bills in which the concurrence of the Senate is asked:

[House File 397](#), a bill for an act relating to community development block grants to the department of economic development and including effective and retroactive applicability dates.

Read first time and referred to committee on **Economic Growth**.

[House File 480](#), a bill for an act relating to the shelter assistance fund.

Read first time and referred to committee on **Economic Growth**.

[House File 652](#), a bill for an act relating to and making transportation and other infrastructure-related appropriations to the state department of transportation, including allocation and use of moneys from the road use tax fund and the primary road fund, and providing for the nonreversion of certain moneys.

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

[House File 655](#), a bill for an act relating to and making appropriations to certain state departments, agencies, funds, and certain other entities, providing for regulatory authority, and other properly related matters.

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

UNFINISHED BUSINESS  
(Deferred March 24, 2003)

[Senate File 359](#)

The Senate resumed consideration of [Senate File 359](#), a bill for an act relating to landlords, tenants, and actions for forcible entry or detention, deferred March 24, 2003.

Senator Hatch offered amendment [S-3089](#), filed by him from the floor to page 1 of the bill, and moved its adoption.

A nonrecord roll call was requested.

The ayes were 19, nays 26.

Amendment [S-3089](#) lost.

Senator Kreiman offered amendment [S-3086](#), filed by him from the floor to page 3 of the bill, and moved its adoption.

Amendment [S-3086](#) was adopted by a voice vote.

Senator Redfern moved that the bill be read the last time now and placed upon its passage, which motion prevailed by a voice vote, and the bill was read the last time.

On the question "Shall the bill pass?" ([S.F. 359](#)), the vote was:

Yeas, 49:

Angelo	Beall	Behn	Black
Boettger	Bolkcom	Brunkhorst	Connolly
Courtney	Dearden	Dotzler	Drake
Dvorsky	Fraise	Gaskill	Gronstal
Hatch	Holveck	Horn	Hosch
Houser	Iverson	Johnson	Kettering
Kibbie	Kramer	Kreiman	Lamberti
Larson	Lundby	McCoy	McKibben
McKinley	Putney	Quirnbach	Ragan
Redfern	Rehberg	Schuerer	Seng
Seymour	Shull	Sievers	Stewart
Tinsman	Veenstra	Warnstadt	Wieck
Zieman			

Nays, none.

Absent, 1:

Miller

The bill, having received a constitutional majority, was declared to have passed the Senate and the title was agreed to.

CONSIDERATION OF BILLS  
(Regular Calendar)

Senator Angelo asked and received unanimous consent to take up for consideration Senate Files 396 and 402.

**Senate File 396**

On motion of Senator Houser, **Senate File 396**, a bill for an act providing for the animal unit capacity of pullets for purposes of regulation under the animal agriculture compliance Act, was taken up for consideration.

Senator Houser offered amendment **S-3058**, filed by him on March 18, 2003, to page 1 of the bill, and moved its adoption.

Amendment **S-3058** was adopted by a voice vote.

Senator Houser moved that the bill be read the last time now and placed upon its passage, which motion prevailed by a voice vote, and the bill was read the last time.

On the question "Shall the bill pass?" (**S.F. 396**), the vote was:

Yeas, 49:

Angelo	Beall	Behn	Black
Boettger	Bolkcom	Brunkhorst	Connolly
Courtney	Dearden	Dotzler	Drake
Dvorsky	Fraise	Gaskill	Gronstal
Hatch	Holveck	Horn	Hosch
Houser	Iverson	Johnson	Kettering
Kibbie	Kramer	Kreiman	Lamberti
Larson	Lundby	McCoy	McKibben
McKinley	Putney	Quirnbach	Ragan
Redfern	Rehberg	Schuerer	Seng
Seymour	Shull	Sievers	Stewart
Tinsman	Veenstra	Warnstadt	Wieck
Zieman			

Nays, none.

Absent, 1:

Miller

The bill, having received a constitutional majority, was declared to have passed the Senate and the title was agreed to.

**Senate File 402**

On motion of Senator McKibben, **Senate File 402**, a bill for an act relating to the admissibility of prior criminal offenses into evidence in the prosecution of certain sexual offenses, was taken up for consideration.

Senator McKibben withdrew amendment **S-3072**, filed by him on March 20, 2003, to page 1 of the bill.

Senator McKibben offered amendment **S-3090**, filed by him from the floor to page 1 of the bill, and moved its adoption.

Amendment **S-3090** was adopted by a voice vote.

Senator McKibben moved that the bill be read the last time now and placed upon its passage, which motion prevailed by a voice vote, and the bill was read the last time.

On the question "Shall the bill pass?" (**S.F. 402**), the vote was:

Yeas, 48:

Angelo	Beall	Behn	Black
Boettger	Bolkcom	Brunkhorst	Connolly
Courtney	Dearden	Dotzler	Drake
Dvorsky	Fraise	Gaskill	Gronstal
Hatch	Holveck	Horn	Hosch
Houser	Iverson	Johnson	Kettering
Kibbie	Kramer	Kreiman	Lamberti
Larson	Lundby	McCoy	McKibben
McKinley	Putney	Ragan	Redfern
Rehberg	Schuerer	Seng	Seymour
Shull	Sievers	Stewart	Tinsman
Veenstra	Warnstadt	Wieck	Zieman

Nays, 1:

Quirnbach

Absent, 1:

Miller

The bill, having received a constitutional majority, was declared to have passed the Senate and the title was agreed to.

IMMEDIATELY MESSAGED

Senator Angelo asked and received unanimous consent that **Senate Files 359, 396, and 402** be **immediately messaged** to the House.

CONSIDERATION OF BILL  
(Regular Calendar)

Senator Angelo asked and received unanimous consent to take up for consideration [Senate File 317](#).

[Senate File 317](#)

On motion of Senator Putney, [Senate File 317](#), a bill for an act relating to fraudulent use of a credit card, scanning device, or reencoder, and providing a penalty, was taken up for consideration.

Senator Putney asked and received unanimous consent that [House File 504](#) be **substituted** for [Senate File 317](#).

[House File 504](#)

On motion of Senator Putney, [House File 504](#), a bill for an act relating to fraudulent use of a credit card, scanning device, or reencoder, and providing a penalty, was taken up for consideration.

Senator Putney moved that the bill be read the last time now and placed upon its passage, which motion prevailed by a voice vote, and the bill was read the last time.

On the question "Shall the bill pass?" ([H.F. 504](#)), the vote was:

Yeas, 49:

Angelo	Beall	Behn	Black
Boettger	Bolkcom	Brunkhorst	Connolly
Courtney	Dearden	Dotzler	Drake
Dvorsky	Fraise	Gaskill	Gronstal
Hatch	Holveck	Horn	Hosch

Houser	Iverson	Johnson	Kettering
Kibbie	Kramer	Kreiman	Lamberti
Larson	Lundby	McCoy	McKibben
McKinley	Putney	Quirnbach	Ragan
Redfern	Rehberg	Schuerer	Seng
Seymour	Shull	Sievers	Stewart
Tinsman	Veenstra	Warnstadt	Wieck
Zieman			

Nays, none.

Absent, 1:

Miller

The bill, having received a constitutional majority, was declared to have passed the Senate and the title was agreed to.

#### WITHDRAWN

Senator Putney asked and received unanimous consent that [Senate File 317](#) be **withdrawn** from further consideration of the Senate.

#### IMMEDIATELY MESSAGED

Senator Iverson asked and received unanimous consent that [House File 504](#) be **immediately messaged** to the House.

#### HOUSE MESSAGE RECEIVED AND CONSIDERED

The following message was received from the Chief Clerk of the House:

MADAM PRESIDENT: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has on March 25, 2003, **passed** the following bill in which the concurrence of the Senate is asked:

[House File 633](#), a bill for an act relating to cemeteries and cemetery regulation; establishing requirements for interment rights agreements, reporting, and permits; establishing and appropriating fees; and providing administration and enforcement procedures and penalties.

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

**ADJOURNMENT**

On motion of Senator Iverson, the Senate adjourned at 5:37 p.m. until 8:30 a.m. Wednesday, March 26, 2003.

**APPENDIX — 2****GOVERNOR'S APPOINTEES PLACED ON  
EN BLOC CALENDAR**

The following appointees, assigned to standing committees for investigation, were placed on the En Bloc Calendar with recommendations for confirmation:

**COMMERCE**

Walter Murphy – Title Guaranty Division Board

**JUDICIARY**

Dinh VanLo – Iowa State Civil Rights Commission

Monroe Colston – Commission on Judicial Qualifications (Appointment)

Monroe Colston – Commission on Judicial Qualifications (Reappointment)

**LOCAL GOVERNMENT**

Barbara Brown – City Development Board

Denise Dolan – County Finance Committee

Kevin Wynn – County Finance Committee

Wynema Morris – Iowa Lewis and Clark Bicentennial Commission

Michele Walker – Iowa Lewis and Clark Bicentennial Commission

Ralph Kremer – Mental Health Risk Pool Board

**NATURAL RESOURCES AND ENVIRONMENT**

Donna Buell – Environmental Protection Commission

Lisa Davis Cook – Environmental Protection Commission

Jerry Peckumn – Environmental Protection Commission

Randy Duncan – Natural Resource Commission

**STATE GOVERNMENT**

Richard Johnson – Accountancy Examining Board  
Telford Lodden – Accountancy Examining Board

Martha Green – Architectural Examining Board  
Jeffrey Morgan – Architectural Examining Board

Alison Foughty – Board of Chiropractic Examiners  
Kathleen Kennedy – Board of Chiropractic Examiners

Jerry Talbott – Board of Cosmetology Arts and Sciences Examiners

Elizabeth Brennan – Board of Dental Examiners  
Gary Roth – Board of Dental Examiners

Joseph Rodriguez – Board of Dietetic Examiners

Julie Bell – Iowa Emergency Response Commission

Leslie Whippen – Board for the Licensing and Regulation of Hearing Aid  
Dispensers

Quentin Boyken – IowAccess Advisory Council

Elaine Baxter – Iowa Lottery Board  
Michael McCoy – Iowa Lottery Board

Carole Frier – Board of Medical Examiners

Susan Frey – State Board of Examiners for Nursing Home Administrators  
Mary Nielsen – State Board of Examiners for Nursing Home Administrators  
Audrae Zoekler – State Board of Examiners for Nursing Home Administrators

Robert Weiland – Board of Optometry Examiners

Katherine Linder – Board of Pharmacy Examiners  
Leman Olson – Board of Pharmacy Examiners

Ethel Campbell – Board of Podiatry Examiners

Ana Lopez-Dawson – Board of Psychology Examiners

Joyce Jarding – State Racing and Gaming Commission

David Erickson – Real Estate Appraiser Examining Board  
Karen Oberman – Real Estate Appraiser Examining Board

Laurie Dawley – Real Estate Commission

Robert Zeman – State Board for Respiratory Care

Thomas Capshew – Board of Social Work Examiners  
Joan Hester – Board of Social Work Examiners

Kent Webb – Board of Speech Pathology and Audiology Examiners

Mildred Dawson – Commission of Veterans Affairs

Anne Duffy – Iowa Board of Veterinary Medicine  
Leslie Hemmingson – Iowa Board of Veterinary Medicine

### GOVERNOR'S APPOINTEES PLACED ON INDIVIDUAL CONFIRMATION CALENDAR

The following appointees, assigned to standing committees for investigation, were placed on the Individual Confirmation Calendar with recommendations for confirmation:

#### STATE GOVERNMENT

Donna M. Mueller – Chief Executive Officer of the IPERS

Ed Stanek – Commissioner of the Iowa Lottery

### REPORTS OF COMMITTEE MEETINGS

#### LOCAL GOVERNMENT

**Convened:** March 25, 2003, 2:00 p.m.

**Members Present:** Gaskill, Chair; Quirnbach, Ranking Member; Angelo, Hatch, Hosch, Houser, Kreiman, McCoy, Rehberg, Seymour, Stewart, and Wieck.

**Members Absent:** Miller, Vice Chair (excused).

**Committee Business:** Passed [HF 289](#) and approved Governor's appointees.

**Adjourned:** 2:20 p.m.

#### STATE GOVERNMENT

**Convened:** March 25, 2003, 2:05 p.m.

**Members Present:** Zieman, Chair; Sievers, Vice Chair; Kibbie, Ranking Member; Black, Connolly, Courtney, Dearden, Drake, Johnson, Lamberti, Ragan, Schuerer, Shull, Tinsman, and Veenstra.

**Members Absent:** None.

**Committee Business:** Approved Governor's appointees.

**Adjourned:** 2:25 p.m.

## INTRODUCTION OF BILLS

**Senate File 431**, by Bolkcom, a bill for an act relating to reporting requirements for delayed deposit services.

Read first time under Rule 28 and referred to committee on **Commerce**.

**Senate File 432**, by Iverson and Gronstal, a bill for an act relating to ownership of alternate energy production facilities by public utilities, making related changes, and providing an effective date.

Read first time under Rule 28 and referred to committee on **Commerce**.

**Senate File 433**, by committee on Appropriations, a bill for an act relating to and making appropriations to the department of economic development, certain board of regents institutions, department of workforce development, and the public employment relations board and related matters.

Read first time under Rule 28 and **placed on Appropriations calendar**.

## SUBCOMMITTEE ASSIGNMENTS

### **House File 516**

NATURAL RESOURCES AND ENVIRONMENT: Brunkhorst, Chair; Kettering and Seng

### **House File 545**

COMMERCE: Beall, Chair; Angelo and Wieck

## COMMITTEE REPORTS

### APPROPRIATIONS

**Final Bill Action:** \***SENATE FILE 433 (SSB 1179)**, a bill for an act relating to and making appropriations to the department of economic development, certain board of regents institutions, department of workforce development, and the public employment relations board and related matters.

**Recommendation:** APPROVED COMMITTEE BILL.

**Final Vote:** Ayes, 22: Lamberti, Kramer, Dvorsky, Behn, Bolkcom, Connolly, Dotzler, Fraise, Gaskill, Horn, Houser, McKibben, McKinley, Schuerer, Seng, Seymour, Shull, Sievers, Tinsman, Veenstra, Warnstadt, and Ziemann. Nays, none. Absent, 3: Black, Hatch, and Miller.

**Fiscal Note:** NOT REQUIRED UNDER JOINT RULE 17.

\*Pursuant to Senate Rule 40, the Legislative Service Bureau reported nonsubstantive changes to the members of the Appropriations Committee on [Senate File 433](#), and they were attached to the committee report.

#### COMMERCE

**Final Bill Action:** [HOUSE FILE 319](#), a bill for an act permitting written demand via regular mail prior to an action under the uniform commercial code for recovery of civil damages for a dishonored check, draft, or order, when supported by an affidavit of service.

**Recommendation:** AMEND AND DO PASS, AS PROVIDED IN AMENDMENT [S-3092](#).

**Final Vote:** Ayes, 14: Angelo, Wieck, Warnstadt, Beall, Behn, Bolkcom, Brunkhorst, Gronstal, Kettering, McCoy, Redfern, Schuerer, Sievers, and Stewart. Nays, none. Absent, 1: Larson.

**Fiscal Note:** NOT REQUIRED UNDER JOINT RULE 17.

#### LOCAL GOVERNMENT

**Final Bill Action:** [HOUSE FILE 289](#), bill for an act relating to electronic financial transactions with county treasurers.

**Recommendation:** DO PASS.

**Final Vote:** Ayes, 12: Gaskill, Quirnbach, Angelo, Hatch, Hosch, Houser, Kreiman, McCoy, Rehberg, Seymour, Stewart, and Wieck. Nays, none. Absent, 1: Miller.

**Fiscal Note:** NOT REQUIRED UNDER JOINT RULE 17.

#### AMENDMENTS FILED

<a href="#">S-3083</a>	<a href="#">S.F. 425</a>	Neal Schuerer
<a href="#">S-3084</a>	<a href="#">S.F. 422</a>	Mary A. Lundby
<a href="#">S-3085</a>	<a href="#">S.F. 313</a>	Neal Schuerer
<a href="#">S-3086</a>	<a href="#">S.F. 359</a>	Keith A. Kreiman
<a href="#">S-3087</a>	<a href="#">S.F. 368</a>	Jeff Angelo
<a href="#">S-3088</a>	<a href="#">S.F. 386</a>	Keith A. Kreiman
		Nancy J. Boettger
<a href="#">S-3089</a>	<a href="#">S.F. 359</a>	Jack Hatch
<a href="#">S-3090</a>	<a href="#">S.F. 402</a>	Larry McKibben

S-3091  
S-3092

S.F. 373  
H.F. 319

**Bob Brunkhorst**  
**Commerce**