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FIFTY-EIGHTH CALENDAR DAY
THIRTY-FOURTH SESSION DAY

Senate Chamber
Des Moines, Iowa, Tuesday, March 11, 2008

The Senate met in regular session at 8:45 a.m., President Pro Tempore Danielson presiding.

Prayer was offered by Father Clem Currans of the Holy Family Catholic Church in Emmetsburg, Iowa. He was the guest of Senator Kibbie.

The Journal of Monday, March 10, 2008, was approved.

SPECIAL GUESTS

Senator Kibbie introduced to the Senate chamber David Stanton, T.D., a Fine Gael member of the Irish Parliament, and his wife Mary. He will represent the Republic of Ireland at the annual St. Patrick's Day celebration in Emmetsburg. He has been his party's spokesperson on labor affairs, consumer rights and trade, social and family affairs, and education and science.

Mr. Stanton addressed the Senate with brief remarks.

The Senate rose and expressed its welcome.

Senator Kibbie introduced the 2008 Miss Shamrock, April Gunderson, and her mother Roslyn Gunderson of Ringsted, Iowa. They were accompanied by Mickey Conlon and Andy Joyce of Emmetsburg.

Senator Kibbie introduced the Irish Little Dancers from Emmetsburg, who were present in the Senate gallery.

The Senate rose and expressed its welcome.

The Senate stood at ease at 9:07 a.m. until the fall of the gavel for the purpose of party caucuses.

The Senate resumed session at 9:45 a.m., President Kibbie presiding.

LEAVES OF ABSENCE

Leaves of absence were granted as follows:

Senators Gaskill and McKibben, until they arrive, on request of Senator Wieck.

CONSIDERATION OF BILLS (Regular Calendar)

Senator Gronstal asked and received unanimous consent to take up for consideration Senate Files 2320, 2317, and 2289.

Senate File 2320

On motion of Senator Noble, [Senate File 2320](#), a bill for an act relating to nonsubstantive Code corrections and including effective and retroactive applicability date provisions, was taken up for consideration.

Senator Kreiman offered amendment [S-5051](#), filed by the committee on Judiciary on March 10, 2008, to pages 11, 12, 20, 49, 54, and 100 of the bill, and moved its adoption.

Amendment [S-5051](#) was adopted by a voice vote.

Senator Noble 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. 2320](#)), the vote was:

Yeas, 48:

Angelo
Appel
Beall

Dvorsky
Fraise
Gronstal

Kettering
Kibbie
Kreiman

Rielly
Schmitz
Schoenjahn

Behn	Hahn	Lundby	Seng
Black	Hancock	McCoy	Seymour
Boettger	Hartsuch	McKinley	Stewart
Bolkcom	Hatch	Mulder	Ward
Connolly	Heckroth	Noble	Warnstadt
Courtney	Hogg	Olive	Wieck
Danielson	Horn	Putney	Wood
Dearden	Houser	Quirnbach	Zaun
Dotzler	Johnson	Ragan	Zieman

Nays, none.

Absent, 2:

Gaskill McKibben

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

Senate File 2317

On motion of Senator Noble, [Senate File 2317](#), a bill for an act relating to statutory corrections which may adjust language to reflect current practices, insert earlier omissions, delete redundancies and inaccuracies, delete temporary language, resolve inconsistencies and conflicts, update ongoing provisions, or remove ambiguities, and including effective and retroactive applicability date provisions, was taken up for consideration.

Senator Kreiman offered amendment [S-5052](#), filed by the committee on Judiciary on March 10, 2008, to pages 28–30 and 95 of the bill, and moved its adoption.

Amendment [S-5052](#) was adopted by a voice vote.

Senator Noble 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. 2317](#)), the vote was:

Yeas, 48:

Angelo	Dvorsky	Kettering	Rielly
Appel	Fraise	Kibbie	Schmitz
Beall	Gronstal	Kreiman	Schoenjahn

Behn	Hahn	Lundby	Seng
Black	Hancock	McCoy	Seymour
Boettger	Hartsuch	McKinley	Stewart
Bolkcom	Hatch	Mulder	Ward
Cannolly	Heckroth	Noble	Warnstadt
Courtney	Hogg	Olive	Wieck
Danielson	Horn	Putney	Wood
Dearden	Houser	Quirnbach	Zaun
Dotzler	Johnson	Ragan	Zieman

Nays, none.

Absent, 2:

Gaskill McKibben

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

Senate File 2289

On motion of Senator Warnstadt, [Senate File 2289](#), a bill for an act concerning state educational assistance to children of deceased veterans and the war orphans educational assistance fund, and including an effective date and retroactive applicability provision, was taken up for consideration.

Senator Warnstadt 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. 2289](#)), the vote was:

Yeas, 48:

Angelo	Dvorsky	Kettering	Rielly
Appel	Fraise	Kibbie	Schmitz
Beall	Gronstal	Kreiman	Schoenjahn
Behn	Hahn	Lundby	Seng
Black	Hancock	McCoy	Seymour
Boettger	Hartsuch	McKinley	Stewart
Bolkcom	Hatch	Mulder	Ward
Cannolly	Heckroth	Noble	Warnstadt
Courtney	Hogg	Olive	Wieck
Danielson	Horn	Putney	Wood
Dearden	Houser	Quirnbach	Zaun
Dotzler	Johnson	Ragan	Zieman

Nays, none.

Absent, 2:

Gaskill McKibben

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 Gronstal asked and received unanimous consent to take up for consideration [Senate File 2347](#).

[Senate File 2347](#)

On motion of Senator Danielson, [Senate File 2347](#), a bill for an act relating to the use of optical scan voting systems in every county, making an appropriation for the cost of purchasing and distributing optical scan voting systems, reducing certain appropriations, and providing an effective date, was taken up for consideration.

Senator Danielson offered amendment [S-5062](#), filed by him on March 10, 2008, to page 1 and to the title page of the bill, and moved its adoption.

Amendment [S-5062](#) was adopted by a voice vote.

Senator Kettering asked and received unanimous consent that action on [Senate File 2347](#) be **deferred**.

IMMEDIATELY MESSAGED

Senator Gronstal asked and received unanimous consent that **Senate Files 2289, 2317, and 2320** be **immediately messaged** to the House.

RECESS

On motion of Senator Gronstal, the Senate recessed at 10:10 a.m. until 1:30 p.m.

APPENDIX—1

CERTIFICATES OF RECOGNITION

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

Mary Connell—For celebrating her 90th birthday. Senator Gronstal (3/11/08).

Dan and Peggy Manhunt—For celebrating their 25th wedding anniversary. Senator Gronstal (3/11/08).

Paul and Diane Stapleton—For celebrating their 50th wedding anniversary. Senator Gronstal (3/11/08).

REPORTS OF COMMITTEE MEETINGS

APPROPRIATIONS

Convened: March 11, 2008, 11:05 a.m.

Members Present: Dvorsky, Chair; McCoy, Vice Chair; Kettering, Ranking Member; Angelo, Behn, Black, Boettger, Bolkcom, Connolly, Danielson, Dotzler, Fraise, Hahn, Hancock, Hatch, Hogg, Johnson, Putney, Ragan, Seng, Seymour, Ward, Warnstadt, and Wood.

Members Absent: Gaskill (excused).

Committee Business: Approved [SSB 3265](#).

Recessed: 11:10 a.m.

Reconvened: 11:25 a.m.

Adjourned: 11:30 a.m.

INTRODUCTION OF RESOLUTION

[Senate Resolution 112](#), by Seymour, Hatch, and Ragan, a resolution recognizing the month of March 2008 as Deep Vein Thrombosis Awareness Month.

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

INTRODUCTION OF BILL

[Senate File 2388](#), by Boettger, a bill for an act exempting pension income and retirement pay from the state individual income tax and including a retroactive applicability date provision.

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

SUBCOMMITTEE ASSIGNMENTS

[Senate File 2259](#)

APPROPRIATIONS: Dvorsky, Chair; and Kettering

[Senate File 2260](#)

APPROPRIATIONS: Dvorsky, Chair; and Kettering

[Senate File 2313](#)

COMMERCE: Bolcom, Chair; Kettering and Rielly

[Senate File 2376](#)

WAYS AND MEANS: McCoy, Chair; Seng and Zieman

BILL ENROLLED, SIGNED, AND SENT TO GOVERNOR

The Secretary of the Senate submitted the following report:

MR. PRESIDENT: The Secretary of the Senate respectfully reports that the following bill has 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 11th day of March, 2008:

[Senate File 2123](#).

MICHAEL E. MARSHALL
Secretary of the Senate

AFTERNOON SESSION

The Senate reconvened at 1:43 p.m., President Kibbie presiding.

BUSINESS PENDING

[Senate File 2347](#)

The Senate resumed consideration of [Senate File 2347](#), a bill for an act relating to the use of optical scan voting systems in every county, making an appropriation for the cost of purchasing and distributing optical scan voting systems, reducing certain appropriations, and providing an effective date, previously deferred.

Senator Hahn offered amendment [S-5073](#), filed by Senators Hahn and Zieman from the floor to page 1 and to the title page of the bill, and moved its adoption.

Senator Dvorsky raised the point of order that amendment [S-5073](#) was not germane to the bill.

The Chair ruled the point well-taken and amendment [S-5073](#) out of order.

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?” ([S.F. 2347](#)), the vote was:

Yeas, 47:

Angelo	Dvorsky	Kettering	Rielly
Appel	Fraise	Kibbie	Schmitz
Beall	Gronstal	Kreiman	Schoenjahn
Behn	Hahn	Lundby	Seng
Black	Hancock	McCoy	Seymour
Boettger	Hartsuch	McKinley	Stewart
Bolkcom	Hatch	Mulder	Ward
Connolly	Heckroth	Noble	Wieck
Courtney	Hogg	Olive	Wood
Danielson	Horn	Putney	Zaun
Dearden	Houser	Quirnbach	Zieman
Dotzler	Johnson	Ragan	

Nays, 1:

Warnstadt

Absent, 2:

Gaskill

McKibben

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 Gronstal asked and received unanimous consent to take up for consideration [Senate File 2153](#).

[Senate File 2153](#)

On motion of Senator Olive, [Senate File 2153](#), a bill for an act designating peace officer communication equipment and other emergency services communication equipment as an essential county purpose and as an essential corporate purpose that authorizes the issuance of general obligation bonds and providing an effective date, was taken up for consideration.

Senator Olive asked and received unanimous consent that [House File 2366](#) be **substituted** for [Senate File 2153](#).

[House File 2366](#)

On motion of Senator Olive, [House File 2366](#), a bill for an act designating peace officer communication equipment and other emergency services communication equipment as an essential county purpose and as an essential corporate purpose that authorizes the issuance of general obligation bonds and providing an effective date, was taken up for consideration.

The Senate stood at ease at 1:53 p.m. until the fall of the gavel for the purpose of party caucuses.

The Senate resumed session at 2:23 p.m., President Kibbie presiding.

Senator Olive 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. 2366](#)), the vote was:

Yeas, 48:

Angelo	Dvorsky	Kettering	Rielly
Appel	Fraise	Kibbie	Schmitz
Beall	Gronstal	Kreiman	Schoenjahn
Behn	Hahn	Lundby	Seng
Black	Hancock	McCoy	Seymour
Boettger	Hartsuch	McKinley	Stewart
Bolkcom	Hatch	Mulder	Ward
Connolly	Heckroth	Noble	Warnstadt
Courtney	Hogg	Olive	Wieck
Danielson	Horn	Putney	Wood
Dearden	Houser	Quirnbach	Zaun
Dotzler	Johnson	Ragan	Zieman

Nays, none.

Absent, 2:

Gaskill McKibben

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

WITHDRAWN

Senator Olive asked and received unanimous consent that [Senate File 2153](#) be **withdrawn** from further consideration of the Senate.

IMMEDIATELY MESSAGED

Senator Gronstal asked and received unanimous consent that [Senate File 2347](#) and [House File 2366](#) be **immediately messaged** to the House.

BILLS REFERRED TO COMMITTEE

Senator Gronstal asked and received unanimous consent that the following Senate Files be referred from the Regular Calendar to the following committees:

<u>S.F. 2331</u>	Appropriations
<u>S.F. 2370</u>	Appropriations
<u>S.F. 2375</u>	Ways and Means
<u>S.F. 2384</u>	Appropriations

CONSIDERATION OF BILL (Regular Calendar)

Senator Gronstal asked and received unanimous consent to take up for consideration [Senate File 2325](#).

[Senate File 2325](#)

On motion of Senator Danielson, [Senate File 2325](#), a bill for an act relating to the grow Iowa values fund by allocating moneys for the physical infrastructure assistance program and changing certain job and wage requirements, and providing an effective date, was taken up for consideration.

Senator Danielson offered amendment [S-5077](#), filed by him from the floor to page 1 of the bill, and moved its adoption.

Amendment [S-5077](#) was adopted by a voice vote.

Senator McKinley offered amendment [S-5074](#), filed by him from the floor to page 3 of the bill, and moved its adoption.

A record roll call was requested.

On the question "Shall amendment [S-5074](#) be adopted?" ([S.F. 2325](#)), the vote was:

Yeas, 17:

Angelo	Houser	Noble	Zaun
Behn	Johnson	Putney	Zieman
Boettger	Kettering	Seymour	
Hahn	McKinley	Ward	
Hartsuch	Mulder	Wieck	

Nays, 31:

Appel	Dotzler	Horn	Rielly
Beall	Dvorsky	Kibbie	Schmitz
Black	Fraise	Kreiman	Schoenjahn
Bolkcom	Gronstal	Lundby	Seng
Connolly	Hancock	McCoy	Stewart
Courtney	Hatch	Olive	Warnstadt
Danielson	Heckroth	Quirmbach	Wood
Dearden	Hogg	Ragan	

Absent, 2:

Gaskill McKibben

Amendment [S-5074](#) lost.

Senator Zaun offered amendment [S-5078](#), filed by Senator Zaun, et al., from the floor to page 4 of the bill, and moved its adoption.

A record roll call was requested.

On the question “Shall amendment [S-5078](#) be adopted?” ([S.F. 2325](#)), the vote was:

Yeas, 18:

Angelo	Houser	Noble	Wieck
Behn	Johnson	Putney	Zaun
Boettger	Kettering	Rielly	Zieman
Hahn	McKinley	Seymour	
Hartsuch	Mulder	Ward	

Nays, 30:

Appel	Dotzler	Horn	Schmitz
Beall	Dvorsky	Kibbie	Schoenjahn
Black	Fraise	Kreiman	Seng
Bolkcom	Gronstal	Lundby	Stewart
Connolly	Hancock	McCoy	Warnstadt
Courtney	Hatch	Olive	Wood
Danielson	Heckroth	Quirmbach	
Dearden	Hogg	Ragan	

Absent, 2:

Gaskill McKibben

Amendment [S-5078](#) lost.

Senator McKinley offered amendment [S-5075](#), filed by him from the floor to page 4 of the bill, and moved its adoption.

A record roll call was requested.

On the question “Shall amendment [S-5075](#) be adopted?” ([S.F. 2325](#)), the vote was:

Yeas, 18:

Angelo	Hartsuch	Mulder	Wieck
Behn	Houser	Noble	Zaun
Boettger	Johnson	Putney	Zieman
Hahn	Kettering	Seymour	
Hancock	McKinley	Ward	

Nays, 30:

Appel	Dotzler	Kibbie	Schmitz
Beall	Dvorsky	Kreiman	Schoenjahn
Black	Fraise	Lundby	Seng
Bolkcom	Gronstal	McCoy	Stewart
Connolly	Hatch	Olive	Warnstadt
Courtney	Heckroth	Quirnbach	Wood
Danielson	Hogg	Ragan	
Dearden	Horn	Rielly	

Absent, 2:

Gaskill	McKibben
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Amendment [S-5075](#) lost.

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?” ([S.F. 2325](#)), the vote was:

Yeas, 48:

Angelo	Dvorsky	Kettering	Rielly
Appel	Fraise	Kibbie	Schmitz
Beall	Gronstal	Kreiman	Schoenjahn
Behn	Hahn	Lundby	Seng
Black	Hancock	McCoy	Seymour
Boettger	Hartsuch	McKinley	Stewart
Bolkcom	Hatch	Mulder	Ward

Connolly	Heckroth	Noble	Warnstadt
Courtney	Hogg	Olive	Wieck
Danielson	Horn	Putney	Wood
Dearden	Houser	Quirmbach	Zaun
Dotzler	Johnson	Ragan	Zieman

Nays, none.

Absent, 2:

Gaskill McKibben

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 File 2325](#) be **immediately messaged** to the House.

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 March 11, 2008, **amended and passed** the following bill in which the concurrence of the House was asked:

[Senate File 2111](#), a bill for an act relating to requirements for blood lead testing and dental screening of children. ([S-5079](#))

ALSO: That the House has on March 11, 2008, **passed** the following bills in which the concurrence of the Senate is asked:

[House File 2164](#), a bill for an act relating to voluntary diversity or court-ordered school desegregation plans under the state's open enrollment law.

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

[House File 2372](#), a bill for an act limiting the scope of the electronic benefits transfer program maintained by the department of human services.

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

[House File 2385](#), a bill for an act relating to allowable investments by the treasurer of state and other authorized state agencies.

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

[House File 2392](#), a bill for an act relating to certain city utilities or city enterprises by making changes to procedures for notice and collection of delinquent charges and by making changes to billing notifications for water service provided to certain residential rental property.

Read first time and **attached to similar** [Senate File 2351](#).

[House File 2400](#), a bill for an act relating to water quality by establishing a water resources coordinating council, authorizing a marketing campaign, directing assistance to local communities for monitoring and measurement, providing for a wastewater and storm water infrastructure assessment, and creating a regional assessment program and a community-based improvement program.

Read first time and **attached to similar** [Senate File 2197](#).

[House File 2440](#), a bill for an act providing an exemption for certain military personnel and veterans from a requirement to complete a hunter safety and ethics education course before obtaining a hunting license.

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

[House File 2539](#), a bill for an act relating to health care reform including health care coverage intended for children and adults, health information technology, end-of-life care decision making, preexisting conditions and dependent children coverage, medical homes, prevention and chronic care management, a buy-in provision for certain individuals under the medical assistance program, disease prevention and wellness initiatives, health care transparency, and including an applicability provision.

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

ADJOURNMENT

On motion of Senator Gronstal, the Senate adjourned at 3:50 p.m. until 8:45 a.m., Wednesday, March 12, 2008.

APPENDIX—2

CERTIFICATES OF RECOGNITION

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

Paula Behrendt, Harlan—For being named Shelby County Citizen of the Year. Senator Boettger (3/11/08).

Collin Deardorff, Yale—For achieving the rank of Eagle Scout, Boy Scout Troop 152. Senator Boettger (3/11/08).

Norma McMahon, Atlantic—For celebrating her 80th birthday. Senator Boettger (3/11/08).

Jennie Miller, Menlo—For celebrating her 90th birthday. Senator Boettger (3/11/08).

Emily Mortvedt, Story City—For winning the 2008 Poetry Out Loud in Iowa contest. Senator Olive (3/11/08).

Mr. and Mrs. Les Portwood, Harlan—For celebrating their 65th wedding anniversary. Senator Boettger (3/11/08).

Mildred Ryan, Stuart—For celebrating her 100th birthday. Senator Boettger (3/11/08).

Helen Warner, Harlan—For celebrating her 90th birthday. Senator Boettger (3/11/08).

PRESENTATION OF VISITORS

The Chair welcomed the following visitors who were present in the Senate gallery:

Buzurgmehr Ravshanovich Erov, Abdukholik Sanavarovich Kholikov, Mukhabbat Fedorovna Usmanova, Ulmasdjon Becnazarovich Usmonov, and Shohin Mirtolibovich Rizoiev, judges from Tajikistan who were guests of the Iowa Council for International Understanding and the U.S. Library of Congress. Senators Boettger and Beall.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS

[Senate File 2389](#), by committee on Transportation, a bill for an act allocating revenues to the TIME-21 fund, increasing motor vehicle and trailer registration fees, title fees, and driver's license fees, reallocating certain fees collected by the department of transportation, repealing the use tax on vehicles subject to registration and the use tax on certain leased motor vehicles, establishing a fee for new registration of vehicles, making penalties applicable, and providing effective dates.

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

[Senate File 2390](#), by committee on Human Resources, a bill for an act relating to health care reform in Iowa including the Iowa choice health care coverage program; continuation of dependent health care coverage; the bureau of health insurance oversight; medical homes; prevention and chronic care management; the Iowa health information technology system; long-term living and patient autonomy; health care quality, consumer information, cost-containment, and health care access; the certificate of need program; and health care transparency; and including an applicability provision.

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

[Senate File 2391](#), by committee on Agriculture, a bill for an act relating to renewable fuel, including by providing for infrastructure associated with storing, blending, and dispensing renewable fuel, providing standards for renewable fuel, providing for state purchases of renewable fuel, and providing an effective date.

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

[Senate File 2392](#), by committee on Commerce, a bill for an act to regulate viatical settlements, and providing for fees and penalties.

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

[Senate File 2393](#), by Kettering, a bill for an act relating to the amount of net income for which individual income tax is not owed and for which a return is not required to be filed and including a retroactive applicability date provision.

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

STUDY BILLS RECEIVED

[SSB 3276](#) **Ways and Means**

Relating to the carryforward of unused investment tax credits under the high quality job creation and enterprise zone programs and including effective and applicability date provisions.

[SSB 3277](#) **Appropriations**

Relating to the compensation and benefits for public officials and employees, providing for related matters, and making appropriations.

[SSB 3278](#) **Appropriations**

Relating to state budgeting processes and certain funds and providing effective dates.

[SSB 3279](#) **Appropriations**

Relating to the collection of delinquent debt owed the state and political subdivisions of the state by requiring offsets of gambling winnings, striking provisions related to county attorney collections, providing for liens against a decedent's estate, selling or writing off certain delinquent court debt, modifying provisions relating to the deposit of certain funds in the jury and witness fee fund, and making penalties applicable.

SUBCOMMITTEE ASSIGNMENTS

[Senate File 2324](#)

APPROPRIATIONS: Dvorsky, Chair; and Kettering

[House File 2119](#)

JUDICIARY: Fraise, Chair; Kreiman and Noble

[House File 2265](#)

JUDICIARY: Quirnbach, Chair; Hartsuch and Warnstadt

[House File 2338](#)

JUDICIARY: Kreiman, Chair; Hancock and Ward

[SSB 3276](#)

WAYS AND MEANS: Stewart, Chair; Dotzler and Putney

[SSB 3277](#)

APPROPRIATIONS: Dvorsky, Chair; and Kettering

[SSB 3278](#)

APPROPRIATIONS: Dvorsky, Chair; and Kettering

[SSB 3279](#)

APPROPRIATIONS: Dvorsky, Chair; Bolcom, Kettering, McCoy, and Ward

FINAL COMMITTEE REPORTS OF BILL ACTION

AGRICULTURE

Bill Title: [SENATE FILE 2391](#)* ([SSB 3198](#)), a bill for an act relating to renewable fuel, including by providing for infrastructure associated with storing, blending, and dispensing renewable fuel, providing standards for renewable fuel, providing for state purchases of renewable fuel, and providing an effective date.

Recommendation: APPROVED COMMITTEE BILL.

Final Vote: Ayes, 15: Fraise, Rielly, Johnson, Appel, Black, Boettger, Courtney, Gaskill, Hancock, Houser, Kibbie, Mulder, Olive, Putney, and Seng. Nays, none. Absent, none.

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 Agriculture Committee on [Senate File 2391](#), and they were attached to the committee report.

COMMERCE

Bill Title: [SENATE FILE 2392*](#) ([SSB 3238](#)), a bill for an act to regulate viatical settlements, and providing for fees and penalties.

Recommendation: APPROVED COMMITTEE BILL.

Final Vote: Ayes, 13: Warnstadt, Heckroth, Behn, Bolkcom, Courtney, Kettering, McCoy, Olive, Putney, Rielly, Schoenjahn, Stewart, and Ward. Nays, none. Absent, 2: Angelo and McKibben.

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 Commerce Committee on [Senate File 2392](#), and they were attached to the committee report.

HUMAN RESOURCES

Bill Title: [SENATE FILE 2390*](#) ([SSB 3140](#)), a bill for an act relating to health care reform in Iowa including the Iowa choice health care coverage program; continuation of dependent health care coverage; the bureau of health insurance oversight; medical homes; prevention and chronic care management; the Iowa health information technology system; long-term living and patient autonomy; health care quality, consumer information, cost-containment, and health care access; the certificate of need program; and health care transparency; and including an applicability provision.

Recommendation: APPROVED COMMITTEE BILL.

Final Vote: Ayes, 11: Ragan, Schmitz, Seymour, Bolkcom, Dotzler, Hatch, Johnson, Kreiman, Mulder, Quirmbach, and Wood. Nays, 2: Boettger and Hartsuch. Absent, none.

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 Human Resources Committee on [Senate File 2390](#), and they were attached to the committee report.

TRANSPORTATION

Bill Title: [SENATE FILE 2389*](#) ([SSB 3267](#)), a bill for an act allocating revenues to the TIME-21 fund, increasing motor vehicle and trailer registration fees, title fees, and driver's license fees, reallocating certain fees collected by the department of transportation, repealing the use tax on vehicles subject to registration and the use tax on certain leased motor vehicles, establishing a fee for new registration of vehicles, making penalties applicable, and providing effective dates.

Recommendation: APPROVED COMMITTEE BILL.

Final Vote: Ayes, 11: Rielly, Danielson, Noble, Beall, Dearden, Heckroth, Houser, McCoy, Putney, Warnstadt, and Zieman. Nays, 2: Hancock and Zaun. Absent, none.

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 Transportation Committee on [Senate File 2389](#), and they were attached to the committee report.

AMENDMENTS FILED

S-5071	S.F. 2099	John P. Kibbie
S-5072	S.F. 2339	William Heckroth
S-5073	S.F. 2347	James F. Hahn
		Mark Zieman
S-5074	S.F. 2325	Paul McKinley
S-5075	S.F. 2325	Paul McKinley
S-5076	S.F. 2277	Steve Warnstadt
S-5077	S.F. 2325	Jeff Danielson
S-5078	S.F. 2325	Brad Zaun
		Tom Rielly
		Rich Olive
		Frank B. Wood
		William Heckroth
		Tom Hancock
		Larry Noble
		Dave Mulder
S-5079	S.F. 2111	House
S-5080	S.F. 2197	Brian Schoenjahn