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NINETY-NINTH CALENDAR DAY
SIXTY-SEVENTH SESSION DAY

Senate Chamber
Des Moines, Iowa, Monday, April 17, 2017

The Senate met in regular session at 9:04 a.m., President Whitver presiding.

Prayer was offered by Pastor Bob Speirs of St. John's Lutheran Church in Des Moines, Iowa. He was the guest of Senator Bisignano.

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

The Pledge of Allegiance was led by Senate Page Devyn Leeson.

The Journal of Friday, April 14, 2017, was approved.

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 11:02 a.m., President Whitver presiding.

RECESS

On motion of Senator Dix, the Senate recessed at 11:03 a.m. until the completion of a meeting of the committee on Ways and Means.

RECONVENED

The Senate reconvened at 3:13 p.m., President Whitver presiding.

FINAL COMMITTEE REPORT OF BILL ACTION

APPROPRIATIONS

Bill Title: *[SENATE FILE 512](#) (formerly [SF 482](#)), a bill for an act relating to water quality by amending the wastewater treatment financial assistance program, creating a water quality infrastructure fund, establishing a water quality financing program, providing for cost-share programs for infrastructure on agricultural and urban land under the water quality initiative, creating a water service excise tax and a related sales tax exemption, making transfers and appropriations and other changes properly related to water quality, and including effective date provisions.

Recommendation: APPROVED COMMITTEE BILL.

Final Vote: Ayes, 12: Schneider, Kraayenbrink, Chelgren, Costello, Garrett, Greene, Guth, C. Johnson, Lofgren, Rozenboom, Shipley, and Zumbach. Nays, 9: Bolkcom, Bertrand, Boulton, Danielson, Dotzler, Hart, Mathis, McCoy, and Ragan. Absent, none.

Fiscal Note: NOT REQUIRED UNDER JOINT RULE 17.

*Pursuant to Rule 40, the Legislative Services Agency reported nonsubstantive changes to the members of the Appropriations Committee on [Senate File 512](#), and they were attached to the committee report.

INTRODUCTION OF BILL

[Senate File 512](#), by committee on Appropriations, a bill for an act relating to water quality by amending the wastewater treatment financial assistance program, creating a water quality infrastructure fund, establishing a water quality financing program, providing for cost-share programs for infrastructure on agricultural and urban land under the water quality initiative, creating a water service excise tax and a related sales tax exemption, making transfers and appropriations and other changes properly related to water quality, and including effective date provisions.

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

BILL REFERRED TO COMMITTEE

President Whitver announced that [Senate File 512](#) was referred from the Appropriations Calendar to the committee on **Ways and Means** under Senate Rule 38.

RECESS

On motion of Senator Dix, the Senate recessed at 3:14 p.m. until the completion of a meeting of the committee on Ways and Means.

RECONVENED

The Senate reconvened at 3:59 p.m., President Whitver presiding.

The Senate stood at ease at 4:00 p.m. until the fall of the gavel for the purpose of party caucuses.

The Senate resumed session at 4:52 p.m., President Whitver presiding.

LEAVE OF ABSENCE

Leave of absence was granted as follows:

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

HOUSE AMENDMENT CONSIDERED

[Senate File 404](#)

Senator Dix called up for consideration [Senate File 404](#), a bill for an act relating to the use of experimental treatments for patients with a terminal illness, amended by the House in House amendment [S-3303](#), filed April 11, 2017.

Senator Bertrand moved that the Senate concur in the House amendment.

The motion prevailed by a voice vote and the Senate **concurred** in the House amendment.

Senator Bertrand moved that the bill, as amended by the House and concurred in by the Senate, be read the last time now and placed upon its passage, which motion prevailed by voice vote, and the bill was read the last time.

On the question "Shall the bill pass?" ([S.F. 404](#)), the vote was:

Yeas, 49:

Allen	Danielson	Jochum	Schneider
Anderson	Dawson	Johnson, C.	Schultz
Behn	Dix	Johnson, D.	Segebart
Bertrand	Dotzler	Kapucian	Shiple
Bisignano	Dvorsky	Kinney	Sinclair
Bolkcom	Edler	Kraayenbrink	Smith
Boulton	Feenstra	Lofgren	Taylor
Bowman	Garrett	Lykam	Whitver
Breitbach	Greene	Mathis	Zaun
Brown	Guth	Petersen	Zumbach
Chapman	Hart	Quirnbach	
Chelgren	Hogg	Ragan	
Costello	Horn	Rozenboom	

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.

HOUSE AMENDMENT CONSIDERED

[Senate File 465](#)

Senator Dix called up for consideration [Senate File 465](#), a bill for an act relating to medical malpractice claims, including noneconomic damage awards and expert witnesses, amended by the House in House amendment [S-3316](#), filed April 12, 2017.

Senator Schneider moved that the Senate concur in the House amendment.

The motion prevailed by a voice vote and the Senate **concurred** in the House amendment.

Senator Schneider moved that the bill, as amended by the House and concurred in by the Senate, be read the last time now and placed upon its passage, which motion prevailed by voice vote, and the bill was read the last time.

On the question "Shall the bill pass?" ([S.F. 465](#)), the vote was:

Yeas, 37:

Allen	Danielson	Johnson, C.	Segebart
Anderson	Dawson	Kapucian	Shiple
Behn	Dix	Kinney	Sinclair
Bertrand	Edler	Kraayenbrink	Smith
Bowman	Feenstra	Lofgren	Whitver
Breitbach	Garrett	Lykam	Zaun
Brown	Greene	Ragan	Zumbach
Chapman	Guth	Rozenboom	
Chelgren	Hart	Schneider	
Costello	Horn	Schultz	

Nays, 12:

Bisignano	Dotzler	Jochum	Petersen
Bolkcom	Dvorsky	Johnson, D.	Quirnbach
Boulton	Hogg	Mathis	Taylor

Absent, 1:

McCoy

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

CONSIDERATION OF BILL (Appropriations Calendar)

Senator Dix asked and received unanimous consent to take up for consideration [Senate File 500](#).

[Senate File 500](#)

On motion of Senator Chelgren, [Senate File 500](#), a bill for an act relating to 911 emergency telephone and internet communication systems and making appropriations, was taken up for consideration.

Senator Chelgren 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. 500](#)), the vote was:

Yeas, 48:

Allen	Danielson	Horn	Ragan
Anderson	Dawson	Jochum	Rozenboom
Behn	Dix	Johnson, C.	Schneider
Bertrand	Dotzler	Johnson, D.	Schultz
Bolkcom	Dvorsky	Kapucian	Segebart
Boulton	Edler	Kinney	Shipley
Bowman	Feenstra	Kraayenbrink	Sinclair
Breitbach	Garrett	Lofgren	Smith
Brown	Greene	Lykam	Taylor
Chapman	Guth	Mathis	Whitver
Chelgren	Hart	Petersen	Zaun
Costello	Hogg	Quirnbach	Zumbach

Nays, 1:

Bisignano

Absent, 1:

McCoy

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

IMMEDIATELY MESSAGED

Senator Dix asked and received unanimous consent that **Senate Files 404, 465, and 500** be **immediately messaged** to the House.

CONSIDERATION OF BILLS (Ways and Means Calendar)

Senator Dix asked and received unanimous consent to take up for consideration [Senate File 505](#) and [House File 607](#).

[Senate File 505](#)

On motion of Senator Smith, [Senate File 505](#), a bill for an act providing for the establishment of first-time homebuyer savings accounts in Iowa, including related individual income tax exemptions, and including applicability provisions, was taken up for consideration.

Senator Smith 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. 505](#)), the vote was:

Yeas, 49:

Allen	Dawson	Johnson, C.	Schneider
Anderson	Dix	Johnson, D.	Schultz
Behn	Dotzler	Kapucian	Segebart
Bertrand	Dvorsky	Kinney	Shipley
Bisignano	Edler	Kraayenbrink	Sinclair
Boulton	Feenstra	Lofgren	Smith
Bowman	Garrett	Lykam	Taylor
Breitbach	Greene	Mathis	Whitver
Brown	Guth	McCoy	Zaun
Chapman	Hart	Petersen	Zumbach
Chelgren	Hogg	Quirnbach	
Costello	Horn	Ragan	
Danielson	Jochum	Rozenboom	

Nays, 1:

Bolkcom

Absent, none.

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

[House File 607](#)

On motion of Senator Smith, [House File 607](#), a bill for an act relating to alcoholic beverage control and matters under the purview of the alcoholic beverages division of the department of commerce, with report of committee recommending passage, was taken up for consideration.

Senator Smith 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. 607](#)), the vote was:

Yeas, 50:

Allen	Danielson	Jochum	Rozenboom
Anderson	Dawson	Johnson, C.	Schneider
Behn	Dix	Johnson, D.	Schultz
Bertrand	Dotzler	Kapucian	Segebart
Bisignano	Dvorsky	Kinney	Shiple
Bolkcom	Edler	Kraayenbrink	Sinclair
Boulton	Feenstra	Lofgren	Smith
Bowman	Garrett	Lykam	Taylor
Breitbach	Greene	Mathis	Whitver
Brown	Guth	McCoy	Zaun
Chapman	Hart	Petersen	Zumbach
Chelgren	Hogg	Quirnbach	
Costello	Horn	Ragan	

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 (Appropriations Calendar)

Senator Dix asked and received unanimous consent to take up for consideration [Senate File 509](#).

[Senate File 509](#)

On motion of Senator Chelgren, [Senate File 509](#), a bill for an act relating to appropriations to the justice system, was taken up for consideration.

Senator Chelgren offered amendment [S-3322](#), filed by him from the floor to pages 1–2, 21, and 22 of the bill, and moved its adoption.

Amendment [S-3322](#) was adopted by a voice vote.

Senator Taylor offered amendment [S-3320](#), filed by him from the floor to page 21 of the bill, and moved its adoption.

A record roll call was requested.

On the question “Shall amendment [S-3320](#) be adopted?” ([S.F. 509](#)), the vote was:

Yeas, 21:

Allen	Dotzler	Kinney	Ragan
Bisignano	Dvorsky	Lykam	Taylor
Bolkcom	Hart	Mathis	Zaun
Boulton	Hogg	McCoy	
Bowman	Horn	Petersen	
Danielson	Jochum	Quirnbach	

Nays, 29:

Anderson	Dawson	Johnson, D.	Shipley
Behn	Dix	Kapucian	Sinclair
Bertrand	Edler	Kraayenbrink	Smith
Breitbach	Feenstra	Lofgren	Whitver
Brown	Garrett	Rozenboom	Zumbach
Chapman	Greene	Schneider	
Chelgren	Guth	Schultz	
Costello	Johnson, C.	Segebart	

Absent, none.

Amendment [S-3320](#) lost.

Senator Zaun took the chair at 5:43 p.m.

President Whitver took the chair at 5:45 p.m.

Senator Chelgren 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. 509](#)), the vote was:

Yeas, 29:

Anderson	Dawson	Kapucian	Sinclair
Behn	Dix	Kraayenbrink	Smith
Bertrand	Edler	Lofgren	Whitver
Breitbach	Feenstra	Rozenboom	Zaun
Brown	Garrett	Schneider	Zumbach
Chapman	Greene	Schultz	
Chelgren	Guth	Segebart	
Costello	Johnson, C.	Shipley	

Nays, 21:

Allen	Dotzler	Johnson, D.	Quirmbach
Bisignano	Dvorsky	Kinney	Ragan
Bolkcom	Hart	Lykam	Taylor
Boulton	Hogg	Mathis	
Bowman	Horn	McCoy	
Danielson	Jochum	Petersen	

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 Dix asked and received unanimous consent that **Senate Files 505** and **509** and [House File 607](#) be **immediately messaged** to the House.

CONSIDERATION OF BILL (Appropriations Calendar)

Senator Dix asked and received unanimous consent to take up for consideration [Senate File 508](#).

[Senate File 508](#)

On motion of Senator Chelgren, [Senate File 508](#), a bill for an act relating to appropriations to the judicial branch, was taken up for consideration.

Senator Chelgren withdrew amendment [S-3325](#), filed by him from the floor to pages 3 and 7 of the bill.

Senator Chelgren offered amendment [S-3328](#), filed by him from the floor to pages 3, 4, and 7 of the bill, and moved its adoption.

Amendment [S-3328](#) was adopted by a voice vote.

Senator Chelgren 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. 508](#)), the vote was:

Yeas, 29:

Anderson	Dawson	Kapucian	Sinclair
Behn	Dix	Kraayenbrink	Smith
Bertrand	Edler	Lofgren	Whitver
Breitbach	Feenstra	Rozenboom	Zaun
Brown	Garrett	Schneider	Zumbach
Chapman	Greene	Schultz	
Chelgren	Guth	Segebart	
Costello	Johnson, C.	Shipley	

Nays, 21:

Allen	Dotzler	Johnson, D.	Quirmbach
Bisignano	Dvorsky	Kinney	Ragan
Bolkcom	Hart	Lykam	Taylor
Boulton	Hogg	Mathis	
Bowman	Horn	McCoy	
Danielson	Jochum	Petersen	

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 Dix asked and received unanimous consent that [Senate File 508](#) be **immediately messaged** to the House.

CONSIDERATION OF BILLS (Appropriations Calendar)

Senator Dix asked and received unanimous consent to take up for consideration Senate Files 510 and 506.

[Senate File 510](#)

On motion of Senator Shipley, [Senate File 510](#), a bill for an act relating to and making appropriations and related statutory changes involving state government entities involved with agriculture, natural resources, and environmental protection, and including effective date provisions, was taken up for consideration.

Senator Shipley offered amendment [S-3326](#), filed by him from the floor to pages 13, 14, 17, 21, 38, 39, and 42 of the bill, and moved its adoption.

Amendment [S-3326](#) was adopted by a voice vote.

Senator Quirnbach offered amendment [S-3323](#), filed by him from the floor to pages 24–26 of the bill, and moved its adoption.

A record roll call was requested.

On the question “Shall amendment [S-3323](#) be adopted?” ([S.F. 510](#)), the vote was:

Yeas, 22:

Allen	Danielson	Jochum	Petersen
Bisignano	Dotzler	Johnson, D.	Quirnbach
Bolkcom	Dvorsky	Kinney	Ragan
Boulton	Hart	Lykam	Taylor
Bowman	Hogg	Mathis	
Chelgren	Horn	McCoy	

Nays, 28:

Anderson	Dawson	Johnson, C.	Segebart
Behn	Dix	Kapucian	Shipley
Bertrand	Edler	Kraayenbrink	Sinclair
Breitbach	Feenstra	Lofgren	Smith
Brown	Garrett	Rozenboom	Whitver
Chapman	Greene	Schneider	Zaun
Costello	Guth	Schultz	Zumbach

Absent, none.

Amendment [S-3323](#) lost.

Senator Shipley 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. 510](#)), the vote was:

Yeas, 29:

Anderson	Dawson	Kapucian	Sinclair
Behn	Dix	Kraayenbrink	Smith
Bertrand	Edler	Lofgren	Whitver

Breitbach	Feenstra	Rozenboom	Zaun
Brown	Garrett	Schneider	Zumbach
Chapman	Greene	Schultz	
Chelgren	Guth	Segebart	
Costello	Johnson, C.	Shipley	

Nays, 21:

Allen	Dotzler	Johnson, D.	Quirmbach
Bisignano	Dvorsky	Kinney	Ragan
Bolkcom	Hart	Lykam	Taylor
Boulton	Hogg	Mathis	
Bowman	Horn	McCoy	
Danielson	Jochum	Petersen	

Absent, none.

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

[Senate File 506](#)

On motion of Senator Greene, [Senate File 506](#), a bill for an act concerning the compassionate use of medical cannabis Act, reclassifying marijuana, including tetrahydrocannabinols, from a schedule I controlled substance to a schedule II controlled substance, providing for civil and criminal penalties and fees, and including effective date provisions, with report of committee on Ways and Means recommending passage, was taken up for consideration.

Senator Greene offered amendment [S-3324](#), filed by him from the floor to pages 3, 9, 13, 17, and 21 of the bill, and moved its adoption.

Amendment [S-3324](#) was adopted by a voice vote.

Senator Chelgren withdrew amendment [S-3321](#), filed by him from the floor to pages 17–18 of the bill.

Senator Chelgren offered amendment [S-3327](#), filed by him from the floor to pages 17 and 18 of the bill, and moved its adoption.

Amendment [S-3327](#) was adopted by a voice vote.

Senator Greene 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. 506](#)), the vote was:

Yeas, 45:

Allen	Dotzler	Kapucian	Schultz
Anderson	Dvorsky	Kinney	Segebart
Behn	Edler	Kraayenbrink	Shipley
Bertrand	Feenstra	Lofgren	Sinclair
Bisignano	Greene	Lykam	Smith
Bolkcom	Guth	Mathis	Taylor
Boulton	Hart	McCoy	Whitver
Brown	Hogg	Petersen	Zaun
Chapman	Horn	Quirnbach	Zumbach
Chelgren	Jochum	Ragan	
Danielson	Johnson, C.	Rozenboom	
Dix	Johnson, D.	Schneider	

Nays, 5:

Bowman	Costello	Garrett
Breitbach	Dawson	

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 Dix asked and received unanimous consent that **Senate Files 506** and **510** be **immediately messaged** to the House.

ADJOURNMENT

On motion of Senator Dix, the Senate adjourned at 7:37 p.m. until 9:00 a.m., Tuesday, April 18, 2017.

APPENDIX

COMMUNICATION RECEIVED

The following communication was received in the office of the Secretary of the Senate and placed on file in the Legislative Services Agency:

DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES

Nursing Facilities Private Room Supplementation Report, pursuant to Iowa Code section 249A.4(10). Report received on April 17, 2017.

CERTIFICATES OF RECOGNITION

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

Richard and Helen Black, Farley—For celebrating their 50th wedding anniversary. Senator Bowman.

Jeanette Kawaguchi, Des Moines—For celebrating her 100th birthday. Senator McCoy.

North of Grand Neighborhood Association, Des Moines—For winning the 2017 Loren Horten Community History Award. Senator McCoy.

Harold Weihe, Waterloo—For celebrating his 90th birthday. Senator Dotzler.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEE MEETINGS

APPROPRIATIONS

Convened: Monday, April 17, 2017, 1:00 p.m.

Members Present: Schneider, Chair; Kraayenbrink, Vice Chair; Bolkcom, Ranking Member; Bertrand, Boulton, Chelgren, Costello, Danielson, Dotzler, Garrett, Greene, Guth, Hart, C. Johnson, Lofgren, Mathis, McCoy, Ragan, Rozenboom, Shipley, and Zumbach.

Members Absent: None.

Committee Business: Approved [SF 482](#), as amended; passed SSBs 1196 and 1197.

Adjourned: 2:55 p.m.

WAYS AND MEANS

Convened: Monday, April 17, 2017, 3:05 p.m.

Members Present: Feenstra, Chair; Behn, Vice Chair; Jochum, Ranking Member; Anderson, Bolkcom, Breitbach, Brown, Dawson, Dotzler, Edler, McCoy, Petersen, Quirnbach, Schultz, and Smith.

Members Absent: None.

Committee Business: Approved [SF 512](#).

Adjourned: 3:50 p.m.

ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT APPROPRIATIONS SUBCOMMITTEE

Convened: Thursday, April 13, 2017, 4:15 p.m.

Members Present: Lofgren, Chair; Breitbach, Vice Chair; Dotzler, Ranking Member; Allen, and Greene.

Members Absent: None.

Committee Business: Discussed budget bill.

Adjourned: 4:35 p.m.

**TRANSPORTATION, INFRASTRUCTURE, AND CAPITALS
APPROPRIATIONS SUBCOMMITTEE**

Convened: Monday, April 17, 2017, 11:00 a.m.

Members Present: Bertrand, Chair; Kapucian, Vice Chair; McCoy, Ranking Member; Anderson, and Bowman.

Members Absent: None.

Committee Business: Discussed and approved budget recommendations.

Adjourned: 12:00 p.m.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS

[Senate File 513](#), by committee on Appropriations, 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, and properly related matters.

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

[Senate File 514](#), by committee on Appropriations, a bill for an act relating to and making appropriations to state departments and agencies from the rebuild Iowa infrastructure fund, the state bond repayment fund, the technology reinvestment fund, and the revenue bonds capitals fund, providing for related matters, and including effective date provisions.

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

STUDY BILLS RECEIVED

[SSB 1196](#) **Appropriations**

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, and properly related matters.

[SSB 1197](#) **Appropriations**

Relating to and making appropriations to state departments and agencies from the rebuild Iowa infrastructure fund, the state bond repayment fund, the technology reinvestment fund, and the revenue bonds capitals fund, providing for related matters, and including effective date provisions.

SUBCOMMITTEE ASSIGNMENTS

[Senate File 512](#)

WAYS AND MEANS: Feenstra, Chair; Anderson, Behn, Bolkcom, Breitbach, Brown, Dawson, Dotzler, Edler, Jochum, McCoy, Petersen, Quirmbach, Schultz, and Smith

[SSB 1196](#)

APPROPRIATIONS: Schneider, Chair; Bertrand, Bolkcom, Boulton, Chelgren, Costello, Danielson, Dotzler, Garrett, Greene, Guth, Hart, C. Johnson, Kraayenbrink, Lofgren, Mathis, McCoy, Ragan, Rozenboom, Shipley, and Zumbach

[SSB 1197](#)

APPROPRIATIONS: Bertrand, Chair; McCoy and Schneider

FINAL COMMITTEE REPORTS OF BILL ACTION

APPROPRIATIONS

Bill Title: [SENATE FILE 513 \(SSB 1196\)](#), 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, and properly related matters.

Recommendation: APPROVED COMMITTEE BILL.

Final Vote: Ayes, 14: Schneider, Kraayenbrink, Bertrand, Chelgren, Costello, Danielson, Garrett, Greene, Guth, C. Johnson, Lofgren, Rozenboom, Shipley, and Zumbach. Nays, 7: Bolkcom, Boulton, Dotzler, Hart, Mathis, McCoy, and Ragan. Absent, none.

Fiscal Note: NOT REQUIRED UNDER JOINT RULE 17.

ALSO:

Bill Title: [SENATE FILE 514 \(SSB 1197\)](#), a bill for an act relating to and making appropriations to state departments and agencies from the rebuild Iowa infrastructure fund, the state bond repayment fund, the technology reinvestment fund, and the revenue bonds capitals fund, providing for related matters, and including effective date provisions.

Recommendation: APPROVED COMMITTEE BILL.

Final Vote: Ayes, 20: Schneider, Kraayenbrink, Bertrand, Boulton, Chelgren, Costello, Danielson, Dotzler, Garrett, Greene, Guth, Hart, C. Johnson, Lofgren, Mathis, McCoy, Ragan, Rozenboom, Shipley, and Zumbach. Nays, 1: Bolkcom. Absent, none.

Fiscal Note: NOT REQUIRED UNDER JOINT RULE 17.

WAYS AND MEANS

Bill Title: [SENATE FILE 512](#), a bill for an act relating to water quality by amending the wastewater treatment financial assistance program, creating a water quality infrastructure fund, establishing a water quality financing program, providing for cost-share programs for infrastructure on agricultural and urban land under the water quality initiative, creating a water service excise tax and a related sales tax exemption, making transfers and appropriations and other changes properly related to water quality, and including effective date provisions.

Recommendation: DO PASS.

Final Vote: Ayes, 9: Feenstra, Behn, Anderson, Breitbach, Brown, Dawson, Edler, Schultz, and Smith. Nays, 6: Jochum, Bolkcom, Dotzler, McCoy, Petersen, and Quirmbach. Absent, none.

Fiscal Note: NOT REQUIRED UNDER JOINT RULE 17.

*Pursuant to Rule 40, the Legislative Services Agency reported nonsubstantive changes to the members of the Appropriations Committee on [Senate File 512](#), and they were attached to the committee report.

WITHDRAWAL OF GOVERNOR'S APPOINTEES

The following letters from the Governor were received in the office of the Secretary of the Senate on April 17, 2017:

I am withdrawing the name of David Edwards to serve as a member of the Board of Massage Therapy from further consideration by the Senate.

I am withdrawing the name of Rebecca Kmett to serve as a member of the Board of Podiatry from further consideration by the Senate.

Sincerely,
TERRY E. BRANSTAD
Governor

GOVERNOR'S DEFERRAL LETTERS

The following letters from the Governor were received in the office of the Secretary of the Senate on April 17, 2017:

Pursuant to Iowa Code section 2.32, please accept this letter as the notice of deferment of the appointment to the Board of Massage Therapy, formerly held by David Edwards. This appointment has been deferred because our Administration has initiated, but has not yet completed, the selection process which will result in determining the most appropriate person to nominate for this position.

Pursuant to Iowa Code section 2.32, please accept this letter as the notice of deferment of the appointment to the Board of Podiatry, formerly held by Sarah Kleffman. This appointment has been deferred because our Administration has initiated, but has not yet completed, the selection process which will result in determining the most appropriate person to nominate for this position.

BILLS SIGNED BY THE GOVERNOR

A communication was received announcing that on April 17, 2017, the Governor approved and transmitted to the Secretary of State the following bills:

[Senate File 234](#) – Relating to the use of electronic communication devices to write, send, or view electronic messages while driving as a primary offense, and making penalties applicable.

[Senate File 444](#) – Relating to public safety on highways, including the use of electronic communication devices while driving where such use results in death and the establishment of a statewide sobriety and drug monitoring program, and providing penalties.

AMENDMENTS FILED

S-3320	S.F. 509	Rich Taylor
S-3321	S.F. 506	Mark Chelgren
S-3322	S.F. 509	Mark Chelgren
S-3323	S.F. 510	Herman C. Quirnbach
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