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EIGHTEENTH CALENDAR DAY  
TWELFTH SESSION DAY

Senate Chamber  
Des Moines, Iowa, Thursday, January 30, 2025

The Senate met in regular session at 9:01 a.m., President Sinclair presiding.

Prayer was offered by the Honorable Tom Shipley, member of the Senate from Adams County.

The Journal of Wednesday, January 29, 2025, was approved.

## ADJOURNMENT

On motion of Senator Whitver, the Senate adjourned at 9:05 a.m. until 1:00 p.m., Monday, February 3, 2025.

## 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:

#### OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR AND LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR

Biennial Report on Clemency for 2023–2024, pursuant to Iowa Code section 7A.5. Report received on January 30, 2025.

## REPORTS OF COMMITTEE MEETINGS

## EDUCATION

**Convened:** Thursday, January 30, 2025, 10:30 a.m.

**Members Present:** Evans, Chair; Taylor, Vice Chair; Quirnbach, Ranking Member; Campbell, Donahue, Garrett, Green, Gruenhagen, Kraayenbrink, Pike, Rozenboom, Salmon, Shipley, Staed, Trone Garriott, and Winckler.

**Members Absent:** None.

**Committee Business:** [SSB 1022](#), [SSB 1023](#), [SSB 1028](#), [SF 16](#), and [SSB 1053](#).

**Adjourned:** 11:20 a.m.

## LOCAL GOVERNMENT

**Convened:** Thursday, January 30, 2025, 11:50 a.m.

**Members Present:** Webster, Chair; Klimesh, Vice Chair; Weiner, Ranking Member; Driscoll, Guth, Knox, Lofgren, Quirnbach, Shipley, Sires, Taylor, Wahls, and Westrich.

**Members Absent:** None.

**Committee Business:** [SSB 1069](#).

**Adjourned:** 12:05 p.m.

## INTRODUCTION OF BILLS

[Senate File 166](#), by committee on State Government, a bill for an act relating to bank utilization of filing services offered by the secretary of state.

Read first time and placed on the **calendar**.

[Senate File 167](#), by committee on Education, a bill for an act relating to school funding by establishing the state percent of growth and the categorical state percent of growth for the budget year beginning July 1, 2025, modifying provisions relating to the property tax replacement payments, and including effective date provisions.

Read first time and placed on the **calendar**.

[Senate File 168](#), by committee on Education, a bill for an act modifying provisions related to shared operational functions and school district supplementary weighting.

Read first time and placed on the **calendar**.

[Senate File 169](#), by Dickey, a bill for an act relating to record access by members of cooperative associations providing utility service.

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

[Senate File 170](#), by Lofgren, a bill for an act relating to the historic preservation tax credit available against the individual and corporate income taxes, the franchise tax, and the insurance premiums tax.

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

[Senate File 171](#), by committee on Education, a bill for an act modifying provisions related to the effective date of school district enlargements, reorganizations, changes in boundaries, and dissolutions, and including retroactive applicability provisions.

Read first time and placed on the **calendar**.

[Senate File 172](#), by Taylor, a bill for an act relating to child sexual abuse and child sexual assault awareness and prevention.

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

#### STUDY BILLS RECEIVED

##### [SSB 1075](#)      **Education**

Relating to education, including by modifying provisions related to community college and department of education reporting requirements and employees of the Iowa educational services for the blind and visually impaired program or the Iowa school for the deaf.

**SSB 1076 Education**

Relating to incentives for whole grade sharing and school district reorganization or dissolution.

**SSB 1077 Education**

Modifying provisions related to compulsory education, truancy, and chronic absenteeism.

**SUBCOMMITTEE ASSIGNMENTS****Senate File 99**

HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES: Klimesh, Chair; Celsi and Costello

**Senate File 117**

HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES: Campbell, Chair; Garrett and Petersen

**Senate File 120**

HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES: Salmon, Chair; Petersen and Pike

**Senate File 122**

HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES: Klimesh, Chair; Costello and Petersen

**Senate File 125**

HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES: Klimesh, Chair; Costello and Petersen

**Senate File 128**

HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES: Guth, Chair; Donahue and Salmon

**Senate File 129**

HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES: Costello, Chair; Klimesh and Petersen

**Senate File 131**

HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES: Klimesh, Chair; Costello and Petersen

**Senate File 132**

HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES: Klimesh, Chair; Costello and Petersen

[Senate File 133](#)

HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES: Klimesh, Chair; Costello and Petersen

[Senate File 134](#)

HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES: Klimesh, Chair; Costello and Petersen

[Senate File 139](#)

WAYS AND MEANS: Klimesh, Chair; Bisignano and Schultz

[Senate File 147](#)

WORKFORCE: Driscoll, Chair; Lofgren and Wahls

[Senate File 155](#)

WORKFORCE: Driscoll, Chair; Dotzler and Taylor

[Senate File 157](#)

WORKFORCE: Driscoll, Chair; Donahue and Sires

[SSB 1075](#)

EDUCATION: Taylor, Chair; Garrett and Trone Garriott

[SSB 1076](#)

EDUCATION: Shipley, Chair; Rozenboom and Winckler

[SSB 1077](#)

EDUCATION: Evans, Chair; Shipley and Winckler

## FINAL COMMITTEE REPORTS OF BILL ACTION

### EDUCATION

**Bill Title:** [SENATE FILE 167 \(SSB 1053\)](#), a bill for an act relating to school funding by establishing the state percent of growth and the categorical state percent of growth for the budget year beginning July 1, 2025, modifying provisions relating to the property tax replacement payments, and including effective date provisions.

**Recommendation:** APPROVED COMMITTEE BILL.

**Final Vote:** Yeas, 11: Evans, Taylor, Campbell, Garrett, Green, Gruenhagen, Kraayenbrink, Pike, Rozenboom, Salmon, and Shipley. Nays, 5: Quirmbach, Donahue, Staed, Trone Garriott, and Winckler. Excused, none.

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

**ALSO:**

**Bill Title:** [SENATE FILE 168 \(SSB 1022\)](#), a bill for an act modifying provisions related to shared operational functions and school district supplementary weighting.

**Recommendation:** APPROVED COMMITTEE BILL.

**Final Vote:** Yeas, 16: Evans, Taylor, Quirmbach, Campbell, Donahue, Garrett, Green, Gruenhagen, Kraayenbrink, Pike, Rozenboom, Salmon, Shipley, Staed, Trone Garriott, and Winckler. Nays, none. Excused, none.

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

**ALSO:**

**Bill Title:** [SENATE FILE 171](#) (formerly [SF 16](#)), a bill for an act modifying provisions related to the effective date of school district enlargements, reorganizations, changes in boundaries, and dissolutions, and including retroactive applicability provisions.

**Recommendation:** APPROVED COMMITTEE BILL.

**Final Vote:** Yeas, 16: Evans, Taylor, Quirmbach, Campbell, Donahue, Garrett, Green, Gruenhagen, Kraayenbrink, Pike, Rozenboom, Salmon, Shipley, Staed, Trone Garriott, and Winckler. Nays, none. Excused, none.

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

#### STATE GOVERNMENT

**Bill Title:** [SENATE FILE 166 \(SSB 1034\)](#), a bill for an act relating to bank utilization of filing services offered by the secretary of state.

**Recommendation:** APPROVED COMMITTEE BILL.

**Final Vote:** Yeas, 18: Rozenboom, Reichman, Winckler, Alons, Bisignano, Blake, Boussetot, Campbell, Celsi, Driscoll, Green, Guth, Salmon, Schultz, Staed, Townsend, Webster, and Westrich. Nays, none. Excused, 1: Koelker.

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