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FORTY-SIXTH CALENDAR DAY
TWENTY-EIGHTH SESSION DAY

Senate Chamber
Des Moines, Iowa, Thursday, February 24, 2005

The Senate met in regular session at 8:38 a.m., President Lamberti presiding.

Prayer was offered by the Reverend Loren Strait, pastor of the Glen Echo Christian Church in Des Moines, Iowa. He was the guest of Senator Zaun.

The Journal of Wednesday, February 23, 2005, was approved.

HOUSE MESSAGES RECEIVED AND CONSIDERED

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

MR. PRESIDENT: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has on February 23, 2005, **passed** the following bill in which the concurrence of the House was asked:

[Senate File 113](#), a bill for an act relating to nonsubstantive Code corrections and including effective and retroactive applicability date provisions.

ALSO: That the House has on February 23, 2005, **passed** the following bills in which the concurrence of the Senate is asked:

[House File 141](#), a bill for an act relating to the training and certification of designated security personnel working at commercial establishments with a liquor control license or wine or beer permit.

Read first time and referred to committee on **Business and Labor Relations**.

[House File 173](#), a bill for an act prohibiting false compartments in vehicles for the purpose of intentionally concealing or transporting contraband and providing penalties.

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

[House File 187](#), a bill for an act relating to the utility replacement tax task force.

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

[House File 228](#), a bill for an act relating to the payment of restitution by a person convicted of a criminal offense.

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

[House File 247](#), a bill for an act providing for negotiated rulemaking.

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

[House File 248](#), a bill for an act relating to the request for a regulatory analysis.

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

[House File 275](#), a bill for an act relating to the purchase, possession, or consumption of alcohol by a person under legal age, and providing a penalty.

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

[House File 310](#), a bill for an act exempting the sale of toys to certain nonprofit organizations from state sales and use taxes.

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

[House File 313](#), a bill for an act relating to the establishment of an industrial processing exemption study committee and including an effective date.

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

House File 332, a bill for an act allowing certain abstractors to request a mortgage release.

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

House File 339, a bill for an act relating to the regulation of tobacco product retailers, and making penalties applicable.

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

SPECIAL GUESTS

Senator Mulder introduced the following five wrestlers who are participating in the 2005 State Wrestling Tournament: Marc Wermersen and Brady Punt from Sioux Center High School, and Andrew Moritz, Sean Smalley, and Seth Fischer from Le Mars High School.

The Senate welcomed the wrestlers to the Senate chamber.

CONFIRMATION OF GOVERNOR'S APPOINTMENTS

In accordance with Senate Rule 59, Senator Gronstal called up the following eligible appointees on the En Bloc Confirmation Calendar:

Nancy Bruner – Accountancy Examining Board

Charlotte Westerhaus – Commission on the Status of African-Americans

Robert Brecke – Boiler and Pressure Vessel Board

Timothy Fehr – Boiler and Pressure Vessel Board

Amy Iles – Boiler and Pressure Vessel Board

James Kruzic – Boiler and Pressure Vessel Board

Susan Oltrogge – Boiler and Pressure Vessel Board

Joseph Rodenkirk – Boiler and Pressure Vessel Board

Lynne Rush – Boiler and Pressure Vessel Board

Keith Taeger – Boiler and Pressure Vessel Board

Melanie Hass – Credit Union Review Board

Brian Vos – Iowa Drug Policy Advisory Council
Christina Wilson – Iowa Drug Policy Advisory Council

Wayne Kobberdahl – State Board of Education

Todd Christensen – Elevator Safety Board
Rita Conner – Elevator Safety Board
Pete Fromm – Elevator Safety Board
Kristine Kesterson – Elevator Safety Board
Scott Scholle – Elevator Safety Board
Wayne Sims – Elevator Safety Board

Judy McCoy Davis – Iowa Empowerment Board

Donna Mueller – Information Technology Council

Philippe Gallant – Board of Interpreters for the Hearing Impaired
Examiners

Judy Gouldsmith – Board of Interpreters for the Hearing Impaired
Examiners

Carissa Huffman – Board of Interpreters for the Hearing Impaired
Examiners

Diana Kautzky – Board of Interpreters for the Hearing Impaired
Examiners

David Moorman-Rice – Board of Interpreters for the Hearing Impaired
Examiners

Stuart Thiessen – Board of Interpreters for the Hearing Impaired
Examiners

Tina Schmidt – IowAccess Advisory Council

Rita Arora – Commission on the Status of Iowans of Asian and Pacific
Islander Heritage

Thomas Baccam – Commission on the Status of Iowans of Asian and
Pacific Islander Heritage

Cyndi Chen – Commission on the Status of Iowans of Asian and Pacific
Islander Heritage

Ning Chia – Commission on the Status of Iowans of Asian and Pacific
Islander Heritage

Lin Ly – Commission on the Status of Iowans of Asian and Pacific
Islander Heritage

Frank Osako – Commission on the Status of Iowans of Asian and Pacific
Islander Heritage

Richard Park – Commission on the Status of Iowans of Asian and Pacific Islander Heritage

Barry Thongvanh – Commission on the Status of Iowans of Asian and Pacific Islander Heritage

Shelly Chandler – Mental Health, Mental Retardation, Developmental Disabilities, and Brain Injury Commission

Lynn Crannell – Mental Health, Mental Retardation, Developmental Disabilities, and Brain Injury Commission

James Rixner – Mental Health, Mental Retardation, Developmental Disabilities, and Brain Injury Commission

Shelley Coldiron – Small Business Advisory Council

Christine Hoffman – Board of Social Work Examiners

Mary Tasler – Board of Social Work Examiners

Curtis Stamp – Iowa Telecommunications and Technology Commission

Vicki Duchene – Iowa Workforce Development Board

Senator Gronstal moved that the foregoing appointees be confirmed by the Senate.

On the question “Shall the appointees be confirmed?” the vote was:

Yeas, 49:

Angelo	Fraise	Lamberti	Seymour
Beall	Gaskill	Larson	Shull
Behn	Gronstal	McCoy	Stewart
Black	Hahn	McKibben	Tinsman
Boettger	Hancock	McKinley	Ward
Bolkcom	Hatch	Miller	Warnstadt
Brunkhorst	Horn	Mulder	Wieck
Connolly	Houser	Putney	Wood
Courtney	Iverson	Quirnbach	Zaun
Danielson	Johnson	Ragan	Zieman
Dearden	Kettering	Rielly	
Dotzler	Kibbie	Schoenjahn	
Dvorsky	Kreiman	Seng	

Nays, none.

Absent, 1:

Lundby

The appointees, having received a two-thirds vote, were declared to have been confirmed by the Senate.

CONSIDERATION OF BILLS
(Regular Calendar)

Senator Gronstal asked and received unanimous consent to take up for consideration [House File 216](#) and Senate Files 139 and 122.

[House File 216](#)

On motion of Senator Danielson, [House File 216](#), a bill for an act relating to motor vehicle regulation by the state department of transportation, including motor vehicle registration and titling, restricted and special driver's licenses for minors, driver licensing, regulation of commercial vehicles, the use of flashing lights on certain vehicles, citations for child restraint violations, permits for vehicles of excessive height or weight, procedures for motor vehicle dealers, and persons with disabilities parking, and relating to refunds of taxes on motor fuel used in taxicabs and buses that provide certain service, with report of committee recommending passage, was taken up for consideration.

Senator Danielson 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. 216](#)), the vote was:

Yeas, 48:

Angelo	Dvorsky	Kibbie	Rielly
Beall	Fraise	Kreiman	Schoenjahm
Behn	Gaskill	Lamberti	Seng
Black	Gronstal	Larson	Seymour
Boettger	Hahn	McCoy	Shull
Bolkcom	Hancock	McKibben	Stewart
Brunkhorst	Hatch	McKinley	Tinsman
Connolly	Horn	Miller	Ward
Courtney	Houser	Mulder	Warnstadt
Danielson	Iverson	Putney	Wieck
Dearden	Johnson	Quirnbach	Wood
Dotzler	Kettering	Ragan	Zaun

Nays, 1:

Zieman

Absent, 1:

Lundby

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

Senate File 139

On motion of Senator Rielly, **Senate File 139**, a bill for an act relating to negotiable instruments, by providing for liabilities among certain parties, and providing a statute of limitation, was taken up for consideration.

Senator Rielly 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. 139**), the vote was:

Yeas, 49:

Angelo	Fraise	Lamberti	Seymour
Beall	Gaskill	Larson	Shull
Behn	Gronstal	McCoy	Stewart
Black	Hahn	McKibben	Tinsman
Boettger	Hancock	McKinley	Ward
Bolkcom	Hatch	Miller	Warnstadt
Brunkhorst	Horn	Mulder	Wieck
Connolly	Houser	Putney	Wood
Courtney	Iverson	Quirnbach	Zaun
Danielson	Johnson	Ragan	Zieman
Dearden	Kettering	Rielly	
Dotzler	Kibbie	Schoenjahn	
Dvorsky	Kreiman	Seng	

Nays, none.

Absent, 1:

Lundby

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

Senate File 122

On motion of Senator Hancock, **Senate File 122**, a bill for an act relating to cash prizes for raffles and providing an effective date, was taken up for consideration.

Senator Hancock 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. 122**), the vote was:

Yeas, 49:

Angelo	Fraise	Lamberti	Seymour
Beall	Gaskill	Larson	Shull
Behn	Gronstal	McCoy	Stewart
Black	Hahn	McKibben	Tinsman
Boettger	Hancock	McKinley	Ward
Bolkcom	Hatch	Miller	Warnstadt
Brunkhorst	Horn	Mulder	Wieck
Connolly	Houser	Putney	Wood
Courtney	Iverson	Quirnbach	Zaun
Danielson	Johnson	Ragan	Zieman
Dearden	Kettering	Rielly	
Dotzler	Kibbie	Schoenjahn	
Dvorsky	Kreiman	Seng	

Nays, none.

Absent, 1:

Lundby

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 Gronstal asked and received unanimous consent to take up for consideration House Files 175 and 190.

House File 175

On motion of Senator McKibben, [House File 175](#), a bill for an act relating to the names of business entities, with report of committee recommending passage, was taken up for consideration.

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?" ([H.F. 175](#)), the vote was:

Yeas, 49:

Angelo	Fraise	Lamberti	Seymour
Beall	Gaskill	Larson	Shull
Behn	Gronstal	McCoy	Stewart
Black	Hahn	McKibben	Tinsman
Boettger	Hancock	McKinley	Ward
Bolkcom	Hatch	Miller	Warnstadt
Brunkhorst	Horn	Mulder	Wieck
Connolly	Houser	Putney	Wood
Courtney	Iverson	Quirnbach	Zaun
Danielson	Johnson	Ragan	Zieman
Dearden	Kettering	Rielly	
Dotzler	Kibbie	Schoenjahn	
Dvorsky	Kreiman	Seng	

Nays, none.

Absent, 1:

Lundby

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

House File 190

On motion of Senator Kreiman, [House File 190](#), a bill for an act expanding the duties of the child death review team and making a penalty applicable, with report of committee recommending passage, was taken up for consideration.

Senator Kreiman 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. 190](#)), the vote was:

Yeas, 49:

Angelo	Fraise	Lamberti	Seymour
Beall	Gaskill	Larson	Shull
Behn	Gronstal	McCoy	Stewart
Black	Hahn	McKibben	Tinsman
Boettger	Hancock	McKinley	Ward
Bolkcom	Hatch	Miller	Warnstadt
Brunkhorst	Horn	Mulder	Wieck
Connolly	Houser	Putney	Wood
Courtney	Iverson	Quirnbach	Zaun
Danielson	Johnson	Ragan	Zieman
Dearden	Kettering	Rielly	
Dotzler	Kibbie	Schoenjahn	
Dvorsky	Kreiman	Seng	

Nays, none.

Absent, 1:

Lundby

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

IMMEDIATELY MESSAGED

Senator Gronstal asked and received unanimous consent that **Senate Files 122 and 139** and **House Files 175, 190, and 216** be **immediately messaged** to the House.

ADJOURNMENT

On motion of Senator Gronstal, the Senate adjourned at 9:41 a.m. until 1:00 p.m., Monday, February 28, 2005.

APPENDIX

CERTIFICATES OF RECOGNITION

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

Jackie Warnstadt, Sioux City—For being selected as the Sioux City Community School District Teacher of the Year. Senator Warnstadt (2/24/05).

Brad Zeutenhorst, Sioux Center—For coaching qualifiers for the 2005 State Wrestling Tournament. Senator Mulder (2/24/05).

REPORTS OF COMMITTEE MEETINGS

EDUCATION

Convened: February 23, 2005, 1:15 p.m.

Members Present: Connolly and McKinley, Co-chairs; Angelo, Beall, Boettger, Brunkhorst, Dvorsky, Kreiman, Mulder, Quirnbach, Schoenjahn, Ward, and Wood.

Members Absent: Larson (excused).

Committee Business: Passed [SF 23](#) (as amended).

Adjourned: 1:35 p.m.

COMMERCE

Convened: February 24, 2005, 1:05 p.m.

Members Present: Behn and Warnstadt, Co-chairs; Angelo, Bolkcom, Courtney, Gronstal, Kettering, Larson, McKinley, Rielly, Stewart, Wieck, Zaun, and Ziemann.

Members Absent: Beall and McCoy (both excused).

Committee Business: Passed [HF 277](#) (as amended).

Adjourned: 1:50 p.m.

ECONOMIC GROWTH

Convened: February 24, 2005, 2:05 p.m.

Members Present: Brunkhorst and Hatch, Co-chairs; Danielson, Dotzler, Hahn, McKinley, Ragan, Rielly, Seymour, Shull, Stewart, and Zaun.

Members Absent: Beall and Behn (both excused).

Committee Business: Discussion on Iowa Values Fund.

Adjourned: 2:50 p.m.

NATURAL RESOURCES AND ENVIRONMENT

Convened: February 24, 2005, 9:50 a.m.

Members Present: Black and Houser, Co-chairs; Bolkcom, Dearden, Gaskill, Hancock, Johnson, Kettering, Miller, Putney, Schoenjahn, Seng, and Wood.

Members Absent: Lundby (excused).

Committee Business: Passed [SF 141](#). Presentation by Superintendent of State Parks.

Adjourned: 10:50 a.m.

APPROPRIATIONS SUBCOMMITTEE ON AGRICULTURE AND NATURAL RESOURCES

Convened: February 24, 2005, 10:10 a.m.

Members Present: Gaskill and Seng, Co-chairs; and Hahn.

Members Absent: Black, Houser, and Schoenjahn (all excused).

Committee Business: Presentation by Department of Agriculture and Land Stewardship.

Adjourned: 10:50 a.m.

APPROPRIATIONS SUBCOMMITTEE ON ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT

Convened: February 24, 2005, 9:55 a.m.

Members Present: Dotzler, Co-chair; Brunkhorst, Danielson, and Rielly.

Members Absent: Ward, Co-chair; and Behn (both excused).

Committee Business: Presentation by the Greater Dubuque Development Corporation.

Adjourned: 11:05 a.m.

APPROPRIATIONS SUBCOMMITTEE ON HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

Convened: February 24, 2005, 9:55 a.m.

Members Present: Hatch and Tinsman, Co-chairs; Bolkcom, Johnson, Ragan, and Seymour.

Members Absent: None.

Committee Business: Presentations by Department of Human Services, St. Luke's Hospital, Area Substance Abuse Council, and Iowa Finance Authority.

Adjourned: 12:00 p.m.

INTRODUCTION OF RESOLUTIONS

Senate Joint Resolution 5, by Miller, a joint resolution proposing an amendment to the Iowa Constitution requiring that certain tax increases be submitted to a vote of the people.

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

Senate Resolution 10, by Beall, Boettger, Black, Fraise, Johnson, and Tinsman, a resolution recognizing the importance of citizen diplomacy.

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

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS

Senate File 211, by Beall, Connolly, Stewart, Ragan, McCoy, Bolkom, Hatch, Courtney, Black, Dvorsky, and Kreiman, a bill for an act relating to substitute decision making and guardians and conservators, providing for the collection and appropriation of fees, and making an appropriation.

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

Senate File 212, by Lundby, a bill for an act relating to the notice requirements to terminate a rental agreement at a mobile home park or manufactured home community.

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

Senate File 213, by Beall, Connolly, Stewart, Ragan, McCoy, Bolkom, Hatch, Seng, Dearden, Hancock, Dotzler, Schoenjahn,

Wood, Courtney, Black, Gronstal, Fraise, Dvorsky, and Kreiman, a bill for an act providing for membership in a protection occupation under the Iowa public employees' retirement system for jailers.

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

[Senate File 214](#), by Hatch, a bill for an act relating to enrollment of an inmate of a public institution in the medical assistance program.

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

[Senate File 215](#), by committee on State Government, a bill for an act modifying the certified mail requirement concerning the service and delivery of certain civil rights complaints and orders.

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

[Senate File 216](#), by Bolkcom and Dvorsky, a bill for an act requiring that public housing constructed using public funds incorporate minimum universal design standards relating to accessibility.

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

[Senate File 217](#), by Bolkcom and Kettering, a bill for an act relating to the maximum finance charge allowed for consumer loans secured by a certificate of title to a motor vehicle and making penalties applicable.

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

[Senate File 218](#), by Ragan, Bolkcom, and Kreiman, a bill for an act relating to the reimbursement for medical assistance home and community-based services waiver services for the elderly.

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

[Senate File 219](#), by Quirnbach, a bill for an act relating to the duties of county recorders and county auditors concerning instruments affecting real estate.

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

[Senate File 220](#), by committee on Education, a bill for an act relating to the authorized uses of physical plant and equipment levy revenue, and including an applicability provision.

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

STUDY BILLS RECEIVED

[SSB 1212](#) **Education**

Relating to organizations supportive of community colleges and schools by allowing individual income tax credits for contributions made to certain school tuition organizations, authorizing a school district or community college to include a nonprofit educational foundation on its insurance coverages if reimbursed, and including an applicability date provision.

[SSB 1213](#) **Local Government**

Providing for the establishment of a committee to examine alternatives and develop an implementation plan regarding adoption of an integrated state fire code.

[SSB 1214](#) **Local Government**

Relating to fees imposed for food safety inspections conducted by municipal corporations.

SSB 1215 Local Government

Relating to the assessment and collection of penalty, fee, and interest charges imposed for the late payment of building code penalties, fines, and inspection and enforcement fees.

SSB 1216 Education

Relating to the local option sales and services tax for school infrastructure purposes by redefining the statewide tax revenues per student and changing the applicability of the certificate of need requirement and including an effective date.

SSB 1217 Education

Making changes in the computation of the statewide tax revenues per student and the applicability of the certificate of need requirement under the local option sales and services tax for school infrastructure purposes and including an effective date.

SSB 1218 Government Oversight

Relating to the licensing and regulation of plumbers and mechanical professionals, providing an appropriation and penalties, and providing an effective date.

SSB 1219 Local Government

Relating to certain bid threshold requirements for certain public works projects.

SSB 1220 Human Resources

Relating to dependent adults and at-risk older adults, including protective services.

SSB 1221 Human Resources

Relating to dependent adults, including the crime of dependent adult abuse, and providing penalties.

SSB 1222 Human Resources

Providing for the creation of revolving funds, the establishment and appropriation of fees, and other specified changes relating to programs and activities under the purview of the Iowa department of public health.

SSB 1223 Human Resources

Relating to mental health, mental retardation, developmental disabilities, and brain injury services and the services fund administered by counties by revising levy provisions applicable to that fund, providing for county administration of services on behalf of the state, and providing for development of assessment processes, and including an effective and applicability date.

SSB 1224 Human Resources

Relating to child care services administered by the department of human services by revising requirements for the state child care assistance program and providing for implementation of a voluntary child care rating system.

SUBCOMMITTEE ASSIGNMENTS**Senate Resolution 10**

RULES AND ADMINISTRATION: Gronstal and Iverson, Co-chairs; Kibbie and Lamberti

Senate File 182

LOCAL GOVERNMENT: Rielly and Zaun, Co-chairs; Mulder and Schoenjahn

Senate File 183

LOCAL GOVERNMENT: Putney and Stewart, Co-chairs; Mulder and Rielly

Senate File 188

HUMAN RESOURCES: Bolcom and Houser, Co-chairs; Dotzler and Gaskill

Senate File 192

HUMAN RESOURCES: Ragan and Tinsman, Co-chairs; Gaskill and Kreiman

[Senate File 193](#)

HUMAN RESOURCES: Ragan and Tinsman, Co-chairs; Hatch and Johnson

[Senate File 196](#)

LOCAL GOVERNMENT: Mulder and Quirnbach, Co-chairs; Kreiman and Zaun

[Senate File 197](#)

STATE GOVERNMENT: Hancock and Kettering, Co-chairs; Wood and Ziemann

[House File 222](#)

LOCAL GOVERNMENT: Quirnbach and Shull, Co-chairs; Putney and Stewart

[SSB 1212](#)

EDUCATION: Connolly and McKinley, Co-chairs; Brunkhorst and Dvorsky

[SSB 1213](#)

LOCAL GOVERNMENT: Quirnbach and Shull, Co-chairs; Schoenjahn and Zaun

[SSB 1214](#)

LOCAL GOVERNMENT: Quirnbach and Shull, Co-chairs; Mulder and Rielly

[SSB 1215](#)

LOCAL GOVERNMENT: Quirnbach and Shull, Co-chairs; Schoenjahn and Zaun

[SSB 1216](#)

EDUCATION: Angelo and Wood, Co-chairs; Boettger and Connolly

[SSB 1217](#)

EDUCATION: Angelo and Connolly, Co-chairs; Boettger and Wood

[SSB 1218](#)

GOVERNMENT OVERSIGHT: Courtney and Lundby, Co-chairs

[SSB 1219](#)

LOCAL GOVERNMENT: Quirnbach and Shull, Co-chairs; Stewart and Zaun

[SSB 1220](#)

HUMAN RESOURCES: Boettger and Bolkcom, Co-chairs; Houser and Kreiman

SSB 1221

HUMAN RESOURCES: Kreiman and Seymour, Co-chairs; Johnson and Quirnbach

SSB 1222

HUMAN RESOURCES: Behn and Wood, Co-chairs; Dotzler and Tinsman

SSB 1223

HUMAN RESOURCES: Gaskill and Hatch, Co-chairs; Seymour and Wood

SSB 1224

HUMAN RESOURCES: Ragan and Tinsman, Co-chairs; Behn and Wood

FINAL COMMITTEE REPORTS OF BILL ACTION**COMMERCE**

Bill Title: [HOUSE FILE 277](#), a bill for an act relating to the deregulation of communications services including considering market forces, eliminating accounting plan requirements, establishing antitrust procedures and remedies, eliminating reporting requirements, eliminating the Iowa broadband initiative, and providing a penalty.

Recommendation: AMEND AND DO PASS, AS PROVIDED IN AMENDMENT [S-3003](#).

Final Vote: Ayes, 13: Behn, Warnstadt, Angelo, Bolkom, Courtney, Gronstal, Kettering, McKinley, Rielly, Stewart, Wieck, Zaun, and Zieman. Nays, none. Absent, 3: Beall, Larson, and McCoy.

Fiscal Note: NOT REQUIRED UNDER JOINT RULE 17.

EDUCATION

Bill Title: *[SENATE FILE 220](#) (formerly [SF 23](#)), a bill for an act relating to the authorized uses of physical plant and equipment levy revenue, and including an applicability provision.

Recommendation: APPROVED COMMITTEE BILL.

Final Vote: Ayes, 13: Connolly, McKinley, Angelo, Beall, Boettger, Brunkhorst, Dvorsky, Kreiman, Mulder, Quirnbach, Schoenjahn, Ward, and Wood. Nays, none. Absent, 1: Larson.

Fiscal Note: NOT REQUIRED UNDER JOINT RULE 17.

*Pursuant to Senate Rule 40, the Legislative Services Agency reported nonsubstantive changes to the members of the Education Committee on [Senate File 220](#), and they were attached to the committee report.

NATURAL RESOURCES AND ENVIRONMENT

Bill Title: [SENATE FILE 141](#), a bill for an act relating to reimbursement to owners of aboveground petroleum storage tanks for costs associated with the upgrade or permanent closure of aboveground petroleum storage tanks.

Recommendation: DO PASS.

Final Vote: Ayes, 13: Black, Houser, Bolkcom, Dearden, Gaskill, Hancock, Johnson, Kettering, Miller, Putney, Schoenjahn, Seng, and Wood. Nays, none. Absent, 1: Lundby.

Fiscal Note: NOT REQUIRED UNDER JOINT RULE 17.

STATE GOVERNMENT

Bill Title: *[SENATE FILE 215 \(SSB 1132\)](#), a bill for an act modifying the certified mail requirement concerning the service and delivery of certain civil rights complaints and orders.

Recommendation: APPROVED COMMITTEE BILL.

Final Vote: Ayes, 11: Horn, McKibben, Brunkhorst, Danielson, Hancock, Kettering, Kibbie, Miller, Wieck, Wood, and Ziemann. Nays, none. Absent, 5: Black, Connolly, Hatch, Tinsman, and Ward.

Fiscal Note: NOT REQUIRED UNDER JOINT RULE 17.

*Pursuant to Senate Rule 40, the Legislative Services Agency reported nonsubstantive changes to the members of the State Government Committee on [Senate File 215](#), and they were attached to the committee report.

AMENDMENT FILED

[S-3003](#) [H.F. 277](#) Commerce