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ONE HUNDRED TWENTY-FOURTH CALENDAR DAY  
SEVENTY-SECOND SESSION DAY

Senate Chamber  
Des Moines, Iowa, Friday, May 17, 2013

The Senate met in regular session at 11:31 a.m., President Pro Tempore Sodders presiding.

Prayer was offered by the Honorable David Johnson, member of the Senate from Osceola County, Ocheyedan, Iowa.

## PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

The Pledge of Allegiance was led by Senate Page Tucker Watters.

The Journal of Thursday, May 16, 2013, was approved.

The Senate stood at ease at 11:35 a.m. until the fall of the gavel for the purpose of party caucuses.

The Senate resumed session at 12:16 p.m., President Jochum presiding.

## RECESS

On motion of Senator Gronstal, the Senate recessed at 12:17 p.m. until 2:00 p.m.

## RECONVENED

The Senate reconvened at 2:39 p.m., President Jochum presiding.

## HOUSE MESSAGE RECEIVED AND CONSIDERED

The following message was received from the Chief Clerk of the House:

MADAM PRESIDENT: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has on May 17, 2013, **adopted** the conference committee report **and passed** [House File 638](#), a bill for an act relating to and making appropriations to state departments and agencies from the rebuild Iowa infrastructure fund and the technology reinvestment fund, providing for related matters, and including effective date provisions.

## LEAVES OF ABSENCE

Leaves of absence were granted as follows:

Senators Behn, Bertrand, Houser, Kapucian, and Sorenson, until they arrive, on request of Senator Dix.

## CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT RECEIVED

[House File 638](#)

A conference committee report, signed by the following Senate and House members, was filed May 17, 2013, on [House File 638](#), a bill for an act relating to and making appropriations to state departments and agencies from the rebuild Iowa infrastructure fund and the technology reinvestment fund, providing for related matters, and including effective date provisions:

On the part of the Senate:

MATT McCOY, Chair  
DARYL BEALL  
TOD R. BOWMAN

On the part of the House:

DAN HUSEMAN, Chair  
DENNIS COHOON  
NANCY DUNKEL  
MARK LOFGREN  
DAVE MAXWELL

## CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT CONSIDERED

[House File 638](#)

Senator McCoy called up the conference committee report on [House File 638](#), a bill for an act relating to and making appropriations to state departments and agencies from the rebuild Iowa infrastructure fund and the technology reinvestment fund, providing for related matters, and including effective date provisions, filed on May 17, 2013, and moved its adoption.

The motion prevailed by a voice vote; and the conference committee report, and the recommendations and amendments contained therein, was adopted.

Senator McCoy 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. 638](#)), the vote was:

Yeas, 28:

Beall	Dearden	Horn	Ragan
Black	Dotzler	Jochum	Schoenjahn
Bolkcom	Dvorsky	Johnson	Segebart
Bowman	Gronstal	Mathis	Seng
Brase	Hart	McCoy	Sodders
Courtney	Hatch	Petersen	Taylor
Danielson	Hogg	Quirnbach	Wilhelm

Nays, 17:

Anderson	Dix	Rozenboom	Zaun
Boettger	Ernst	Schneider	Zumbach
Breitbach	Feenstra	Sinclair	
Chapman	Greiner	Smith	
Chelgren	Guth	Whitver	

Absent, 5:

Behn	Houser	Sorenson
Bertrand	Kapucian	

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

#### FINAL COMMITTEE REPORT OF BILL ACTION

##### WAYS AND MEANS

**Bill Title:** [HOUSE FILE 620](#), a bill for an act relating to the economic development financial assistance duties and powers of the economic development authority by authorizing and creating fees, affecting the aggregate tax credit limit for certain economic development programs and the tax credit for the endow Iowa tax credit, authorizing the diversion of withholding tax payments for certain programs, making an appropriation, and including effective date and retroactive applicability provisions.

**Recommendation:** AMEND AND DO PASS, AS PROVIDED IN AMENDMENT [S-3261](#).

**Final Vote:** Ayes, 13: Bolkcom, Seng, Feenstra, Black, Chapman, Dotzler, Hogg, Jochum, McCoy, Petersen, Quirnbach, Schneider, and Smith. Nays, none. Absent, 2: Behn and Bertrand.

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

CONSIDERATION OF BILL  
(Ways and Means Calendar)

Senator Gronstal asked and received unanimous consent to take up for consideration [House File 620](#).

[House File 620](#)

On motion of Senator Dotzler, [House File 620](#), a bill for an act relating to the economic development financial assistance duties and powers of the economic development authority by authorizing and creating fees, affecting the aggregate tax credit limit for certain economic development programs and the tax credit for the endow Iowa tax credit, authorizing the diversion of withholding tax payments for certain programs, making an appropriation, and including effective date and retroactive applicability provisions, with report of committee recommending amendment and passage, was taken up for consideration.

Senator Dotzler offered amendment [S-3261](#), filed by the committee on Ways and Means from the floor to pages 2–6 and amending the title page of the bill, and moved its adoption.

Amendment [S-3261](#) was adopted by a voice vote.

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

Yeas, 44:

Anderson	Dearden	Hogg	Schoenjahn
Beall	Dix	Horn	Segebart
Black	Dotzler	Jochum	Seng
Boettger	Dvorsky	Johnson	Sinclair
Bowman	Ernst	Mathis	Smith

Brase	Feenstra	McCoy	Sodders
Breitbach	Greiner	Petersen	Taylor
Chapman	Gronstal	Quirnbach	Whitver
Chelgren	Guth	Ragan	Wilhelm
Courtney	Hart	Rozenboom	Zaun
Danielson	Hatch	Schneider	Zumbach

Nays, 1:

Bolkcom

Absent, 5:

Behn	Houser	Sorenson
Bertrand	Kapucian	

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

#### IMMEDIATELY MESSAGED

Senator Gronstal asked and received unanimous consent that [House File 620](#) be **immediately messaged** to the House.

#### ADJOURNMENT

On motion of Senator Gronstal, the Senate adjourned at 3:05 p.m. until 10:00 a.m., Tuesday, May 21, 2013.

#### APPENDIX

#### REPORT OF COMMITTEE MEETING

##### WAYS AND MEANS

**Convened:** Friday, May 17, 2013, 10:05 a.m.

**Recessed:** 10:10 a.m.

**Reconvened:** 10:25 a.m.

**Members Present:** Bolkcom, Chair; Seng, Vice Chair; Feenstra, Ranking Member; Black, Chapman, Dotzler, Hogg, Jochum, McCoy, Petersen, Quirnbach, Schneider, and Smith.

**Members Absent:** Behn and Bertrand (both excused).

**Committee Business:** Passed [HF 620](#), as amended.

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

MOTION TO RECONSIDER FILED

MADAM PRESIDENT, I move to reconsider the vote by which [House File 638](#) passed the Senate on May 17, 2013.

MICHAEL E. GRONSTAL

AMENDMENT FILED

[S-3261](#) HF. 620 Ways and Means