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THIRTY-NINTH CALENDAR DAY  
TWENTY-FOURTH SESSION DAY

Senate Chamber  
Des Moines, Iowa, Thursday, February 19, 2026

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, February 18, 2026, was approved.

## ADJOURNMENT

On motion of Senator Klimesh, the Senate adjourned at 9:06 a.m. until 1:00 p.m., Monday, February 23, 2026.

## APPENDIX

### REPORTS OF COMMITTEE MEETINGS

#### AGRICULTURE

**Convened:** Thursday, February 19, 2026, 2:05 p.m.

**Members Present:** Driscoll, Chair; Rozenboom, Vice Chair; Zimmer, Ranking Member; Bennett, Bisignano, Costello, Green, Gruenhagen, Guth, Knox, McClintock, Quirmbach, Shipley, Sires, Sweeney, and Zumbach.

**Members Absent:** None.

**Committee Business:** [SSB 3123](#) and [SSB 3133](#).

**Adjourned:** 2:15 p.m.

**EDUCATION**

**Convened:** Wednesday, February 18, 2026, 5:45 p.m.

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

**Members Absent:** Garrett and Kraayenbrink (both excused).

**Committee Business:** [SF 2175](#), [SSB 3146](#), [SF 2121](#), [SF 2212](#), [SSB 3170](#), [SJR 2008](#), [SSB 3164](#), [SSB 3163](#), [SF 2092](#), [SF 2181](#), [SF 2044](#), [SF 2174](#), and [SF 2095](#).

**Adjourned:** 6:45 p.m.

**HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES**

**Convened:** Thursday, February 19, 2026, 12:25 p.m.

**Recessed:** 12:55 p.m.

**Reconvened:** 1:00 p.m.

**Members Present:** Warme, Chair; Costello, Vice Chair; Trone Garriott, Ranking Member; Alons, Donahue, Drey, Evans, Guth, Hardman, Lofgren, Petersen, Pike, Salmon, Sweeney, Webster, Zimmer, and Zumbach.

**Members Absent:** Rowley (excused).

**Committee Business:** [SSB 3140](#), [SSB 3145](#), [SSB 3084](#), [SSB 3118](#), [SSB 3111](#), and [SF 2315](#).

**Adjourned:** 1:35 p.m.

**JUDICIARY**

**Convened:** Wednesday, February 18, 2026, 8:00 p.m.

**Members Present:** Schultz, Chair; Taylor, Vice Chair; Blake, Ranking Member; Boussetlot, Dawson, Dickey, Evans, Green, Knox, Lofgren, Petersen, Quirnbach, Reichman, Shipley, Webster, Weiner, and Westrich.

**Members Absent:** Bisignano, Garrett, and Rowley (all excused).

**Committee Business:** [SF 586](#), [SF 2157](#), [SSB 3156](#), [SSB 3167](#), [SSB 3155](#), [SF 2156](#), [SF 2263](#), [SSB 3165](#), [SF 2213](#), and [SSB 3162](#).

**Adjourned:** 8:25 p.m.

**NATURAL RESOURCES AND ENVIRONMENT**

**Convened:** Thursday, February 19, 2026, 10:20 a.m.

**Members Present:** Sweeney, Chair; Shipley, Vice Chair; Staed, Ranking Member; Bennett, Costello, Dotzler, Evans, Hardman, Pike, Rozenboom, Schultz, Sires, Westrich, Zimmer, and Zumbach.

**Members Absent:** None.

**Committee Business:** [SF 424](#), [SF 548](#), and [SF 2349](#).

**Adjourned:** 10:35 a.m.

**WORKFORCE**

**Convened:** Wednesday, February 18, 2026, 3:35 p.m.

**Members Present:** Dickey, Chair; Schultz, Vice Chair; Donahue, Ranking Member; Dotzler, Driscoll, Koelker, Lofgren, Pike, Sires, Taylor, Townsend, and Wahls.

**Members Absent:** None.

**Committee Business:** [SSB 3169](#) w/amendment.

**Adjourned:** 3:45 p.m.

**INTRODUCTION OF RESOLUTIONS**

[Senate Joint Resolution 2012](#), by committee on Education, a joint resolution supporting devolution of power from the United States department of education to the states.

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

[Senate Resolution 107](#), by Dawson, a resolution recognizing and honoring the Animal Rescue League of Iowa on its centennial anniversary.

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

[Senate Resolution 108](#), by Sweeney, a resolution honoring the enduring special relationship between the state of Iowa and Taiwan.

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

## INTRODUCTION OF BILLS

[Senate File 2382](#), by committee on Transportation, a bill for an act relating to operating all-terrain vehicles on highways, and making penalties applicable.

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

[Senate File 2383](#), by committee on Transportation, a bill for an act relating to standards for settlement of certain motor vehicle insurance claims.

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

[Senate File 2384](#), by committee on Transportation, a bill for an act relating to the operation of driverless-capable vehicles, including associated civil and criminal liability, and making penalties applicable.

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

[Senate File 2385](#), by committee on State Government, a bill for an act relating to the Iowa communications network, and including effective date provisions.

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

[Senate File 2386](#), by committee on State Government, a bill for an act relating to indirect costs charged to state-funded grants, and including applicability provisions.

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

[Senate File 2387](#), by committee on State Government, a bill for an act relating to the compatibility of passenger vehicles rented or leased by the state with biodiesel blended fuel classified as B-20 or higher, and including applicability provisions.

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

[Senate File 2388](#), by committee on State Government, a bill for an act establishing continuing appropriations in fiscal years for which the general assembly does not pass an annual budget.

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

[Senate File 2389](#), by committee on State Government, a bill for an act relating to the payment of per diem to members of the general assembly.

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

[Senate File 2390](#), by committee on Education, a bill for an act establishing the school health-related emergency response plan competitive grant program within the department of education, making appropriations, and including applicability provisions.

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

[Senate File 2391](#), by committee on Education, a bill for an act relating to education programs and systems, including career and technical education expenditures and definitions, statewide lower division general education framework and common course numbering systems, and the implementation of a statewide corequisite model in Iowa community colleges.

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

[Senate File 2392](#), by committee on Education, a bill for an act relating to interscholastic athletic scrimmages between schools and nonaccredited home school sports organizations, and including effective date provisions.

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

[Senate File 2393](#), by committee on Transportation, a bill for an act relating to reporting total gasoline and diesel fuel gallonage sold and dispensed by retail dealers for a determination period.

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

[Senate File 2394](#), by committee on Transportation, a bill for an act relating to a statewide urban design and specifications board, including assessment of costs for local government projects that do not comply with the board's design or specifications manuals.

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

[Senate File 2395](#), by committee on State Government, a bill for an act relating to executive branch functions, including ratification of major administrative rules and certain other actions, other matters relating to the state rulemaking process, and terms of service of certain appointed members of certain boards, and including applicability provisions.

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

[Senate File 2396](#), by committee on State Government, a bill for an act relating to prizes awarded by licensed qualified organizations.

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

[Senate File 2397](#), by Bennett, Wahls, Weiner, and Townsend, a bill for an act relating to a public entity's purchase or collection of health information from an entity not subject to the federal Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act.

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

[Senate File 2398](#), by Bennett, Wahls, and Weiner, a bill for an act relating to the defense of justification for violent crimes.

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

[Senate File 2399](#), by committee on Judiciary, a bill for an act relating to pretrial bond amounts for certain felonies.

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

[Senate File 2400](#), by committee on Judiciary, a bill for an act relating to assaults on persons engaged in certain occupations and harassment against public utility employees or contractors, and making penalties applicable.

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

[Senate File 2401](#), by committee on Judiciary, a bill for an act relating to judicial officers, including magistrate appointments in judicial election districts, senior magistrates, and judicial officer compensation, and including effective date provisions.

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

[Senate File 2402](#), by committee on Judiciary, a bill for an act providing for certain business entities acting under the jurisdiction of the secretary of state by providing for the removal of information from a filing based on a sworn affidavit and administrative dissolution based on the response to interrogatories.

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

[Senate File 2403](#), by committee on Education, a bill for an act relating to incentives for whole grade sharing and school district reorganization or dissolution.

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

[Senate File 2404](#), by committee on Education, a bill for an act requiring the department of education to develop and administer a pilot program that requires certain specified school districts to establish attendance centers for students requiring special education and students with behavioral issues.

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

[Senate File 2405](#), by committee on Education, a bill for an act relating to trainings and curricula regarding specific defined concepts provided by public institutions of higher education and school districts.

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

[Senate File 2406](#), by committee on Education, a bill for an act relating to charter schools and innovation zone schools, including by modifying provisions related to charter school funding and operations, services provided to charter schools by area education agencies, charter school contracts, and charter school student participation in extracurricular activities provided by public schools, striking provisions allowing for the establishment of innovation zone schools, and including applicability provisions.

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

[Senate File 2407](#), by committee on Education, a bill for an act relating to education reporting, including the sharing of unit-level wage data for secondary and postsecondary program evaluation, the establishment of the condition of education report, consolidating certain required reports, modifying responsibilities for the future ready Iowa last-dollar scholarship report, modifying Iowa workforce development data-sharing provisions, and creating a return on investment reporting system to be overseen by the Iowa student aid commission.

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

[Senate File 2408](#), by committee on Transportation, a bill for an act relating to motor vehicle dealers, including rights to certain vehicles, records storage requirements, and remote sales of motor vehicles.

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

[Senate File 2409](#), by committee on Transportation, a bill for an act relating to Gadsden flag special registration plates, providing fees, and making appropriations.

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

[Senate File 2410](#), by committee on State Government, a bill for an act relating to the definition of public improvement for purposes of public construction bidding.

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

[Senate File 2411](#), by committee on State Government, a bill for an act establishing an Iowa-Ireland trade commission and making appropriations.

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

[Senate File 2412](#), by committee on Workforce, a bill for an act relating to qualifications for state and local government employment and professional licensure.

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

[Senate File 2413](#), by committee on Education, a bill for an act relating to social studies instruction provided to students enrolled in grades seven and eight, and including applicability provisions.

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

[Senate File 2414](#), by Bennett, a bill for an act relating to automated decision systems used by employers.

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

[Senate File 2415](#), by Bennett, a bill for an act relating to provider requirements concerning the mental health of users of an artificial intelligence chatbot, and providing civil penalties.

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

[Senate File 2416](#), by committee on Judiciary, a bill for an act relating to interviews conducted with a child subsequent to a report of child abuse.

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

[Senate File 2417](#), by committee on Technology, a bill for an act establishing requirements and guidelines for conversational AI services, and providing civil penalties, and including applicability provisions.

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

#### SUBCOMMITTEE ASSIGNMENTS

[Senate File 2322](#)

COMMERCE: Warme, Chair; Dickey and Drey

[Senate File 2362](#)

HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES: Sweeney, Chair; Trone Garriott and Webster

[Senate File 2377](#)

NATURAL RESOURCES AND ENVIRONMENT: Shipley, Chair; Pike and Staed

[Senate File 2381](#)

HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES: Sweeney, Chair; Trone Garriott and Webster

[Senate File 2397](#)

HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES: Sweeney, Chair; Trone Garriott and Webster

[Senate File 2398](#)

JUDICIARY: Schultz, Chair; Blake and Boussetot

#### FINAL COMMITTEE REPORTS OF BILL ACTION

##### EDUCATION

**Bill Title:** [SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION 2012](#) (formerly [SJR 2008](#)), a joint resolution supporting devolution of power from the United States department of education to the states.

**Recommendation:** APPROVED COMMITTEE BILL.

**Final Vote:** Yeas, 9: Evans, Taylor, Green, Gruenhagen, Pike, Rozenboom, Salmon, Shipley, and Sinclair. Nays, 5: Quirnbach, Donahue, Trone Garriott, Winckler, and Zimmer. Excused, 2: Garrett and Kraayenbrink.

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

**ALSO:**

**Bill Title:** [SENATE FILE 2390](#) (formerly [SF 2092](#)), a bill for an act establishing the school health-related emergency response plan competitive grant program within the department of education, making appropriations, and including applicability provisions.

**Recommendation:** APPROVED COMMITTEE BILL.

**Final Vote:** Yeas, 14: Evans, Taylor, Quirnbach, Donahue, Green, Gruenhagen, Pike, Rozenboom, Salmon, Shipley, Sinclair, Trone Garriott, Winckler, and Zimmer. Nays, none. Excused, 2: Garrett and Kraayenbrink.

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

**ALSO:**

**Bill Title:** [SENATE FILE 2391 \(SSB 3163\)](#), a bill for an act relating to education programs and systems, including career and technical education expenditures and definitions, statewide lower division general education framework and common course numbering systems, and the implementation of a statewide corequisite model in Iowa community colleges.

**Recommendation:** APPROVED COMMITTEE BILL.

**Final Vote:** Yeas, 14: Evans, Taylor, Quirnbach, Donahue, Green, Gruenhagen, Pike, Rozenboom, Salmon, Shipley, Sinclair, Trone Garriott, Winckler, and Zimmer. Nays, none. Excused, 2: Garrett and Kraayenbrink.

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

**ALSO:**

**Bill Title:** [SENATE FILE 2392](#) (formerly [SF 2212](#)), a bill for an act relating to interscholastic athletic scrimmages between schools and nonaccredited home school sports organizations, and including effective date provisions.

**Recommendation:** APPROVED COMMITTEE BILL.

**Final Vote:** Yeas, 9: Evans, Taylor, Green, Gruenhagen, Pike, Rozenboom, Salmon, Shipley, and Sinclair. Nays, 5: Quirnbach, Donahue, Trone Garriott, Winckler, and Zimmer. Excused, 2: Garrett and Kraayenbrink.

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

**ALSO:**

**Bill Title:** [SENATE FILE 2403 \(SSB 3146\)](#), a bill for an act relating to incentives for whole grade sharing and school district reorganization or dissolution.

**Recommendation:** APPROVED COMMITTEE BILL.

**Final Vote:** Yeas, 14: Evans, Taylor, Quirnbach, Donahue, Green, Gruenhagen, Pike, Rozenboom, Salmon, Shipley, Sinclair, Trone Garriott, Winckler, and Zimmer. Nays, none. Excused, 2: Garrett and Kraayenbrink.

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

**ALSO:**

**Bill Title:** [SENATE FILE 2404](#) (formerly [SF 2181](#)), a bill for an act requiring the department of education to develop and administer a pilot program that requires certain specified school districts to establish attendance centers for students requiring special education and students with behavioral issues.

**Recommendation:** APPROVED COMMITTEE BILL.

**Final Vote:** Yeas, 9: Evans, Taylor, Green, Gruenhagen, Pike, Rozenboom, Salmon, Shipley, and Sinclair. Nays, 5: Quirnbach, Donahue, Trone Garriott, Winckler, and Zimmer. Excused, 2: Garrett and Kraayenbrink.

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

**ALSO:**

**Bill Title:** [SENATE FILE 2405](#) (formerly [SF 2174](#)), a bill for an act relating to trainings and curricula regarding specific defined concepts provided by public institutions of higher education and school districts.

**Recommendation:** APPROVED COMMITTEE BILL.

**Final Vote:** Yeas, 9: Evans, Taylor, Green, Gruenhagen, Pike, Rozenboom, Salmon, Shipley, and Sinclair. Nays, 4: Quirnbach, Trone Garriott, Winckler, and Zimmer. Excused, 3: Donahue, Garrett, and Kraayenbrink.

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

**ALSO:**

**Bill Title:** [SENATE FILE 2406](#) ([SSB 3170](#)), a bill for an act relating to charter schools and innovation zone schools, including by modifying provisions related to charter school funding and operations, services provided to charter schools by area education agencies, charter school contracts, and charter school student participation in extracurricular activities provided by public schools, striking provisions allowing for the establishment of innovation zone schools, and including applicability provisions.

**Recommendation:** APPROVED COMMITTEE BILL.

**Final Vote:** Yeas, 9: Evans, Taylor, Green, Gruenhagen, Pike, Rozenboom, Salmon, Shipley, and Sinclair. Nays, 5: Quirnbach, Donahue, Trone Garriott, Winckler, and Zimmer. Excused, 2: Garrett and Kraayenbrink.

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

**ALSO:**

**Bill Title:** [SENATE FILE 2407 \(SSB 3164\)](#), a bill for an act relating to education reporting, including the sharing of unit-level wage data for secondary and postsecondary program evaluation, the establishment of the condition of education report, consolidating certain required reports, modifying responsibilities for the future ready Iowa last-dollar scholarship report, modifying Iowa workforce development data-sharing provisions, and creating a return on investment reporting system to be overseen by the Iowa student aid commission.

**Recommendation:** APPROVED COMMITTEE BILL.

**Final Vote:** Yeas, 9: Evans, Taylor, Green, Gruenhagen, Pike, Rozenboom, Salmon, Shipley, and Sinclair. Nays, 5: Quirnbach, Donahue, Trone Garriott, Winckler, and Zimmer. Excused, 2: Garrett and Kraayenbrink.

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

**ALSO:**

**Bill Title:** [SENATE FILE 2413](#) (formerly [SF 2121](#)), a bill for an act relating to social studies instruction provided to students enrolled in grades seven and eight, and including applicability provisions.

**Recommendation:** APPROVED COMMITTEE BILL.

**Final Vote:** Yeas, 14: Evans, Taylor, Quirnbach, Donahue, Green, Gruenhagen, Pike, Rozenboom, Salmon, Shipley, Sinclair, Trone Garriott, Winckler, and Zimmer. Nays, none. Excused, 2: Garrett and Kraayenbrink.

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

**HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES**

**Bill Title:** [SENATE FILE 2315](#), a bill for an act relating to eligibility for the Medicaid for employed persons with disabilities program.

**Recommendation:** DO PASS.

**Final Vote:** Yeas, 17: Warne, Costello, Trone Garriott, Alons, Donahue, Drey, Evans, Guth, Hardman, Lofgren, Petersen, Pike, Salmon, Sweeney, Webster, Zimmer, and Zumbach. Nays, none. Excused, 1: Rowley.

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

**JUDICIARY**

**Bill Title:** [SENATE FILE 2156](#), a bill for an act authorizing court-required drug testing for a parent pursuant to a custody order.

**Recommendation:** DO PASS.

**Final Vote:** Yeas, 17: Schultz, Taylor, Blake, Boussetot, Dawson, Dickey, Evans, Green, Knox, Lofgren, Petersen, Quirnbach, Reichman, Shipley, Webster, Weiner, and Westrich. Nays, none. Excused, 3: Bisignano, Garrett, and Rowley.

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

**ALSO:**

**Bill Title:** [SENATE FILE 2157](#), a bill for an act relating to malicious prosecution arising from civil actions between private parties.

**Recommendation:** DO PASS.

**Final Vote:** Yeas, 10: Schultz, Taylor, Boussetot, Dawson, Evans, Green, Reichman, Shipley, Webster, and Westrich. Nays, 6: Blake, Knox, Lofgren, Petersen, Quirnbach, and Weiner. Excused, 3: Bisignano, Garrett, and Rowley. Present, 1: Dickey.

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

**ALSO:**

**Bill Title:** [SENATE FILE 2213](#), a bill for an act providing for an assignment of assets for the benefit of creditors, exempting the related tax on the transfer of real estate, and including effective date provisions.

**Recommendation:** DO PASS.

**Final Vote:** Yeas, 17: Schultz, Taylor, Blake, Boussetot, Dawson, Dickey, Evans, Green, Knox, Lofgren, Petersen, Quirnbach, Reichman, Shipley, Webster, Weiner, and Westrich. Nays, none. Excused, 3: Bisignano, Garrett, and Rowley.

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

**ALSO:**

**Bill Title:** [SENATE FILE 2263](#), a bill for an act relating to the carrying, transportation, and possession of weapons, and including effective date provisions.

**Recommendation:** DO PASS.

**Final Vote:** Yeas, 12: Schultz, Taylor, Boussetot, Dawson, Dickey, Evans, Green, Lofgren, Reichman, Shipley, Webster, and Westrich. Nays, 5: Blake, Knox, Petersen, Quirnbach, and Weiner. Excused, 3: Bisignano, Garrett, and Rowley.

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

**ALSO:**

**Bill Title:** [SENATE FILE 2399 \(SSB 3162\)](#), a bill for an act relating to pretrial bond amounts for certain felonies.

**Recommendation:** APPROVED COMMITTEE BILL.

**Final Vote:** Yeas, 14: Schultz, Taylor, Blake, Bouselot, Dawson, Dickey, Evans, Green, Knox, Lofgren, Reichman, Shipley, Webster, and Westrich. Nays, 3: Petersen, Quirnbach, and Weiner. Excused, 3: Bisignano, Garrett, and Rowley.

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

**ALSO:**

**Bill Title:** [SENATE FILE 2400 \(SSB 3156\)](#), a bill for an act relating to assaults on persons engaged in certain occupations and harassment against public utility employees or contractors, and making penalties applicable.

**Recommendation:** APPROVED COMMITTEE BILL.

**Final Vote:** Yeas, 17: Schultz, Taylor, Blake, Bouselot, Dawson, Dickey, Evans, Green, Knox, Lofgren, Petersen, Quirnbach, Reichman, Shipley, Webster, Weiner, and Westrich. Nays, none. Excused, 3: Bisignano, Garrett, and Rowley.

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

**ALSO:**

**Bill Title:** [SENATE FILE 2401 \(SSB 3155\)](#), a bill for an act relating to judicial officers, including magistrate appointments in judicial election districts, senior magistrates, and judicial officer compensation, and including effective date provisions.

**Recommendation:** APPROVED COMMITTEE BILL.

**Final Vote:** Yeas, 17: Schultz, Taylor, Blake, Bouselot, Dawson, Dickey, Evans, Green, Knox, Lofgren, Petersen, Quirnbach, Reichman, Shipley, Webster, Weiner, and Westrich. Nays, none. Excused, 3: Bisignano, Garrett, and Rowley.

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

**ALSO:**

**Bill Title:** [SENATE FILE 2402 \(SSB 3165\)](#), a bill for an act providing for certain business entities acting under the jurisdiction of the secretary of state by providing for the removal of information from a filing based on a sworn affidavit and administrative dissolution based on the response to interrogatories.

**Recommendation:** APPROVED COMMITTEE BILL.

**Final Vote:** Yeas, 17: Schultz, Taylor, Blake, Boussetot, Dawson, Dickey, Evans, Green, Knox, Lofgren, Petersen, Quirnbach, Reichman, Shipley, Webster, Weiner, and Westrich. Nays, none. Excused, 3: Bisignano, Garrett, and Rowley.

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

**ALSO:**

**Bill Title:** [SENATE FILE 2416 \(SSB 3167\)](#), a bill for an act relating to interviews conducted with a child subsequent to a report of child abuse.

**Recommendation:** APPROVED COMMITTEE BILL.

**Final Vote:** Yeas, 17: Schultz, Taylor, Blake, Boussetot, Dawson, Dickey, Evans, Green, Knox, Lofgren, Petersen, Quirnbach, Reichman, Shipley, Webster, Weiner, and Westrich. Nays, none. Excused, 3: Bisignano, Garrett, and Rowley.

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

#### NATURAL RESOURCES AND ENVIRONMENT

**Bill Title:** [SENATE FILE 424](#), a bill for an act relating to the allocation of special nonresident deer hunting licenses.

**Recommendation:** APPROVED COMMITTEE BILL.

**Final Vote:** Yeas, 15: Sweeney, Shipley, Staed, Bennett, Costello, Dotzler, Evans, Hardman, Pike, Rozenboom, Schultz, Sires, Westrich, Zimmer, and Zumbach. Nays, none. Excused, none.

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

**ALSO:**

**Bill Title:** [SENATE FILE 548](#), a bill for an act relating to the use of personal flotation devices on personal watercraft.

**Recommendation:** APPROVED COMMITTEE BILL.

**Final Vote:** Yeas, 10: Sweeney, Shipley, Costello, Evans, Pike, Rozenboom, Schultz, Sires, Westrich, and Zumbach. Nays, 5: Staed, Bennett, Dotzler, Hardman, and Zimmer. Excused, none.

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

#### STATE GOVERNMENT

**Bill Title:** [SENATE FILE 2385 \(SSB 3149\)](#), a bill for an act relating to the Iowa communications network, and including effective date provisions.

**Recommendation:** APPROVED COMMITTEE BILL.

**Final Vote:** Yeas, 12: Rozenboom, Reichman, Bouselot, Dawson, Driscoll, Green, Guth, Koelker, Salmon, Schultz, Webster, and Westrich. Nays, 6: Winckler, Bisignano, Blake, Drey, Staed, and Townsend. Excused, none.

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

**ALSO:**

**Bill Title:** [SENATE FILE 2386 \(SSB 3074\)](#), a bill for an act relating to indirect costs charged to state-funded grants, and including applicability provisions.

**Recommendation:** APPROVED COMMITTEE BILL.

**Final Vote:** Yeas, 12: Rozenboom, Reichman, Bouselot, Dawson, Driscoll, Green, Guth, Koelker, Salmon, Schultz, Webster, and Westrich. Nays, 6: Winckler, Bisignano, Blake, Drey, Staed, and Townsend. Excused, none.

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

**ALSO:**

**Bill Title:** [SENATE FILE 2387 \(SSB 3122\)](#), a bill for an act relating to the compatibility of passenger vehicles rented or leased by the state with biodiesel blended fuel classified as B-20 or higher, and including applicability provisions.

**Recommendation:** APPROVED COMMITTEE BILL.

**Final Vote:** Yeas, 18: Rozenboom, Reichman, Winckler, Bisignano, Blake, Bouselot, Dawson, Drey, Driscoll, Green, Guth, Koelker, Salmon, Schultz, Staed, Townsend, Webster, and Westrich. Nays, none. Excused, none.

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

**ALSO:**

**Bill Title:** [SENATE FILE 2388 \(SSB 3176\)](#), a bill for an act establishing continuing appropriations in fiscal years for which the general assembly does not pass an annual budget.

**Recommendation:** APPROVED COMMITTEE BILL.

**Final Vote:** Yeas, 12: Rozenboom, Reichman, Bouselot, Dawson, Driscoll, Green, Guth, Koelker, Salmon, Schultz, Webster, and Westrich. Nays, 6: Winckler, Bisignano, Blake, Drey, Staed, and Townsend. Excused, none.

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

**ALSO:**

**Bill Title:** [SENATE FILE 2389](#) (formerly [SF 2209](#)), a bill for an act relating to the payment of per diem to members of the general assembly.

**Recommendation:** APPROVED COMMITTEE BILL.

**Final Vote:** Yeas, 10: Rozenboom, Reichman, Boussetot, Dawson, Driscoll, Green, Guth, Koelker, Schultz, and Webster. Nays, 8: Winckler, Bisignano, Blake, Drey, Salmon, Staed, Townsend, and Westrich. Excused, none.

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

**ALSO:**

**Bill Title:** [SENATE FILE 2395](#) (formerly [SF 2314](#)), a bill for an act relating to executive branch functions, including ratification of major administrative rules and certain other actions, other matters relating to the state rulemaking process, and terms of service of certain appointed members of certain boards, and including applicability provisions.

**Recommendation:** APPROVED COMMITTEE BILL.

**Final Vote:** Yeas, 12: Rozenboom, Reichman, Boussetot, Dawson, Driscoll, Green, Guth, Koelker, Salmon, Schultz, Webster, and Westrich. Nays, 6: Winckler, Bisignano, Blake, Drey, Staed, and Townsend. Excused, none.

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

**ALSO:**

**Bill Title:** [SENATE FILE 2396](#) (formerly [SF 2113](#)), a bill for an act relating to prizes awarded by licensed qualified organizations.

**Recommendation:** APPROVED COMMITTEE BILL.

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

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

**ALSO:**

**Bill Title:** [SENATE FILE 2410](#) (formerly [SF 2164](#)), a bill for an act relating to the definition of public improvement for purposes of public construction bidding.

**Recommendation:** APPROVED COMMITTEE BILL.

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

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

**ALSO:**

**Bill Title:** [SENATE FILE 2411](#) (formerly [SF 2268](#)), a bill for an act establishing an Iowa-Ireland trade commission and making appropriations.

**Recommendation:** APPROVED COMMITTEE BILL.

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

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

**TECHNOLOGY**

**Bill Title:** [SENATE FILE 2417 \(SSB 3011\)](#), a bill for an act establishing requirements and guidelines for conversational AI services, and providing civil penalties, and including applicability provisions.

**Recommendation:** APPROVED COMMITTEE BILL.

**Final Vote:** Yeas, 10: McClintock, Bennett, Alons, Drey, Knox, Sires, Staed, Sweeney, Taylor, and Warme. Nays, none. Excused, 1: Kraayenbrink.

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

**TRANSPORTATION**

**Bill Title:** [SENATE FILE 2382 \(SSB 3131\)](#), a bill for an act relating to operating all-terrain vehicles on highways, and making penalties applicable.

**Recommendation:** APPROVED COMMITTEE BILL.

**Final Vote:** Yeas, 15: Zumbach, Webster, Townsend, Bennett, Costello, Dickey, Drey, Hardman, Lofgren, Pike, Rozenboom, Shipley, Warme, Winckler, and Zimmer. Nays, none. Excused, 2: Garrett and Kraayenbrink.

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

**ALSO:**

**Bill Title:** [SENATE FILE 2383 \(SSB 3154\)](#), a bill for an act relating to standards for settlement of certain motor vehicle insurance claims.

**Recommendation:** APPROVED COMMITTEE BILL.

**Final Vote:** Yeas, 15: Zumbach, Webster, Townsend, Bennett, Costello, Dickey, Drey, Hardman, Lofgren, Pike, Rozenboom, Shipley, Warme, Winckler, and Zimmer. Nays, none. Excused, 2: Garrett and Kraayenbrink.

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

**ALSO:**

**Bill Title:** [SENATE FILE 2384 \(SSB 3052\)](#), a bill for an act relating to the operation of driverless-capable vehicles, including associated civil and criminal liability, and making penalties applicable.

**Recommendation:** APPROVED COMMITTEE BILL.

**Final Vote:** Yeas, 15: Zumbach, Webster, Townsend, Bennett, Costello, Dickey, Drey, Hardman, Lofgren, Pike, Rozenboom, Shipley, Warme, Winckler, and Zimmer. Nays, none. Excused, 2: Garrett and Kraayenbrink.

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

**ALSO:**

**Bill Title:** [SENATE FILE 2393 \(SSB 3117\)](#), a bill for an act relating to reporting total gasoline and diesel fuel gallonage sold and dispensed by retail dealers for a determination period.

**Recommendation:** APPROVED COMMITTEE BILL.

**Final Vote:** Yeas, 15: Zumbach, Webster, Townsend, Bennett, Costello, Dickey, Drey, Hardman, Lofgren, Pike, Rozenboom, Shipley, Warme, Winckler, and Zimmer. Nays, none. Excused, 2: Garrett and Kraayenbrink.

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

**ALSO:**

**Bill Title:** [SENATE FILE 2394 \(SSB 3173\)](#), a bill for an act relating to a statewide urban design and specifications board, including assessment of costs for local government projects that do not comply with the board's design or specifications manuals.

**Recommendation:** APPROVED COMMITTEE BILL.

**Final Vote:** Yeas, 15: Zumbach, Webster, Townsend, Bennett, Costello, Dickey, Drey, Hardman, Lofgren, Pike, Rozenboom, Shipley, Warme, Winckler, and Zimmer. Nays, none. Excused, 2: Garrett and Kraayenbrink.

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

**ALSO:**

**Bill Title:** [SENATE FILE 2408 \(SSB 3126\)](#), a bill for an act relating to motor vehicle dealers, including rights to certain vehicles, records storage requirements, and remote sales of motor vehicles.

**Recommendation:** APPROVED COMMITTEE BILL.

**Final Vote:** Yeas, 15: Zumbach, Webster, Townsend, Bennett, Costello, Dickey, Drey, Hardman, Lofgren, Pike, Rozenboom, Shipley, Warme, Winckler, and Zimmer. Nays, none. Excused, 2: Garrett and Kraayenbrink.

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

**ALSO:**

**Bill Title:** [SENATE FILE 2409](#) (formerly [SF 2343](#)), a bill for an act relating to Gadsden flag special registration plates, providing fees, and making appropriations.

**Recommendation:** APPROVED COMMITTEE BILL.

**Final Vote:** Yeas, 15: Zumbach, Webster, Townsend, Bennett, Costello, Dickey, Drey, Hardman, Lofgren, Pike, Rozenboom, Shipley, Warme, Winckler, and Zimmer. Nays, none. Excused, 2: Garrett and Kraayenbrink.

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

#### **WORKFORCE**

**Bill Title:** [SENATE FILE 2412](#) ([SSB 3169](#)), a bill for an act relating to qualifications for state and local government employment and professional licensure.

**Recommendation:** APPROVED COMMITTEE BILL.

**Final Vote:** Yeas, 12: Dickey, Schultz, Donahue, Dotzler, Driscoll, Koelker, Lofgren, Pike, Sires, Taylor, Townsend, and Wahls. Nays, none. Excused, none.

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

#### **AMENDMENT FILED**

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