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ONE HUNDRED EIGHTH CALENDAR DAY
SIXTY-FOURTH SESSION DAY

Senate Chamber
Des Moines, Iowa, Wednesday, April 29, 2015

The Senate met in regular session at 9:05 a.m., Senator Dvorsky presiding.

Prayer was offered by Reverend Donald Winterowd of St. Paul Lutheran Church in Ida Grove, Iowa. He was the guest of Senator Segebart.

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

The Pledge of Allegiance was led by Senate Page Matthew Voss.

The Journal of Tuesday, April 28, 2015, was approved.

SPECIAL PRESENTATION TO SENATE PAGES

The Senate Pages were invited to the well of the Senate for a special presentation and were thanked by Senators Gronstal and Dix and President Jochum for their service to the Senate.

Certificates of Excellence for serving with honor and distinction as Senate Pages during the 2015 Regular Session of the Eighty-sixth General Assembly were given to the following:

Austin Allaire, Emily Bray, Noah Canady, Claire Eide, Lauren Gentile, Kenten Kingsbury, Nathan Paulsen, Isabelle Pierotti, Sally Ropes, Lauren Rowley, and Matthew Voss.

The Senate rose and expressed its appreciation.

RECESS

On motion of Senator Gronstal, the Senate recessed at 9:29 a.m. until 1:30 p.m.

AFTERNOON SESSION

The Senate reconvened at 1:39 p.m., President Jochum presiding.

LEAVE OF ABSENCE

Leave of absence was granted as follows:

Senator McCoy, until he returns, on request of Senator Gronstal.

CONSIDERATION OF BILL
(Ways and Means Calendar)

Senator Gronstal asked and received unanimous consent to take up for consideration [House File 615](#).

[House File 615](#)

On motion of Senator Dotzler, [House File 615](#), a bill for an act relating to the establishment, operation, and dissolution of rural improvement zones, with report of committee recommending passage, was taken up for consideration.

Senator Dotzler 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. 615](#)), the vote was:

Yeas, 49:

Allen	Danielson	Johnson	Seng
Anderson	Dearden	Kapucian	Shipley
Behn	Dix	Kinney	Sinclair
Bertrand	Dotzler	Kraayenbrink	Smith
Bisignano	Dvorsky	Mathis	Sodders
Bolkcom	Feenstra	Petersen	Taylor
Bowman	Garrett	Quirnbach	Whitver
Brase	Gronstal	Ragan	Wilhelm
Breitbach	Guth	Rozenboom	Zaun
Chapman	Hart	Schneider	Zumbach
Chelgren	Hogg	Schoenjahn	
Costello	Horn	Schultz	
Courtney	Jochum	Segebart	

Nays, none.

Absent, 1:

McCoy

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

The Senate stood at ease at 1:51 p.m. until the fall of the gavel for the purpose of a Republican party caucus.

The Senate resumed session at 2:04 p.m., President Jochum presiding.

CONSIDERATION OF BILLS
(Appropriations Calendar)

Senator Gronstal asked and received unanimous consent to take up for consideration Senate Files 496, 497, and 493.

Senate File 496

On motion of Senator Courtney, **Senate File 496**, a bill for an act relating to appropriations to the judicial branch, was taken up for consideration.

Senator Courtney 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. 496**), the vote was:

Yeas, 26:

Allen	Dearden	Jochum	Schoenjahn
Bisignano	Dotzler	Kinney	Seng
Bolkcom	Dvorsky	Mathis	Sodders
Bowman	Gronstal	McCoy	Taylor
Brase	Hart	Petersen	Wilhelm
Courtney	Hogg	Quirnbach	
Danielson	Horn	Ragan	

Nays, 24:

Anderson	Costello	Kapucian	Shipley
Behn	Dix	Kraayenbrink	Sinclair
Bertrand	Feenstra	Rozenboom	Smith
Breitbach	Garrett	Schneider	Whitver
Chapman	Guth	Schultz	Zaun
Chelgren	Johnson	Segebart	Zumbach

Absent, none.

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

[Senate File 497](#)

On motion of Senator Courtney, [Senate File 497](#), a bill for an act relating to appropriations to the justice system, and including effective date provisions, was taken up for consideration.

Senator Brase offered amendment [S-3142](#), filed by Senator Brase, et al., from the floor to pages 18 and 19 of the bill, and moved its adoption.

A record roll call was requested.

On the question “Shall amendment [S-3142](#) be adopted?” ([S.F. 497](#)), the vote was:

Yeas, 50:

Allen	Danielson	Johnson	Segebart
Anderson	Dearden	Kapucian	Seng
Behn	Dix	Kinney	Shipley
Bertrand	Dotzler	Kraayenbrink	Sinclair
Bisignano	Dvorsky	Mathis	Smith
Bolkcom	Feenstra	McCoy	Sodders
Bowman	Garrett	Petersen	Taylor
Brase	Gronstal	Quirnbach	Whitver
Breitbach	Guth	Ragan	Wilhelm
Chapman	Hart	Rozenboom	Zaun
Chelgren	Hogg	Schneider	Zumbach
Costello	Horn	Schoenjahn	
Courtney	Jochum	Schultz	

Nays, none.

Absent, none.

Amendment [S-3142](#) was adopted.

Senator Courtney offered amendment [S-3143](#), filed by him from the floor to pages 19–20 of the bill, and moved its adoption.

A record roll call was requested.

On the question “Shall amendment [S-3143](#) be adopted?” ([S.F. 497](#)), the vote was:

Yeas, 50:

Allen	Danielson	Johnson	Segebart
Anderson	Dearden	Kapucian	Seng
Behn	Dix	Kinney	Shiple
Bertrand	Dotzler	Kraayenbrink	Sinclair
Bisignano	Dvorsky	Mathis	Smith
Bolkcom	Feenstra	McCoy	Sodders
Bowman	Garrett	Petersen	Taylor
Brase	Gronstal	Quirnbach	Whitver
Breitbach	Guth	Ragan	Wilhelm
Chapman	Hart	Rozenboom	Zaun
Chelgren	Hogg	Schneider	Zumbach
Costello	Horn	Schoenjahn	
Courtney	Jochum	Schultz	

Nays, none.

Absent, none.

Amendment [S-3143](#) was adopted.

Senator Courtney 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. 497](#)), the vote was:

Yeas, 26:

Allen	Dearden	Jochum	Schoenjahn
Bisignano	Dotzler	Kinney	Seng
Bolkcom	Dvorsky	Mathis	Sodders
Bowman	Gronstal	McCoy	Taylor
Brase	Hart	Petersen	Wilhelm
Courtney	Hogg	Quirnbach	
Danielson	Horn	Ragan	

Nays, 24:

Anderson	Costello	Kapucian	Shipley
Behn	Dix	Kraayenbrink	Sinclair
Bertrand	Feenstra	Rozenboom	Smith
Breitbach	Garrett	Schneider	Whitver
Chapman	Guth	Schultz	Zaun
Chelgren	Johnson	Segebart	Zumbach

Absent, none.

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

[Senate File 493](#)

On motion of Senator Schoenjahn, [Senate File 493](#), a bill for an act relating to the funding of, the operation of, and appropriation of moneys to the college student aid commission, the department for the blind, the department of education, and the state board of regents, providing for related matters, and providing effective date and applicability provisions, was taken up for consideration.

Senator Schoenjahn offered amendment [S-3137](#), filed by him on April 28, 2015, to pages 1, 29, 38, and 63–65 of the bill, and moved its adoption.

Amendment [S-3137](#) was adopted by a voice vote.

Senator Sinclair offered amendment [S-3141](#), filed by her from the floor to page 51 of the bill, and moved its adoption.

A nonrecord roll call was requested.

The ayes were 24, nays 26.

Amendment [S-3141](#) lost.

Senator Schoenjahn 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. 493](#)), the vote was:

Yeas, 26:

Allen	Dearden	Jochum	Schoenjahn
Bisignano	Dotzler	Kinney	Seng
Bolkcom	Dvorsky	Mathis	Sodders
Bowman	Gronstal	McCoy	Taylor
Brase	Hart	Petersen	Wilhelm
Courtney	Hogg	Quirnbach	
Danielson	Horn	Ragan	

Nays, 24:

Anderson	Costello	Kapucian	Shiple
Behn	Dix	Kraayenbrink	Sinclair
Bertrand	Feenstra	Rozenboom	Smith
Breitbach	Garrett	Schneider	Whitver
Chapman	Guth	Schultz	Zaun
Chelgren	Johnson	Segebart	Zumbach

Absent, none.

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 493, 496, and 497** and [House File 615](#) be **immediately messaged** to the House.

CONSIDERATION OF BILLS (Appropriations Calendar)

Senator Gronstal asked and received unanimous consent to take up for consideration Senate Files 498 and 499.

[Senate File 498](#)

On motion of Senator Brase, [Senate File 498](#), 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 and including effective date provisions, was taken up for consideration.

Senator Brase offered amendment [S-3145](#), filed by him from the floor to pages 2–4, 8, 11–14, 21–22, 26, and 29–32 of the bill, and moved its adoption.

Amendment [S-3145](#) was adopted by a voice vote.

Senator Brase 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. 498](#)), the vote was:

Yeas, 26:

Allen	Dearden	Jochum	Schoenjahn
Bisignano	Dotzler	Kinney	Seng
Bolkcom	Dvorsky	Mathis	Sodders
Bowman	Gronstal	McCoy	Taylor
Brase	Hart	Petersen	Wilhelm
Courtney	Hogg	Quirnbach	
Danielson	Horn	Ragan	

Nays, 24:

Anderson	Costello	Kapucian	Shiple
Behn	Dix	Kraayenbrink	Sinclair
Bertrand	Feenstra	Rozenboom	Smith
Breitbach	Garrett	Schneider	Whitver
Chapman	Guth	Schultz	Zaun
Chelgren	Johnson	Segebart	Zumbach

Absent, none.

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

[Senate File 499](#)

On motion of Senator Dotzler, [Senate File 499](#), a bill for an act making appropriations to the department of cultural affairs, the economic development authority, the Iowa finance authority, the public employment relations board, the department of workforce development, and the state board of regents and certain regents institutions, modifying programs and duties of the economic development authority, providing for other properly related matters, and including effective date and retroactive and other applicability provisions, was taken up for consideration.

Senator Dotzler 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. 499](#)), the vote was:

Yeas, 26:

Allen	Dearden	Jochum	Schoenjahn
Bisignano	Dotzler	Kinney	Seng
Bolkcom	Dvorsky	Mathis	Sodders
Bowman	Gronstal	McCoy	Taylor
Brase	Hart	Petersen	Wilhelm
Courtney	Hogg	Quirnbach	
Danielson	Horn	Ragan	

Nays, 24:

Anderson	Costello	Kapucian	Shiple
Behn	Dix	Kraayenbrink	Sinclair
Bertrand	Feenstra	Rozenboom	Smith
Breitbach	Garrett	Schneider	Whitver
Chapman	Guth	Schultz	Zaun
Chelgren	Johnson	Segebart	Zumbach

Absent, none.

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 498** and **499** be **immediately messaged** to the House.

CONSIDERATION OF BILL (Appropriations Calendar)

Senator Gronstal asked and received unanimous consent to take up for consideration [House File 630](#).

House File 630

On motion of Senator Ragan, [House File 630](#), a bill for an act appropriating federal funds made available from federal block grants and other nonstate sources, allocating portions of federal block grants, and providing procedures if federal funds are more or less than anticipated or if federal block grants are more or less than anticipated, with report of committee recommending passage, was taken up for consideration.

Senator Ragan 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. 630](#)), the vote was:

Yeas, 50:

Allen	Danielson	Johnson	Segebart
Anderson	Dearden	Kapucian	Seng
Behn	Dix	Kinney	Shipley
Bertrand	Dotzler	Kraayenbrink	Sinclair
Bisignano	Dvorsky	Mathis	Smith
Bolkcom	Feenstra	McCoy	Sodders
Bowman	Garrett	Petersen	Taylor
Brase	Gronstal	Quirnbach	Whitver
Breitbach	Guth	Ragan	Wilhelm
Chapman	Hart	Rozenboom	Zaun
Chelgren	Hogg	Schneider	Zumbach
Costello	Horn	Schoenjahn	
Courtney	Jochum	Schultz	

Nays, none.

Absent, none.

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 [House File 635](#).

House File 635

On motion of Senator Danielson, [House File 635](#), a bill for an act relating to matters under the purview of the department of transportation, providing fees, and including effective date provisions, with report of committee recommending amendment and passage, was taken up for consideration.

Senator Bowman offered amendment [S-3134](#), filed by the committee on Transportation on April 22, 2015, to pages 10 and 20 of the bill.

Senator Bowman withdrew amendment [S-3136](#), filed by him on April 27, 2015, to page 1 of amendment [S-3134](#).

Senator Bowman offered amendment [S-3140](#), filed by him on April 28, 2015, to page 1 of amendment [S-3134](#), and moved its adoption.

Amendment [S-3140](#) to amendment [S-3134](#) was adopted by a voice vote.

Senator Bowman moved the adoption of amendment [S-3134](#), as amended.

Amendment [S-3134](#), as amended, was adopted by a voice vote.

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. 635](#)), the vote was:

Yeas, 43:

Allen	Dearden	Johnson	Schoenjahn
Bertrand	Dix	Kapucian	Seng
Bisignano	Dotzler	Kinney	Shiple
Bolkcom	Dvorsky	Kraayenbrink	Sinclair
Bowman	Feenstra	Mathis	Smith
Brase	Garrett	McCoy	Sodders
Breitbach	Gronstal	Petersen	Taylor

Chelgren	Hart	Quirnbach	Whitver
Costello	Hogg	Ragan	Wilhelm
Courtney	Horn	Rozenboom	Zumbach
Danielson	Jochum	Schneider	

Nays, 7:

Anderson	Chapman	Schultz	Zaun
Behn	Guth	Segebart	

Absent, none.

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 **House Files 630** and **635** be **immediately messaged** to the House.

ADJOURNMENT

On motion of Senator Gronstal, the Senate adjourned at 3:08 p.m. until 9:00 a.m., Thursday, April 30, 2015.

APPENDIX

REPORT OF COMMITTEE MEETING

APPROPRIATIONS

Convened: Wednesday, April 29, 2015, 11:05 a.m.

Members Present: Dvorsky, Chair; Danielson, Vice Chair; Chapman, Ranking Member; Bisignano, Bolkcom, Brase, Courtney, Dotzler, Garrett, Hogg, Kapucian, Kraayenbrink, Mathis, McCoy, Ragan, Rozenboom, Schneider, Schoenjahn, Segebart, Wilhelm, and Zumbach.

Members Absent: None.

Committee Business: Discussed [HF 637](#) and [SSB 1282](#).

Adjourned: 11:45 a.m.

INTRODUCTION OF BILL

[Senate File 500](#), by committee on Appropriations, a bill for an act relating to family support programs and provisions including those relating to child support and establishment of paternity.

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

STUDY BILL RECEIVED

[SSB 1287](#) **Appropriations**

Relating to cultural affairs and economic development by establishing an Iowa next program and fund to assist communities in community enhancement projects, creating a sports tourism program, modifying certain economic development authority and department of cultural affairs programs, eliminating the vision Iowa program and the great places program and fund, making appropriations, and including transition provisions.

SUBCOMMITTEE ASSIGNMENT

[SSB 1287](#)

APPROPRIATIONS: Dotzler, Chair; Chapman and Dvorsky

FINAL COMMITTEE REPORTS OF BILL ACTION

APPROPRIATIONS

Bill Title: [SENATE FILE 500 \(SSB 1282\)](#), a bill for an act relating to family support programs and provisions including those relating to child support and establishment of paternity.

Recommendation: APPROVED COMMITTEE BILL.

Final Vote: Ayes, 21: Dvorsky, Danielson, Chapman, Bisignano, Bolkcom, Brase, Courtney, Dotzler, Garrett, Hogg, Kapucian, Kraayenbrink, Mathis, McCoy, Ragan, Rozenboom, Schneider, Schoenjahn, Segebart, Wilhelm, and Zumbach. Nays, none. Absent, none.

Fiscal Note: NOT REQUIRED UNDER JOINT RULE 17.

ALSO:

Bill Title: [HOUSE FILE 637](#), a bill for an act relating to transportation and other infrastructure-related appropriations to the department of transportation, including allocation and use of moneys from the road use tax fund and the primary road fund.

Recommendation: DO PASS.

Final Vote: Ayes, 12: Dvorsky, Danielson, Bolkcom, Brase, Courtney, Dotzler, Hogg, Mathis, McCoy, Ragan, Schoenjahn, and Wilhelm. Nays, 9: Chapman, Bisignano, Garrett, Kapucian, Kraayenbrink, Rozenboom, Schneider, Segebart, and Zumbach. Absent, none.

Fiscal Note: NOT REQUIRED UNDER JOINT RULE 17.

AMENDMENTS FILED

S-3141	S.F. 493	Amy Sinclair
S-3142	S.F. 497	Chris Brase
		Mary Jo Wilhelm
		Rita Hart
		Janet Petersen
		Liz Mathis
S-3143	S.F. 497	Thomas G. Courtney
S-3144	H.F. 567	Steven J. Sodders
S-3145	S.F. 498	Chris Brase