# SEVENTY-FOURTH DAY

St. Paul, Minnesota, Thursday, March 16, 2006

The Senate met at 9:00 a.m. and was called to order by the President.

# **CALL OF THE SENATE**

Senator Betzold imposed a call of the Senate. The Sergeant at Arms was instructed to bring in the absent members.

Prayer was offered by the Chaplain, Rev. John Estrem.

The roll was called, and the following Senators answered to their names:

Anderson	Gerlach	Larson	Ortman	Scheid
Bakk	Hann	LeClair	Pappas	Senjem
Belanger	Higgins	Limmer	Pariseau	Skoe
Berglin	Johnson, D.J.	Lourey	Pogemiller	Skoglund
Betzold	Jungbauer	Marko	Ranum	Solon
Bonoff	Kelley	Marty	Reiter	Sparks
Clark	Kierlin	McGinn	Rest	Stumpf
Dibble	Kiscaden	Metzen	Robling	Tomassoni
Dille	Koch	Michel	Rosen	Vickerman
Fischbach	Koering	Murphy	Ruud	Wergin
Foley	Kubly	Neuville	Sams	Wiger
Frederickson	Langseth	Nienow	Saxhaug	U

The President declared a quorum present.

The reading of the Journal was dispensed with and the Journal, as printed and corrected, was approved.

# **EXECUTIVE AND OFFICIAL COMMUNICATIONS**

The following communications were received.

March 10, 2006

The Honorable James P. Metzen President of the Senate

Dear Senator Metzen:

The enclosed Notaries Public for 2005 are hereby respectfully submitted to the Senate for confirmation as required by Article V, Section 3 of the Minnesota Constitution.

Sincerely, Tim Pawlenty, Governor 4062

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Senator Rest moved that the Notaries Public be laid on the table. The motion prevailed.

March 15, 2006

The Honorable Steve Sviggum Speaker of the House of Representatives

The Honorable James P. Metzen President of the Senate

I have the honor to inform you that the following enrolled Act of the 2006 Session of the State Legislature has been received from the Office of the Governor and is deposited in the Office of the Secretary of State for preservation, pursuant to the State Constitution, Article IV, Section 23:

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S.F. No.	H.F. No.	Session Laws Chapter No.	Date Approved 2006	Date Filed 2006
	2623	171	4:30 p.m. March 14	March 15
			Sincerely, Mary Kiffmeyer, Secretary of State	

## **REPORTS OF COMMITTEES**

Senator Rest moved that the Committee Reports at the Desk be now adopted. The motion prevailed.

## Senator Lourey from the Committee on Health and Family Security, to which was referred

**S.F. No. 2477:** A bill for an act relating to MinnesotaCare; eliminating premiums for military personnel and their families; amending Minnesota Statutes 2004, section 256L.15, subdivision 1.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass and be re-referred to the Committee on Finance. Report adopted.

## Senator Lourey from the Committee on Health and Family Security, to which was referred

**S.F. No. 2534:** A bill for an act relating to human services; requiring the Brainerd Regional Treatment Center laundry services to be maintained or expanded; allowing Brainerd Regional Treatment Center employees and service units to bid on certain service contracts.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass and be re-referred to the Committee on Finance. Report adopted.

## Senator Lourey from the Committee on Health and Family Security, to which was referred

**S.F. No. 2621:** A bill for an act relating to health; requiring programs to meet an average yearly pass rate for EMT certification; amending Minnesota Statutes 2004, section 144E.285, subdivision 1.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass and be placed on the Consent Calendar. Report adopted.

#### Senator Lourey from the Committee on Health and Family Security, to which was referred

**S.F. No. 2726:** A bill for an act relating to health; extending the essential community provider designation to a mental health provider located in Hennepin County; amending Minnesota Statutes 2004, section 62Q.19, subdivision 2.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass and be placed on the Consent Calendar. Report adopted.

#### Senator Lourey from the Committee on Health and Family Security, to which was referred

**S.F. No. 2793:** A bill for an act relating to health; modifying essential community provider designation; amending Minnesota Statutes 2004, section 62Q.19, subdivision 2.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass and be placed on the Consent Calendar. Report adopted.

# Senator Foley from the Committee on Crime Prevention and Public Safety, to which was referred

**S.F. No. 2870:** A bill for an act relating to public safety; directing the commissioner of public safety to analyze and use trafficking data to address trafficking problems in Minnesota; directing the commissioner of public safety to establish policies to provide assistance to trafficking victims; creating a human trafficking task force; creating the unclassified service position of trafficking coordinator; enhancing penalties for trafficking crimes; appropriating money; amending Minnesota Statutes 2005 Supplement, sections 299A.78; 609.282; 609.283; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 299A.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be amended as follows:

Page 2, line 24, delete "(a)"

Page 4, line 18, delete "21" and insert "22"

Page 4, line 35, delete "<u>the attorney general</u>" and insert "<u>a representative of the attorney general's office</u>"

Page 5, line 6, delete "and"

Page 5, before line 7, insert:

"(14) a representative of the United States Attorney's Office; and"

Page 5, line 7, delete "(14)" and insert "(15)"

And when so amended the bill do pass and be re-referred to the Committee on State and Local Government Operations. Amendments adopted. Report adopted.

#### Senator Murphy from the Committee on Transportation, to which was re-referred

**S.F. No. 1070:** A bill for an act relating to traffic regulations; making seat belt violation a primary offense in all seating positions regardless of age; increasing the fine for seat belt violations; making technical changes; amending Minnesota Statutes 2004, sections 169.686, subdivision 1; 171.05, subdivision 2b; 171.055, subdivision 2.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be amended as follows:

Delete everything after the enacting clause and insert:

"Section 1. Minnesota Statutes 2004, section 169.686, subdivision 1, is amended to read:

Subdivision 1. **Seat belt requirement.** (a) A properly adjusted and fastened seat belt, including both the shoulder and lap belt when the vehicle is so equipped, shall be worn by:

(1) the driver and passengers of a passenger vehicle or commercial motor vehicle;

(2) a passenger riding in the front seat of a passenger vehicle or commercial motor vehicle; and

(3) a passenger riding in any seat of a passenger vehicle who is older than three but younger than 11 years of age.

(b) A person who is 15 years of age or older and who violates paragraph (a), clause (1) or (2), is subject to a fine of \$25. The driver of the passenger vehicle or commercial motor vehicle in which the violation occurred is subject to a \$25 fine for a violation of paragraph (a), clause (2) or (3), by a child of the driver passenger under the age of 15 or any child under the age of 11. A peace officer may not issue a citation for a violation of this section unless the officer lawfully stopped or detained the driver of the motor vehicle for a moving violation other than a violation involving motor vehicle equipment. The Department of Public Safety shall not record a violation of this subdivision on a person's driving record.

Sec. 2. Minnesota Statutes 2005 Supplement, section 171.05, subdivision 2b, is amended to read:

Subd. 2b. **Instruction permit use by person under age 18.** (a) This subdivision applies to persons who have applied for and received an instruction permit under subdivision 2.

(b) The permit holder may, with the permit in possession, operate a motor vehicle, but must be accompanied by and be under the supervision of a certified driver education instructor, the permit holder's parent or guardian, or another licensed driver age 21 or older. The supervisor must occupy the seat beside the permit holder.

(c) The permit holder may operate a motor vehicle only when every occupant under the age of <u>18</u> <u>15</u> has a seat belt or child passenger restraint system properly fastened <u>according to sections</u> <u>169.685</u> and <u>169.686</u>. A person who violates this paragraph is subject to a fine of \$25. A peace officer may not issue a citation for a violation of this paragraph unless the officer lawfully stopped or detained the driver of the motor vehicle for a moving violation as defined in section 171.04, subdivision <u>1</u> A passenger who is at least 15 years of age is subject to the requirements and penalty of section <u>169.686</u>. The commissioner shall not record a violation of this paragraph on a person's driving record.

(d) The permit holder may not operate a vehicle while communicating over, or otherwise operating, a cellular or wireless telephone, whether handheld or hands free, when the vehicle is in motion. The permit holder may assert as an affirmative defense that the violation was made for the sole purpose of obtaining emergency assistance to prevent a crime about to be committed, or in the reasonable belief that a person's life or safety was in danger.

(e) The permit holder must maintain a driving record free of convictions for moving violations, as defined in section 171.04, subdivision 1, and free of convictions for violation of section 169A.20, 169A.33, 169A.35, or sections 169A.50 to 169A.53. If the permit holder drives a motor vehicle in violation of the law, the commissioner shall suspend, cancel, or revoke the permit in accordance with the statutory section violated.

Sec. 3. Minnesota Statutes 2005 Supplement, section 171.055, subdivision 2, is amended to read:

Subd. 2. Use of provisional license. (a) A provisional license holder may operate a motor vehicle only when every occupant under the age of <u>18</u><u>15</u> has a seat belt or child passenger restraint system properly fastened <u>according to sections 169.685 and 169.686</u>. A person who violates this paragraph is subject to a fine of \$25. A peace officer may not issue a citation for a violation of this paragraph unless the officer lawfully stopped or detained the driver of the motor vehicle for a moving violation

as defined in section 171.04 A passenger who is at least 15 years of age is subject to the requirements and penalty of section 169.686. The commissioner shall not record a violation of this paragraph on a person's driving record.

(b) A provisional license holder may not operate a vehicle while communicating over, or otherwise operating, a cellular or wireless telephone, whether handheld or hands free, when the vehicle is in motion. The provisional license holder may assert as an affirmative defense that the violation was made for the sole purpose of obtaining emergency assistance to prevent a crime about to be committed, or in the reasonable belief that a person's life or safety was in danger.

(c) If the holder of a provisional license during the period of provisional licensing incurs (1) a conviction for a violation of section 169A.20, 169A.33, 169A.35, or sections 169A.50 to 169A.53, (2) a conviction for a crash-related moving violation as defined in section 171.04, or (3) more than one conviction for a moving violation that is not crash related, the person may not be issued a driver's license until 12 consecutive months have expired since the date of the conviction or until the person reaches the age of 18 years, whichever occurs first."

## Amend the title accordingly

And when so amended the bill do pass. Amendments adopted. Report adopted.

#### Senator Murphy from the Committee on Transportation, to which was referred

**S.F. No. 2444:** A joint resolution proposing an amendment to the Minnesota Constitution, article XIV, by adding sections 12 and 13.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the joint resolution do pass and be re-referred to the Committee on Rules and Administration. Report adopted.

#### Senator Murphy from the Committee on Transportation, to which was referred

**S.F. No. 2642:** A bill for an act relating to traffic regulations; doubling fine for moving violation committed while operating mobile phone; providing affirmative defense to doubled fine; amending Minnesota Statutes 2004, section 169.89, by adding a subdivision.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass and be re-referred to the Committee on Crime Prevention and Public Safety. Report adopted.

## Senator Murphy from the Committee on Transportation, to which was referred

**S.F. No. 2474:** A bill for an act relating to traffic regulations; authorizing use of communications headset by firefighters operating fire truck in emergency; amending Minnesota Statutes 2004, section 169.471, subdivision 2.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be amended as follows:

Page 1, line 15, delete "truck" and insert "department emergency vehicle"

Amend the title accordingly

And when so amended the bill do pass. Amendments adopted. Report adopted.

#### Senator Murphy from the Committee on Transportation, to which was referred

**S.F. No. 2683:** A bill for an act relating to aeronautics; prohibiting commissioner of transportation from requiring repayment by city of Willmar to state airports fund for costs related to airport relocation; prohibiting reductions of future funding from state airports fund; requiring city

to spend money not required to be repaid for runway extension and other airport improvements.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be re-referred to the Committee on Finance without recommendation. Report adopted.

#### Senator Murphy from the Committee on Transportation, to which was referred

**S.F. No. 2393:** A bill for an act relating to license plates; providing for issuance of special motorcycle plates for combat wounded veterans; amending Minnesota Statutes 2005 Supplement, section 168.123, subdivision 1.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass. Report adopted.

## Senator Betzold from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred

**S.F. No. 2541:** A bill for an act relating to real property; providing a procedure for conveying title to real property held by a custodian; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 501B.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be amended as follows:

Page 2, line 34, delete "2005" and insert "2006"

Page 5, delete lines 23 and 24

And when so amended the bill do pass. Amendments adopted. Report adopted.

#### Senator Betzold from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred

**S.F. No. 2818:** A bill for an act relating to domestic abuse; authorizing extension of the domestic fatality review team pilot project in the fourth judicial district; amending Laws 2002, chapter 266, section 1, as amended.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass and be placed on the Consent Calendar. Report adopted.

## Senator Betzold from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred

S.F. No. 2520: A bill for an act relating to business organizations; regulating business corporations; clarifying terms; updating terminology to include new forms of business activity; including references to limited liability companies and their governance attributes where appropriate; regulating limited liability companies; clarifying terms; amending Minnesota Statutes 2004, sections 302A.011, subdivisions 7, 8, 12, 21, 25, 28, 31, 41, 45, 46, 58, by adding subdivisions; 302A.111, subdivision 3, by adding a subdivision; 302A.115, subdivisions 1, 5; 302A.135, by adding a subdivision; 302A.241, by adding a subdivision; 302A.401, subdivision 3; 302A.417, subdivision 7; 302A.441, subdivision 1; 302A.447, subdivision 1; 302A.461, subdivision 2; 302A.471, subdivisions 1, 3, 4; 302A.553, subdivision 1; 302A.601, subdivisions 1, 2; 302A.611, subdivision 1; 302A.613, subdivisions 1, 2; 302A.621, subdivisions 1, 2, 3, 5, 6, by adding a subdivision; 302A.626, subdivision 1; 302A.661, subdivisions 1, 4; 322B.03, subdivisions 6, 12, 19a, 20, 23, 28, 36a, 45a; 322B.115, subdivision 3, by adding a subdivision; 322B.12, subdivision 1; 322B.15, by adding a subdivision; 322B.23; 322B.31, subdivision 2; 322B.35, subdivision 1; 322B.63, subdivision 1; 322B.66, by adding a subdivision; 322B.686, subdivision 2; 322B.70, subdivisions 1, 2; 322B.71, subdivision 1; 322B.72; 322B.74; 322B.75, subdivisions 2, 3; 322B.755, subdivision 3; 322B.76; 322B.77, subdivisions 1, 4; 322B.80, subdivision 1; Minnesota Statutes 2005 Supplement, sections 302A.011, subdivision 4; 322B.02; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapters 302A; 322B; repealing Minnesota Statutes 2004, section

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302A.011, subdivision 2.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass. Report adopted.

## Senator Kelley from the Committee on Education, to which was referred

**S.F. No. 3073:** A bill for an act relating to education; establishing a grant program to promote professional teaching standards; appropriating money; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 122A.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass and be re-referred to the Committee on Finance. Report adopted.

# Senator Foley from the Committee on Crime Prevention and Public Safety, to which was referred

**S.F. No. 2911:** A bill for an act relating to domestic abuse; creating enhanced penalties for the crime of violating a domestic abuse no contact order; adding the crime of violating a domestic abuse no contact order to the list of qualified domestic violence-related offenses; amending Minnesota Statutes 2005 Supplement, sections 518B.01, subdivision 22; 609.02, subdivision 16.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be amended as follows:

Page 1, after line 7, insert:

"Section 1. Minnesota Statutes 2004, section 518B.01, subdivision 14, is amended to read:

Subd. 14. Violation of an order for protection. (a) A person who violates an order for protection issued by a judge or referee is subject to the penalties provided in paragraphs (b) to (d).

(b) Except as otherwise provided in paragraphs (c) and (d), whenever an order for protection is granted by a judge or referee or pursuant to a similar law of another state, the United States, the District of Columbia, tribal lands, or United States territories, and the respondent or person to be restrained knows of the existence of the order, violation of the order for protection is a misdemeanor. Upon a misdemeanor conviction under this paragraph, the defendant must be sentenced to a minimum of three days imprisonment and must be ordered to participate in counseling or other appropriate programs selected by the court. If the court stays imposition or execution of the jail sentence and the defendant refuses or fails to comply with the court's treatment order, the court must impose and execute the stayed jail sentence. A violation of an order for protection shall also constitute contempt of court and be subject to the penalties provided in chapter 588.

(c) A person is guilty of a gross misdemeanor who knowingly violates this subdivision during the time period between within ten years of a previous qualified domestic violence-related offense conviction and the end of the five years following discharge from sentence for that offense or adjudication of delinquency. Upon a gross misdemeanor conviction under this paragraph, the defendant must be sentenced to a minimum of ten days imprisonment and must be ordered to participate in counseling or other appropriate programs selected by the court. Notwithstanding section 609.135, the court must impose and execute the minimum sentence provided in this paragraph for gross misdemeanor convictions.

(d) A person is guilty of a felony and may be sentenced to imprisonment for not more than five years or to payment of a fine of not more than \$10,000, or both, if the person knowingly violates this subdivision:

(1) during the time period between within ten years of the first of two or more previous qualified domestic violence-related offense convictions and the end of the five years following discharge from sentence for that offense or adjudications of delinquency; or

(2) while possessing a dangerous weapon, as defined in section 609.02, subdivision 6.

Upon a felony conviction under this paragraph in which the court stays imposition or execution of sentence, the court shall impose at least a 30-day period of incarceration as a condition of probation. The court also shall order that the defendant participate in counseling or other appropriate programs selected by the court. Notwithstanding section 609.135, the court must impose and execute the minimum sentence provided in this paragraph for felony convictions.

(e) A peace officer shall arrest without a warrant and take into custody a person whom the peace officer has probable cause to believe has violated an order granted pursuant to this section or a similar law of another state, the United States, the District of Columbia, tribal lands, or United States territories restraining the person or excluding the person from the residence or the petitioner's place of employment, even if the violation of the order did not take place in the presence of the peace officer, if the existence of the order can be verified by the officer. The probable cause required under this paragraph includes probable cause that the person knows of the existence of the order. If the order has not been served, the officer shall immediately serve the order whenever reasonably safe and possible to do so. An order for purposes of this subdivision, includes the short form order described in subdivision 8a. When the order is first served upon the person at a location at which, under the terms of the order, the person's presence constitutes a violation, the person shall not be arrested for violation of the order without first being given a reasonable opportunity to leave the location in the presence of the peace officer. A person arrested under this paragraph shall be held in custody for at least 36 hours, excluding the day of arrest, Sundays, and holidays, unless the person is released earlier by a judge or judicial officer. A peace officer acting in good faith and exercising due care in making an arrest pursuant to this paragraph is immune from civil liability that might result from the officer's actions.

(f) If the court finds that the respondent has violated an order for protection and that there is reason to believe that the respondent will commit a further violation of the provisions of the order restraining the respondent from committing acts of domestic abuse or excluding the respondent from the petitioner's residence, the court may require the respondent to acknowledge an obligation to comply with the order on the record. The court may require a bond sufficient to deter the respondent from committing further violations of the order for protection, considering the financial resources of the respondent, and not to exceed \$10,000. If the respondent refuses to comply with an order to acknowledge the obligation or post a bond under this paragraph, the court shall commit the respondent to the courty jail during the term of the order for protection or until the respondent complies with the order under this paragraph. The warrant must state the cause of commitment, with the sum and time for which any bond is required. If an order is issued under this paragraph, the court may order the costs of the contempt action, or any part of them, to be paid by the respondent. An order under this paragraph is appealable.

(g) Upon the filing of an affidavit by the petitioner, any peace officer, or an interested party designated by the court, alleging that the respondent has violated any order for protection granted pursuant to this section or a similar law of another state, the United States, the District of Columbia, tribal lands, or United States territories, the court may issue an order to the respondent, requiring the respondent to appear and show cause within 14 days why the respondent should not be found in contempt of court and punished therefor. The hearing may be held by the court in any county in which the petitioner or respondent temporarily or permanently resides at the time of the alleged violation, or in the county in which the alleged violation occurred, if the petitioner and respondent do not reside in this state. The court also shall refer the violation of the order for protection to the appropriate prosecuting authority for possible prosecution under paragraph (b), (c), or (d).

(h) If it is alleged that the respondent has violated an order for protection issued under subdivision 6 or a similar law of another state, the United States, the District of Columbia, tribal lands, or United States territories, and the court finds that the order has expired between the time of the alleged violation and the court's hearing on the violation, the court may grant a new order for protection under subdivision 6 based solely on the respondent's alleged violation of the prior order, to be

effective until the hearing on the alleged violation of the prior order. If the court finds that the respondent has violated the prior order, the relief granted in the new order for protection shall be extended for a fixed period, not to exceed one year, except when the court determines a longer fixed period is appropriate.

(i) The admittance into petitioner's dwelling of an abusing party excluded from the dwelling under an order for protection is not a violation by the petitioner of the order for protection.

A peace officer is not liable under section 609.43, clause (1), for a failure to perform a duty required by paragraph (e).

(j) When a person is convicted under paragraph (b) or (c) of violating an order for protection and the court determines that the person used a firearm in any way during commission of the violation, the court may order that the person is prohibited from possessing any type of firearm for any period longer than three years or for the remainder of the person's life. A person who violates this paragraph is guilty of a gross misdemeanor. At the time of the conviction, the court shall inform the defendant whether and for how long the defendant is prohibited from possessing a firearm and that it is a gross misdemeanor to violate this paragraph. The failure of the court to provide this information to a defendant does not affect the applicability of the firearm possession prohibition or the gross misdemeanor penalty to that defendant.

(k) Except as otherwise provided in paragraph (j), when a person is convicted under paragraph (b) or (c) of violating an order for protection, the court shall inform the defendant that the defendant is prohibited from possessing a pistol for three years from the date of conviction and that it is a gross misdemeanor offense to violate this prohibition. The failure of the court to provide this information to a defendant does not affect the applicability of the pistol possession prohibition or the gross misdemeanor penalty to that defendant.

(1) Except as otherwise provided in paragraph (j), a person is not entitled to possess a pistol if the person has been convicted under paragraph (b) or (c) after August 1, 1996, of violating an order for protection, unless three years have elapsed from the date of conviction and, during that time, the person has not been convicted of any other violation of this section. Property rights may not be abated but access may be restricted by the courts. A person who possesses a pistol in violation of this paragraph is guilty of a gross misdemeanor.

(m) If the court determines that a person convicted under paragraph (b) or (c) of violating an order for protection owns or possesses a firearm and used it in any way during the commission of the violation, it shall order that the firearm be summarily forfeited under section 609.5316, subdivision 3.

**EFFECTIVE DATE.** This section is effective August 1, 2006, and applies to crimes committed on or after that date."

Page 1, line 23, delete "during the time period between" and insert "within ten years of"

Page 1, line 24, delete everything after "conviction"

Page 1, line 25, delete "that offense" and insert "or adjudication of delinquency"

Page 2, line 23, strike the first "and" and after the second semicolon, insert "and 609.78, subdivision 2 (interference with an emergency call);"

Page 2, after line 26, insert:

"Sec. 4. Minnesota Statutes 2004, section 609.224, subdivision 2, is amended to read:

Subd. 2. **Gross misdemeanor.** (a) Whoever violates the provisions of subdivision 1 against the same victim during the time period between within ten years of a previous qualified domestic violence-related offense conviction or adjudication of delinquency and the end of the five years

following discharge from sentence or disposition for that offense, is guilty of a gross misdemeanor and may be sentenced to imprisonment for not more than one year or to payment of a fine of not more than \$3,000, or both.

(b) Whoever violates the provisions of subdivision 1 within two three years of a previous qualified domestic violence-related offense conviction or adjudication of delinquency is guilty of a gross misdemeanor and may be sentenced to imprisonment for not more than one year or to payment of a fine of not more than \$3,000, or both.

(c) A caregiver, as defined in section 609.232, who is an individual and who violates the provisions of subdivision 1 against a vulnerable adult, as defined in section 609.232, is guilty of a gross misdemeanor and may be sentenced to imprisonment for not more than one year or to payment of a fine of not more than \$3,000, or both.

**EFFECTIVE DATE.** This section is effective August 1, 2006, and applies to crimes committed on or after that date.

Sec. 5. Minnesota Statutes 2004, section 609.224, subdivision 4, is amended to read:

Subd. 4. **Felony.** (a) Whoever violates the provisions of subdivision 1 against the same victim during the time period between within ten years of the first of any combination of two or more previous qualified domestic violence-related offense convictions or adjudications of delinquency and the end of the five years following discharge from sentence or disposition for that offense is guilty of a felony and may be sentenced to imprisonment for not more than five years or payment of a fine of not more than \$10,000, or both.

(b) Whoever violates the provisions of subdivision 1 within three years of the first of any combination of two or more previous qualified domestic violence-related offense convictions or adjudications of delinquency is guilty of a felony and may be sentenced to imprisonment for not more than five years or to payment of a fine of not more than \$10,000, or both.

**EFFECTIVE DATE.** This section is effective August 1, 2006, and applies to crimes committed on or after that date.

Sec. 6. Minnesota Statutes 2004, section 609.2242, subdivision 2, is amended to read:

Subd. 2. **Gross misdemeanor.** Whoever violates subdivision 1 during the time period between within ten years of a previous qualified domestic violence-related offense conviction or adjudication of delinquency against a family or household member as defined in section 518B.01, subdivision 2, and the end of the five years following discharge from sentence or disposition for that offense is guilty of a gross misdemeanor and may be sentenced to imprisonment for not more than one year or to payment of a fine of not more than \$3,000, or both.

**EFFECTIVE DATE.** This section is effective August 1, 2006, and applies to crimes committed on or after that date.

Sec. 7. Minnesota Statutes 2004, section 609.2242, subdivision 4, is amended to read:

Subd. 4. **Felony.** Whoever violates the provisions of this section or section 609.224, subdivision 1, against the same victim during the time period between within ten years of the first of any combination of two or more previous qualified domestic violence-related offense convictions or adjudications of delinquency and the end of the five years following discharge from sentence or disposition for that offense is guilty of a felony and may be sentenced to imprisonment for not more than five years or payment of a fine of not more than \$10,000, or both.

**EFFECTIVE DATE.** This section is effective August 1, 2006, and applies to crimes committed on or after that date.

Sec. 8. Minnesota Statutes 2004, section 609.748, subdivision 6, is amended to read:

Subd. 6. Violation of restraining order. (a) A person who violates a restraining order issued under this section is subject to the penalties provided in paragraphs (b) to (d).

(b) Except as otherwise provided in paragraphs (c) and (d), when a temporary restraining order or a restraining order is granted under this section and the respondent knows of the order, violation of the order is a misdemeanor.

(c) A person is guilty of a gross misdemeanor who knowingly violates the order during the time period between within ten years of a previous qualified domestic violence-related offense conviction and the end of the five years following discharge from sentence for that offense or adjudication of delinquency.

(d) A person is guilty of a felony and may be sentenced to imprisonment for not more than five years or to payment of a fine of not more than \$10,000, or both, if the person knowingly violates the order:

(1) during the time period between within ten years of the first of two or more previous qualified domestic violence-related offense convictions and the end of the five years following discharge from sentence for that offense or adjudications of delinquency;

(2) because of the victim's or another's actual or perceived race, color, religion, sex, sexual orientation, disability as defined in section 363A.03, age, or national origin;

(3) by falsely impersonating another;

(4) while possessing a dangerous weapon;

(5) with an intent to influence or otherwise tamper with a juror or a judicial proceeding or with intent to retaliate against a judicial officer, as defined in section 609.415, or a prosecutor, defense attorney, or officer of the court, because of that person's performance of official duties in connection with a judicial proceeding; or

(6) against a victim under the age of 18, if the respondent is more than 36 months older than the victim.

(e) A peace officer shall arrest without a warrant and take into custody a person whom the peace officer has probable cause to believe has violated an order issued under subdivision 4 or 5 if the existence of the order can be verified by the officer.

(f) A violation of a temporary restraining order or restraining order shall also constitute contempt of court.

(g) Upon the filing of an affidavit by the petitioner, any peace officer, or an interested party designated by the court, alleging that the respondent has violated an order issued under subdivision 4 or 5, the court may issue an order to the respondent requiring the respondent to appear within 14 days and show cause why the respondent should not be held in contempt of court. The court also shall refer the violation of the order to the appropriate prosecuting authority for possible prosecution under paragraph (b), (c), or (d).

**EFFECTIVE DATE.** This section is effective August 1, 2006, and applies to crimes committed on or after that date.

Sec. 9. Minnesota Statutes 2004, section 609.749, subdivision 4, is amended to read:

Subd. 4. **Second or subsequent violations; felony.** (a) A person is guilty of a felony who violates any provision of subdivision 2 during the time period between within ten years of a previous qualified domestic violence-related offense conviction or adjudication of delinquency and the end of the ten years following discharge from sentence or disposition for that offense, and may be sentenced to imprisonment for not more than five years or to payment of a fine of not more than \$10,000, or

both.

(b) A person is guilty of a felony who violates any provision of subdivision 2 during the time period between within ten years of the first of two or more previous qualified domestic violence-related offense convictions or adjudications of delinquency and the end of ten years following discharge from sentence or disposition for that offense, and may be sentenced to imprisonment for not more than ten years or to payment of a fine of not more than \$20,000, or both.

**EFFECTIVE DATE.** This section is effective August 1, 2006, and applies to crimes committed on or after that date."

Renumber the sections in sequence

Amend the title accordingly

And when so amended the bill do pass and be re-referred to the Committee on Finance. Amendments adopted. Report adopted.

## Senator Betzold from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred

**S.F. No. 2519:** A bill for an act relating to property; modifying mechanic's lien provisions; modifying certain probate and trust provisions and clarifying the administrative powers of personal representatives to sell, mortgage, or lease property of a decedent; making clarifying, technical, and conforming changes to the Minnesota Common Interest Ownership Act; amending Minnesota Statutes 2004, sections 514.10; 524.3-301; 524.3-715; 524.3-803; Minnesota Statutes 2005 Supplement, sections 253B.23, subdivision 2; 515B.1-102; 515B.2-101; 515B.2-110; 515B.2-112; 515B.2-121; 515B.3-115; 515B.4-101; 515B.4-102.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be amended as follows:

Page 21, line 27, strike "five" and insert "ten"

Page 21, line 32, strike "five" and insert "ten"

Page 31, after line 8, insert:

"Sec. 15. Minnesota Statutes 2005 Supplement, section 548.27, is amended to read:

# 548.27 FILING AND STATUS OF FOREIGN JUDGMENTS.

(a) A certified copy of any foreign judgment may be filed in the office of the court administrator of any district court of this state. Subject to paragraph (b), The court administrator shall treat the foreign judgment in the same manner as a judgment of any district court or the Supreme Court of this state, and. The time period provided in section 548.09 for the continuation of the lien on real property, the rate of interest accrual provided in section 549.09, the time period provided in section 550.01 for the enforcement of the judgment, and the requirements of sections 508.63 and 508A.63 apply to foreign judgments filed pursuant to this section. For purposes of sections 548.09, 549.09, 550.01, 508.63, and 508A.63, the date of entry of a foreign judgment is the original date of entry in the foreign jurisdiction. Upon the filing of a certified copy of a foreign judgment in the office of the court administrator of district court of a county, it may not be filed in another district court in the state. A judgment so filed has the same effect and is subject to the same procedures, defenses and proceedings for reopening, vacating, or staying as a judgment of a district court or the Supreme Court of this state, and may be enforced or satisfied in like manner.

(b) If the creditor wants the foreign state's life span or interest rate applied to the judgment, the creditor or creditor's attorney must file an affidavit attesting to the foreign state's life span or interest rate, and a subsequent affidavit each time the interest rate or life span changes. Absent such an affidavit, Minnesota's life span and interest rate shall be applied to the judgment."

Renumber the sections in sequence

Amend the title accordingly

And when so amended the bill do pass. Amendments adopted. Report adopted.

## SECOND READING OF SENATE BILLS

S.F. Nos. 2621, 2726, 2793, 1070, 2474, 2393, 2541, 2818, 2520 and 2519 were read the second time.

# MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS

Senator Vickerman moved that the name of Senator Stumpf be added as a co-author to S.F. No. 2591. The motion prevailed.

Senator Reiter moved that the name of Senator McGinn be added as a co-author to S.F. No. 2607. The motion prevailed.

Senator Metzen moved that the name of Senator Kubly be added as a co-author to S.F. No. 3011. The motion prevailed.

Senator Marko moved that the name of Senator Clark be added as a co-author to S.F. No. 3046. The motion prevailed.

Senator Kubly moved that the name of Senator Skoe be added as a co-author to S.F. No. 3125. The motion prevailed.

Senator Marko moved that the names of Senators Clark, Higgins, Lourey and Pogemiller be added as co-authors to S.F. No. 3155. The motion prevailed.

Senator Hottinger moved that the name of Senator Dille be added as a co-author to S.F. No. 3161. The motion prevailed.

Senator Solon moved that S.F. No. 2423 be withdrawn from the Committee on Health and Family Security and re-referred to the Committee on Finance. The motion prevailed.

Senator Dille moved that S.F. No. 2675 be withdrawn from the Committee on Health and Family Security and re-referred to the Committee on Finance. The motion prevailed.

Senator Lourey moved that S.F. No. 2759 be withdrawn from the Committee on Health and Family Security and re-referred to the Committee on Finance. The motion prevailed.

Senator Berglin moved that S.F. No. 2889 be withdrawn from the Committee on Health and Family Security and re-referred to the Committee on Finance. The motion prevailed.

Senator Nienow moved that S.F. No. 3032 be withdrawn from the Committee on Judiciary and re-referred to the Committee on Crime Prevention and Public Safety. The motion prevailed.

## Senator Hann introduced -

Senate Resolution No. 165: A Senate resolution congratulating Benjamin Moren of Eden Prairie, Minnesota, for receiving the Eagle Award.

Referred to the Committee on Rules and Administration.

Pursuant to Rule 26, Senator Rest, designee of the Chair of the Committee on Rules and

Administration, designated H.F. No. 2985 a Special Order to be heard immediately.

#### **SPECIAL ORDER**

**H.F. No. 2985:** A bill for an act relating to funerals; prohibiting the disruption of a funeral, burial service, or memorial service; creating penalties and providing civil remedy; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 609.

Senator Betzold moved that H.F. No. 2985 be laid on the table. The motion prevailed.

Pursuant to Rule 26, Senator Rest, designee of the Chair of the Committee on Rules and Administration, designated S.F. No. 1878 a Special Order to be heard immediately.

## SPECIAL ORDER

**S.F. No. 1878:** A bill for an act relating to Carver County; providing for the county board to appoint the county recorder, county auditor, and county treasurer; providing for a referendum option to determine if an office is appointive in Carver County.

Senator Ortman moved that S.F. No. 1878 be laid on the table. The motion prevailed.

## **MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS - CONTINUED**

Senator Betzold moved that H.F. No. 2985 be taken from the table. The motion prevailed.

**H.F. No. 2985:** A bill for an act relating to funerals; prohibiting the disruption of a funeral, burial service, or memorial service; creating penalties and providing civil remedy; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 609.

Senator Dibble moved to amend H.F. No. 2985, as amended pursuant to Rule 45, adopted by the Senate March 15, 2006, as follows:

(The text of the amended House File is identical to S.F. No. 2614.)

Page 1, before line 10, insert:

"(b) "Family or household" has the meaning given to family or household member in section 518B.01, subdivision 2."

Page 1, line 10, delete " $(\underline{b})$ " and insert " $(\underline{c})$ "

Page 1, line 11, delete "(c)" and insert "(d)"

Page 1, line 15, delete "(d)" and insert "(e)"

Page 1, line 16, delete "(e)" and insert "(f)"

Page 1, line 17, delete "(f)" and insert "(g)"

Page 2, line 8, delete "immediate" and after "family" insert "or household"

Page 2, line 14, delete "immediate" and after "family" insert "or household"

# CALL OF THE SENATE

Senator Betzold imposed a call of the Senate for the balance of the proceedings on H.F. No.

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2985. The Sergeant at Arms was instructed to bring in the absent members.

The question was taken on the adoption of the Dibble amendment.

The roll was called, and there were yeas 57 and nays 0, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Anderson	Gerlach	Larson	Pappas	Skoe
Bakk	Hann	LeClair	Pariseau	Skoglund
Belanger	Higgins	Limmer	Pogemiller	Solon
Berglin	Johnson, D.J.	Lourey	Ranum	Sparks
Betzold	Jungbauer	Marko	Reiter	Stumpf
Bonoff	Kelley	Marty	Rest	Tomassoni
Clark	Kierlin	McGinn	Rosen	Vickerman
Dibble	Kiscaden	Metzen	Ruud	Wergin
Dille	Koch	Michel	Sams	Wiger
Fischbach	Koering	Neuville	Saxhaug	
Foley	Kubly	Nienow	Scheid	
Frederickson	Langseth	Ortman	Senjem	

The motion prevailed. So the amendment was adopted.

Senator Koering moved to amend H.F. No. 2985, as amended pursuant to Rule 45, adopted by the Senate March 15, 2006, as follows:

(The text of the amended House File is identical to S.F. No. 2614.)

Page 1, line 22, before "misdemeanor" insert "gross"

Page 2, line 12, delete "gross misdemeanor" and insert "felony and may be sentenced to imprisonment for not more than two years or to payment of a fine of not more than \$5,000; or both"

The question was taken on the adoption of the amendment.

The roll was called, and there were yeas 16 and nays 42, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Belanger	Koering	Michel	Rosen
Dibble	Kubly	Nienow	Sams
Hann	Larson	Pariseau	Senjem
Jungbauer	LeClair	Reiter	Wiger

Those who voted in the negative were:

The motion did not prevail. So the amendment was not adopted.

H.F. No. 2985 was read the third time, as amended, and placed on its final passage.

The question was taken on the passage of the bill, as amended.

The roll was called, and there were yeas 58 and nays 1, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Anderson	Bakk	Belanger	Berglin	Betzold
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Pogemiller Ranum Reiter Rest Robling Rosen Ruud Sams Saxhaug Scheid Senjem Skoe Skoglund Solon Sparks Stumpf Tomassoni Vickerman Wergin Wiger

Those who voted in the negative were:

Lourey

So the bill, as amended, was passed and its title was agreed to.

# **MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS - CONTINUED**

Senator Ortman moved that S.F. No. 1878 be taken from the table. The motion prevailed.

**S.F. No. 1878:** A bill for an act relating to Carver County; providing for the county board to appoint the county recorder, county auditor, and county treasurer; providing for a referendum option to determine if an office is appointive in Carver County.

Senator Kubly moved to amend S.F. No. 1878 as follows:

Page 2, after line 18, insert:

# "Sec. 2. <u>RENVILLE COUNTY; AUDITOR, TREASURER, AND RECORDER MAY BE</u> <u>APPOINTED.</u>

<u>Subdivision 1.</u> <u>Authority to make offices appointive.</u> <u>Notwithstanding Minnesota Statutes,</u> <u>section 382.01, upon adoption of a resolution by the Renville County Board of Commissioners, any</u> <u>or all of the offices of county auditor, county treasurer, and county recorder are not elective but must</u> <u>be filled by appointment by the county board as provided in the resolution.</u>

Subd. 2. Board controls; may change as long as duties done. Upon adoption of a resolution by the Renville County Board of Commissioners and subject to subdivisions 3 and 4, the duties of the elected official required by statute, whose office is made appointive as authorized by this section, must be discharged by the Board of Commissioners of Renville County acting through a division head appointed by the board for that purpose. A reorganization, reallocation, delegation, or other administrative change or transfer does not diminish, prohibit, or avoid the discharge of duties required by statute.

Subd. 3. **Incumbents to complete term.** The person elected at the last general election to a position made appointive under this section must serve in that capacity and perform the duties, functions, and responsibilities required by statute until the completion of the term of office to which the person was elected or until a vacancy occurs in the office, whichever occurs earlier.

Subd. 4. **Publishing resolution; petition, referendum.** The county board may provide for the appointment of the county auditor, county treasurer, and the county recorder or any combination of these offices, as permitted in this section if the resolution to make the office appointive is approved by at least 80 percent of the members of the county board. Before the adoption of the resolution, the county board must publish a resolution notifying the public of its intent to consider adopting the option once each week for two consecutive weeks in the official publication of the county. Following the publication, the county board must provide an opportunity at its next regular meeting for public comment relating to the option, before formally adopting the option. The resolution may be implemented without the submission of the question to the voters of the county unless, within

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30 days after the second publication of the resolution, a petition requesting a referendum, signed by at least ten percent of the voters registered in the last general election of the county, is filed with the county auditor. If a petition is filed, the resolution may be implemented unless disapproved by a majority of the voters of the county voting on the question at a regular or special election.

Subd. 5. Effective date; local approval. This section is effective the day after the governing body of Renville County and its chief clerical officer timely complete their compliance with Minnesota Statutes, section 645.021, subdivisions 2 and 3."

Amend the title accordingly

The motion prevailed. So the amendment was adopted.

S.F. No. 1878 was read the third time, as amended, and placed on its final passage.

The question was taken on the passage of the bill, as amended.

The roll was called, and there were yeas 57 and nays 1, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Anderson Bakk Belanger Berglin Betzold Bonoff Clark Dibble Dille Fischbach Foley Erederickoop	Hann Higgins Johnson, D.J. Jungbauer Kelley Kierlin Kiscaden Koch Kubly Langseth Larson	Limmer Lourey Marko Marty McGinn Metzen Michel Murphy Neuville Nienow Ortman Banpas	Pariseau Pogemiller Ranum Reiter Rest Robling Rosen Ruud Sams Saxhaug Scheid Saniam	Skoe Skoglund Solon Sparks Stumpf Tomassoni Vickerman Wergin Wiger
Frederickson	LeClair	Pappas	Senjem	

Those who voted in the negative were:

Gerlach

So the bill, as amended, was passed and its title was agreed to.

# INTRODUCTION AND FIRST READING OF SENATE BILLS

The following bills were read the first time.

# Senators Ruud, Day, Larson, Pariseau and Robling introduced-

**S.F. No. 3204:** A bill for an act relating to state government; providing for composition of the Iron Range Resources and Rehabilitation Board; providing for selection of its members; amending Minnesota Statutes 2004, sections 298.22, subdivisions 1, 2, by adding a subdivision; 298.296, subdivision 2; Minnesota Statutes 2005 Supplement, section 298.296, subdivision 1.

Referred to the Committee on State and Local Government Operations.

# Senator Fischbach introduced-

**S.F. No. 3205:** A bill for an act relating to health; requiring a nationally recognized exam for operating x-ray equipment; amending Minnesota Statutes 2004, section 144.121, subdivision 5.

Referred to the Committee on Health and Family Security.

#### Senators Fischbach, Clark and Wergin introduced-

**S.F. No. 3206:** A bill for an act relating to highways; appropriating money for connecting roads for Sauk Rapids bridge; authorizing sale of trunk highway bonds.

Referred to the Committee on Finance.

#### Senators Fischbach, Wergin and Clark introduced-

**S.F. No. 3207:** A bill for an act relating to state lands; authorizing public and private sales of certain tax-forfeited land that borders public water in Stearns County.

Referred to the Committee on Environment and Natural Resources.

### Senators Rest, Lourey, Wergin and Kiscaden introduced-

**S.F. No. 3208:** A bill for an act relating to human services; developing training requirements for postadoption search services; requiring reports; directing the commissioner of human services to promulgate rules relating to postadoption search services; amending Minnesota Statutes 2004, section 259.87; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 259.

Referred to the Committee on Health and Family Security.

## Senators Rest, Lourey, Wergin and Kiscaden introduced-

**S.F. No. 3209:** A bill for an act relating to human services; creating an adoption advisory task force and requiring a report.

Referred to the Committee on Health and Family Security.

## Senators Clark, Ranum, Betzold, McGinn and Neuville introduced-

**S.F. No. 3210:** A bill for an act relating to public safety; increasing the booking fee; amending Minnesota Statutes 2004, section 641.12, subdivision 1.

Referred to the Committee on Crime Prevention and Public Safety.

## Senators Sams and Ruud introduced-

**S.F. No. 3211:** A bill for an act relating to taxation; sales and use; providing a sales tax refund for certain resort expenditures; amending Minnesota Statutes 2004, section 297A.71, by adding a subdivision; Minnesota Statutes 2005 Supplement, section 297A.75, subdivisions 1, 2, 3.

Referred to the Committee on Taxes.

## Senators Higgins, Marty, Hottinger and Marko introduced-

**S.F. No. 3212:** A bill for an act relating to ethics in government; increasing public's right to know how lobbyists are influencing the legislative process; requiring disclosure of economic interests of independent contractors and consultants; changing certain definitions; requiring disclosure of contributions to and from conduit funds; prohibiting former legislators, constitutional officers, and agency heads from lobbying for legislative or administrative action for two years after leaving office; requiring disclosure of the costs of lobbying; requiring certain reports of lobbying activity; advancing the date for filing spending limit agreements; prohibiting legislators from serving in certain positions in the executive branch for two years after leaving office; prohibiting corporations from providing administrative assistance to political committees and political funds;

extending deadline for return of contributions; amending Minnesota Statutes 2004, sections 10A.01, subdivision 11, by adding a subdivision; 10A.04, subdivision 4; 10A.14, subdivisions 1, 2; 10A.15, subdivisions 1, 2, 3, 5; 10A.17, subdivision 1; 10A.20, subdivisions 1, 2, 3, by adding a subdivision; 10A.322, subdivision 1; 43A.38, by adding a subdivision; 211B.15, subdivision 16; Minnesota Statutes 2005 Supplement, sections 10A.01, subdivision 5; 10A.04, subdivision 6; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 10A; repealing Minnesota Statutes 2004, section 211B.15, subdivision 17.

Referred to the Committee on Elections.

#### Senators Kubly, Betzold, Kierlin and Foley introduced-

**S.F. No. 3213:** A bill for an act relating to state lands; conveying land; removing routes from state highway system; repealing Minnesota Statutes 2004, section 161.115, subdivisions 173, 193.

Referred to the Committee on Transportation.

#### Senators Tomassoni, Bakk, Senjem, Fischbach and Lourey introduced-

**S.F. No. 3214:** A bill for an act relating to waters; modifying membership of the Board of Water and Soil Resources; amending Minnesota Statutes 2004, section 103B.101, subdivisions 1, 2.

Referred to the Committee on State and Local Government Operations.

## Senator Sparks introduced-

**S.F. No. 3215:** A bill for an act relating to capital improvements; authorizing the issuance of state bonds; appropriating money for Austin flooding.

Referred to the Committee on Finance.

#### Senator Dibble introduced-

**S.F. No. 3216:** A bill for an act relating to housing; regulating condominium conversions; amending Minnesota Statutes 2005 Supplement, section 515B.1-106.

Referred to the Committee on Jobs, Energy and Community Development.

## Senators Dibble and Robling introduced-

**S.F. No. 3217:** A bill for an act relating to energy; clarifying that a certain facility does not violate the exclusive service territory law.

Referred to the Committee on Jobs, Energy and Community Development.

#### Senators Koering and Ruud introduced-

**S.F. No. 3218:** A bill for an act relating to taxation; authorizing the city of Baxter to impose sales and use and motor vehicle excise taxes and issue general obligation bonds.

Referred to the Committee on Taxes.

#### Senator Koering introduced-

S.F. No. 3219: A bill for an act relating to state lands; authorizing sale or transfer of surplus land

at the Brainerd Regional Treatment Center.

Referred to the Committee on Environment and Natural Resources.

## Senators Hann and Limmer introduced-

**S.F. No. 3220:** A bill for an act relating to public safety; requiring registered predatory offenders while on supervised or conditional release to attend only chemical abuse treatment groups that do not include members of the same gender as their victims; amending Minnesota Statutes 2004, section 244.05, by adding a subdivision.

Referred to the Committee on Crime Prevention and Public Safety.

## Senators Higgins, Nienow, Wergin and Kiscaden introduced-

**S.F. No. 3221:** A bill for an act relating to health; providing for transfer of authority for the lead abatement program; amending Minnesota Statutes 2004, section 144.9501, by adding a subdivision; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 144; repealing Minnesota Statutes 2004, section 119A.46, subdivisions 4, 5, 6, 7, 9, 10; Minnesota Statutes 2005 Supplement, section 119A.46, subdivisions 1, 2, 3, 8.

Referred to the Committee on Health and Family Security.

## Senators Foley, Lourey, Anderson, Dibble and Marty introduced-

**S.F. No. 3222:** A bill for an act relating to health; authorizing the Department of Health to assess the public health risks of carcinogenic and endocrine disrupting pesticides; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 144.

Referred to the Committee on Health and Family Security.

#### Senators Higgins and Solon introduced-

**S.F. No. 3223:** A bill for an act relating to human services; specifying criteria for coverage of medical assistance special transportation services; increasing special transportation reimbursement rates; extending the prohibition on the use of brokers or coordinators to manage special transportation services; amending Minnesota Statutes 2005 Supplement, section 256B.0625, subdivision 17; Laws 2003, First Special Session chapter 14, article 12, section 93, as amended.

Referred to the Committee on Health and Family Security.

## Senator Kubly introduced-

**S.F. No. 3224:** A bill for an act relating to capital improvements; appropriating money for heritage trails; authorizing the sale and issuance of state bonds.

Referred to the Committee on Finance.

#### Senators Skoe, Metzen, Scheid, Sams and Day introduced-

**S.F. No. 3225:** A bill for an act relating to cities; prohibiting ordinances restricting or charging fees for certain commercial signs; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 415.

Referred to the Committee on State and Local Government Operations.

#### Senators Ranum, Betzold, Ortman, Ruud and Foley introduced-

**S.F. No. 3226:** A bill for an act relating to public safety; modifying the career offender sentencing law; recodifying the patterned offender sentencing law; removing the sunset provision for Blakely hearing provisions and applying these provisions to other sentencing enhancements; amending Minnesota Statutes 2004, section 609.11, subdivision 7; Minnesota Statutes 2005 Supplement, sections 244.10, subdivisions 5, 6, 7; 609.1095, subdivision 4; 609.3455, subdivisions 4, 8, by adding a subdivision; Laws 2005, chapter 136, article 16, sections 3; 4; 5; 6; repealing Minnesota Statutes 2004, sections 609.108, subdivision 5; 609.109, subdivisions 1, 3; Minnesota Statutes 2005 Supplement, sections 609.108, subdivisions 1, 3, 4, 6, 7; 609.109, subdivisions 2, 4, 5, 6.

Referred to the Committee on Crime Prevention and Public Safety.

## Senators Saxhaug, Bakk, Sams, Frederickson and Skoe introduced-

**S.F. No. 3227:** A bill for an act relating to natural resources; appropriating money for a study by the University of Minnesota Department of Forest Resources.

Referred to the Committee on Finance.

#### Senators Bakk, Saxhaug, Sams, Frederickson and Skoe introduced-

**S.F. No. 3228:** A bill for an act relating to natural resources; providing for administration of the forest resource management incentive program; amending Minnesota Statutes 2004, sections 290C.02, subdivisions 7, 8; 290C.04; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 290C.

Referred to the Committee on Environment and Natural Resources.

## Senators Bakk, Sams, Murphy, Frederickson and Kubly introduced-

**S.F. No. 3229:** A bill for an act relating to economic development; authorizing certain investments; creating a program; appropriating money; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 116J.

Referred to the Committee on Jobs, Energy and Community Development.

## Senators Solon, Scheid, Metzen and Pappas introduced-

**S.F. No. 3230:** A bill for an act relating to liquor; modifying regulation of brewpubs; amending Minnesota Statutes 2005 Supplement, section 340A.301, subdivisions 6, 7.

Referred to the Committee on Commerce.

#### Senator Foley introduced-

**S.F. No. 3231:** A bill for an act relating to corrections; authorizing the medical director of the Department of Corrections to make health care decisions for inmates under certain circumstances; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 241.

Referred to the Committee on Crime Prevention and Public Safety.

## Senators Lourey, Nienow, Foley, Rosen and Kiscaden introduced-

S.F. No. 3232: A bill for an act relating to health; providing for licensing of naturopathic

doctors; providing criminal penalties; amending Minnesota Statutes 2004, sections 116J.70, subdivision 2a; 145.61, subdivision 2; 146.23, subdivision 7; 151.01, subdivision 23; 214.23, subdivision 1; 604A.01, subdivision 2; 604A.015; Minnesota Statutes 2005 Supplement, sections 144.335, subdivision 1; 148B.60, subdivision 3; proposing coding for new law as Minnesota Statutes, chapter 147E.

Referred to the Committee on Health and Family Security.

#### Senator Hottinger introduced-

**S.F. No. 3233:** A bill for an act relating to capital improvements; appropriating money for an early learning center in St. Peter; authorizing the sale and issuance of state bonds.

Referred to the Committee on Finance.

## Senators Anderson, Metzen and Pogemiller introduced-

**S.F. No. 3234:** A bill for an act relating to commerce; regulating statutory housing warranties; clarifying the legislature's intent that the warranties remain unaffected by corporate dissolution; amending Minnesota Statutes 2004, sections 302A.781, by adding a subdivision; 322B.863, by adding a subdivision; 327A.02, by adding a subdivision.

Referred to the Committee on Commerce.

## Senators Rosen, Sams, Dille and Vickerman introduced-

**S.F. No. 3235:** A bill for an act relating to agriculture; changing the bushel threshold related to grain buyer financial statements; amending Minnesota Statutes 2005 Supplement, section 223.17, subdivision 6.

Referred to the Committee on Agriculture, Veterans and Gaming.

#### Senators Rosen, Sams, Dille and Vickerman introduced-

**S.F. No. 3236:** A bill for an act relating to agriculture; modifying financial statement requirements for grain buyers; amending Minnesota Statutes 2005 Supplement, section 223.17, subdivision 6.

Referred to the Committee on Agriculture, Veterans and Gaming.

## Senators Rosen and Anderson introduced-

**S.F. No. 3237:** A bill for an act relating to energy; clarifying that a certain facility does not violate the exclusive service territory law.

Referred to the Committee on Jobs, Energy and Community Development.

#### Senator Ranum introduced-

**S.F. No. 3238:** A bill for an act relating to public safety; changing a requirement concerning combined local access surcharges; modifying requirements for 911 system service contracts; modifying reporting requirement of wireless 911 service providers; modifying provisions relating to payments for recurring 911 system costs; modifying provisions relating to 911 system cost accounting requirements; amending Minnesota Statutes 2004, sections 237.49; 403.08, subdivision 7; 403.11, subdivisions 3b, 3c; 403.113, subdivision 3; Minnesota Statutes 2005 Supplement,

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sections 403.025, subdivision 7; 403.05, subdivision 3; 403.11, subdivisions 1, 3, 3a; 403.113, subdivision 1; repealing Minnesota Statutes 2004, section 403.08, subdivision 8.

Referred to the Committee on Jobs, Energy and Community Development.

## Senators Senjem, Neuville, Larson, Michel and Olson introduced-

**S.F. No. 3239:** A bill for an act relating to higher education; establishing a branch campus of the University of Minnesota in Rochester; appropriating money; amending Minnesota Statutes 2004, section 137.17, subdivisions 1, 3; repealing Minnesota Statutes 2004, section 137.17, subdivisions 2, 4.

Referred to the Committee on Education.

## Senators Koering, Solon, Higgins, Sams and Berglin introduced-

**S.F. No. 3240:** A bill for an act relating to human services; establishing a pharmacy payment reform advisory committee; providing for a study; requiring a report to the legislature.

Referred to the Committee on Health and Family Security.

## Senators Nienow, Gerlach and Anderson introduced-

**S.F. No. 3241:** A bill for an act relating to taxation; creating a sales tax exemption for the sale of hydrogen to power an internal combustion engine or fuel cell; amending Minnesota Statutes 2004, section 297A.68, by adding a subdivision.

Referred to the Committee on Jobs, Energy and Community Development.

## Senators Lourey, Pappas and Ranum introduced-

**S.F. No. 3242:** A bill for an act relating to health; prohibiting a pharmacist from refusing to dispense legend drugs; providing disciplinary action; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 151.

Referred to the Committee on Health and Family Security.

## Senator Lourey introduced-

**S.F. No. 3243:** A bill for an act relating to education finance; including certain special education fiscal agents in the list of cooperative special education service providers eligible for a waiver; amending Minnesota Statutes 2005 Supplement, section 125A.11, subdivision 1.

Referred to the Committee on Finance.

#### Senator Neuville introduced-

**S.F. No. 3244:** A bill for an act relating to employment; requiring employers to notify employees of their right to access and review personnel records; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 181.

Referred to the Committee on Jobs, Energy and Community Development.

#### Senator McGinn introduced-

**S.F. No. 3245:** A bill for an act relating to public safety; modifying terms related to the statewide public safety radio system; repealing obsolete provisions; amending Minnesota Statutes 2004, sections 403.21, subdivisions 2, 7; 403.34, subdivision 2; repealing Minnesota Statutes 2004, sections 403.22; 403.23; 403.24; 403.25; 403.26; 403.28; 403.29; 403.30, subdivisions 2, 4.

Referred to the Committee on State and Local Government Operations.

#### Senator Betzold introduced-

**S.F. No. 3246:** A bill for an act relating to transportation; commuter rail; authorizing the commissioner to contract for use of railroad right-of-way; regulating civil liability; amending Minnesota Statutes 2004, section 174.82.

Referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

## Senators Foley, Kelley, Stumpf and Sparks introduced-

**S.F. No. 3247:** A bill for an act relating to education; establishing a public residential high school for science, mathematics, and technology; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 124D.

Referred to the Committee on Education.

## Senators Pariseau, Neuville, Frederickson, Saxhaug and Bakk introduced-

**S.F. No. 3248:** A bill for an act relating to natural resources; modifying the conditions for the commissioner of natural resources to confiscate property used in a game and fish law violation; amending Minnesota Statutes 2004, sections 97A.221, subdivision 3; 97A.225, subdivision 2.

Referred to the Committee on Environment and Natural Resources.

## Senator Ranum introduced-

**S.F. No. 3249:** A bill for an act relating to public safety; requiring the Bureau of Criminal Apprehension to oversee efforts to reduce the record keeping backlog for missing persons and unidentified bodies cases; clarifying responsibility for receiving missing persons reports; requiring a model policy relating to missing adults; requiring reports; appropriating money; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 299C.

Referred to the Committee on Crime Prevention and Public Safety.

## Senator Ranum introduced-

**S.F. No. 3250:** A bill for an act relating to coroners; modifying and updating the coroner and medical examiners law; providing criminal penalties; amending Minnesota Statutes 2004, sections 390.005; 390.01; 390.04; 390.11; 390.11; 390.15; 390.17; 390.21; 390.221; 390.23; 390.25; 390.31, subdivision 1; Minnesota Statutes 2005 Supplement, section 390.05; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 390; repealing Minnesota Statutes 2004, sections 390.006; 390.06; 390.07; 390.16; 390.19; 390.20; 390.24; 390.31, subdivisions 2, 3; 390.33; 390.34; 390.35; 390.36.

Referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

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#### Senator Ranum introduced-

**S.F. No. 3251:** A bill for an act relating to corrections; amending Minnesota Statutes 2004, section 144.445, subdivision 1.

Referred to the Committee on Crime Prevention and Public Safety.

#### Senator Higgins introduced-

**S.F. No. 3252:** A bill for an act relating to elections; facilitating registering to vote and voting; clarifying documents acceptable to prove residence; making it easier to vote by absentee ballot; requiring translation of voting materials; providing for notice of restoration of civil rights and eligibility to vote; requiring voting assistance to inmates; amending Minnesota Statutes 2004, sections 135A.17, subdivision 2; 201.061, by adding a subdivision; 203B.02, subdivision 1; 203B.06, subdivision 3; 203B.11, subdivision 4; 204B.27, subdivision 11; Minnesota Statutes 2005 Supplement, sections 201.014, subdivision 2; 201.061, subdivision 3; 203B.04, subdivision 1; 203B.11, subdivision 1; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapters 243; 609; 641.

Referred to the Committee on Elections.

#### Senator Kierlin introduced-

**S.F. No. 3253:** A bill for an act relating to capital improvements; appropriating money for repairs to the City Hall and Library Building in Hokah; authorizing the sale and issuance of state bonds.

Referred to the Committee on Finance.

## Senators Senjem; Robling; Belanger; Johnson, D.J. and Tomassoni introduced-

**S.F. No. 3254:** A bill for an act relating to local government; prohibiting units of local government from imposing certain fees related to students at postsecondary institutions; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 471.

Referred to the Committee on State and Local Government Operations.

## Senator Rest introduced-

**S.F. No. 3255:** A bill for an act relating to government data; restricting permissible uses of data provided to obtain a driver's license or Minnesota identification card and to register a vehicle; prohibiting bulk sales; prohibiting resale of individual records by permissible users; prohibiting disclosure of highly restricted information including photographs, Social Security numbers, and medical information except to government agencies; requiring permissible users to pay a fee for data; providing for rulemaking authority; providing public and private remedies; amending Minnesota Statutes 2004, section 13.6905, by adding a subdivision; Minnesota Statutes 2005 Supplement, sections 168.346, subdivision 1; 171.12, subdivision 7; repealing Minnesota Statutes 2004, section 171.12, subdivision 7a; Minnesota Statutes 2005 Supplement, section 168.346, subdivision 2.

Referred to the Committee on Transportation.

## Senator Ranum introduced-

**S.F. No. 3256:** A bill for an act relating to liquor; prohibiting alcohol without liquid devices; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 340A.

Referred to the Committee on Commerce.

#### Senators Moua and Pogemiller introduced-

**S.F. No. 3257:** A bill for an act relating to taxation; making technical, policy, and clarifying changes to taxes and tax-related provisions; conforming to streamlined sales tax provisions; changing the taconite production tax; providing for administration of certain fees, aids, tax titles, and tax sales; amending Minnesota Statutes 2004, sections 273.1384, subdivision 2; 273.1398, subdivision 3; 281.23, subdivision 9; 290.17, subdivision 1; 295.50, subdivision 4; 295.53, subdivision 3; 297A.61, subdivisions 12, 17, by adding subdivisions; 297A.63; 297A.668, subdivision 6; 297A.669, subdivision 11; 297A.67, subdivisions 4, 5, 14, 25, 27; 297A.68, subdivision 3; 297A.70, subdivisions 2, 4, 7, 13, 14, 15; 297A.94; 297A.99, subdivision 7; 297F.01, by adding a subdivision; 297G.01, subdivision 7, by adding a subdivision; 298.223, subdivision 3; 298.225, subdivision 2; 298.227; 298.28, as amended; 298.285; 477A.014, subdivision 1; Minnesota Statutes 2005 Supplement, sections 115B.49, subdivision 4; 270C.01, subdivision 4; 270C.304; 270C.33, subdivision 4; 270C.57, subdivision 3; 270C.67, subdivision 1, by adding a subdivision; 271.12; 273.13, subdivisions 22, 25; 273.1384, subdivision 1; 284.07; 289A.121, subdivision 5; 297A.61, subdivision 3; 297A.67, subdivision 6; 297A.68, subdivisions 2, 5, 37, 38, 40, 41; 297A.72, subdivision 2; 297A.75, subdivisions 1, 2, 3; 297A.815, subdivision 1; 298.24, subdivision 1; Laws 1990, chapter 604, article 8, section 13, subdivision 4; Laws 1996, chapter 412, article 5, sections 20, subdivision 2; 21, subdivision 3; 22, subdivision 2; Laws 1998, chapter 398, article 4, section 17, subdivision 2; Laws 2000, chapter 489, article 5, sections 24, subdivision 3; 25, subdivision 3; 26, subdivision 3; Laws 2005, chapter 152, article 1, section 39, subdivision 2; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 287; repealing Minnesota Statutes 2004, sections 297A.68, subdivisions 15, 18; 298.28, subdivision 11a; Minnesota Rules, parts 8130.0400, subpart 3; 8130.4800, subparts 1, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8; 8130.5100; 8130.5400; 8130.5800, subpart 6.

Referred to the Committee on Taxes.

#### Senator Foley introduced-

**S.F. No. 3258:** A bill for an act relating to public safety; expanding the duty of governmental agencies to retain physical evidence related to crimes; lengthening the period of time within which a petition for postconviction relief may be filed; amending Minnesota Statutes 2005 Supplement, sections 590.01, subdivisions 1, 4; 590.10, subdivision 1; repealing Minnesota Statutes 2005 Supplement, section 590.10, subdivision 2.

Referred to the Committee on Crime Prevention and Public Safety.

#### Senators Clark; Fischbach; Johnson, D.E.; Sams and Wergin introduced-

**S.F. No. 3259:** A bill for an act relating to capital improvements; authorizing spending to acquire and better public land and buildings and other public improvements of a capital nature; authorizing the issuance of general obligation bonds; appropriating money for central Minnesota science initiative projects.

Referred to the Committee on Finance.

## Senators Clark; Fischbach; Johnson, D.E.; Sams and Wergin introduced-

**S.F. No. 3260:** A bill for an act relating to biotechnology zones; authorizing the designation of additional biotechnology and health sciences industry zones; amending Minnesota Statutes 2004, section 469.334, subdivisions 1, 4.

Referred to the Committee on Jobs, Energy and Community Development.

#### Senators Gerlach and Vickerman introduced-

**S.F. No. 3261:** A bill for an act relating to the military; providing certain protections to persons ordered into active military service; amending Minnesota Statutes 2004, section 190.055.

Referred to the Committee on Agriculture, Veterans and Gaming.

## Senator Fischbach introduced-

**S.F. No. 3262:** A bill for an act relating to waters; modifying watershed district provisions; amending Minnesota Statutes 2004, sections 103D.271, subdivision 7; 103D.315, by adding a subdivision; repealing Minnesota Statutes 2004, section 103D.271, subdivision 6.

Referred to the Committee on Environment and Natural Resources.

## Senators Pogemiller and Anderson introduced-

**S.F. No. 3263:** A bill for an act relating to commerce; regulating statutory housing warranties; modifying remedies; amending Minnesota Statutes 2004, section 327A.05.

Referred to the Committee on Commerce.

## Senators Metzen, Larson, Michel, Langseth and Pogemiller introduced-

**S.F. No. 3264:** A bill for an act relating to retirement; authorizing purchase of service credit from the public employees police and fire plan for city of Eveleth police service.

Referred to the Committee on State and Local Government Operations.

## Senators Rosen, Lourey and Koch introduced-

**S.F. No. 3265:** A bill for an act relating to health; creating a state-level methamphetamine coordinator; appropriating money; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 144.

Referred to the Committee on Health and Family Security.

#### Senators Rosen, Fischbach and Berglin introduced-

**S.F. No. 3266:** A bill for an act relating to health; requiring manufacturers of certain recalled implantable medical devices to be financially responsible for removal and replacement; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 604.

Referred to the Committee on Health and Family Security.

## Senator Rosen introduced-

**S.F. No. 3267:** A bill for an act relating to education finance; expanding eligibility for the cooperative secondary facilities program; authorizing the issuance of state bonds; appropriating money; amending Minnesota Statutes 2004, sections 123A.44; 123A.441; 123A.442; 123A.443.

Referred to the Committee on Education.

#### Senators Rest, Moua, Belanger, Ortman and Tomassoni introduced-

**S.F. No. 3268:** A bill for an act relating to taxation; creating an income tax credit for filing fees associated with naturalization; appropriating money; amending Minnesota Statutes 2004, section 290.06, by adding a subdivision.

Referred to the Committee on Taxes.

#### Senators Scheid, Metzen, Sams, Sparks and Reiter introduced-

**S.F. No. 3269:** A bill for an act relating to insurance; regulating mutual insurance holding companies; modifying mutual holding company laws; amending Minnesota Statutes 2004, sections 60A.075, subdivision 1; 60A.077, subdivisions 1, 3, by adding a subdivision; Minnesota Statutes 2005 Supplement, sections 66A.02, subdivisions 2, 3; 66A.07, subdivision 2.

Referred to the Committee on Commerce.

## Senators Gerlach and Sparks introduced-

**S.F. No. 3270:** A bill for an act relating to utilities; changing calendar quarter when assessment adjustments must be made by Department of Commerce; amending Minnesota Statutes 2004, section 116C.69, subdivision 3.

Referred to the Committee on Jobs, Energy and Community Development.

## Senators Kiscaden, Pappas, Kelley, Pogemiller and Stumpf introduced-

**S.F. No. 3271:** A bill for an act relating to higher education; establishing a branch campus of the University of Minnesota in Rochester; appropriating money; amending Minnesota Statutes 2004, section 137.17, subdivisions 1, 3; repealing Minnesota Statutes 2004, section 137.17, subdivisions 2, 4.

Referred to the Committee on Education.

#### Senators Ortman, Michel and Hann introduced-

**S.F. No. 3272:** A bill for an act relating to consumer fraud; modifying private remedies; amending Minnesota Statutes 2004, section 8.31, subdivision 3a, by adding a subdivision.

Referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

#### Senator Ortman introduced-

**S.F. No. 3273:** A bill for an act relating to public safety; establishing the Forensic Laboratory Oversight Commission and specifying its duties; establishing the cold case investigations unit and specifying its duties; appropriating money; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 299C.

Referred to the Committee on Crime Prevention and Public Safety.

## Senator Stumpf introduced-

**S.F. No. 3274:** A bill for an act relating to education; providing for financing of prekindergarten through grade 12 education; raising academic achievement; establishing an alternative teacher training program for qualified professionals; expanding alternative teacher compensation program; expanding early childhood Part C services; providing intensive English instruction for adult

refugees; providing for Chinese language programs; providing for a district and high school redesign pilot project; authorizing Waseca to levy for health and safety revenue; appropriating money; amending Minnesota Statutes 2004, sections 122A.18, subdivision 2; 124D.11, subdivision 9; 125A.27, subdivisions 3, 7, 8, 15, 18; 127A.41, subdivision 2; Minnesota Statutes 2005 Supplement, sections 121A.19; 122A.415, subdivisions 1, 3; 125A.11, subdivision 1; 125A.79, subdivision 1; 126C.10, subdivisions 31, 34; Laws 2005, First Special Session chapter 5, article 1, section 47; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapters 120B; 122A; repealing Minnesota Statutes 2004, section 122A.24.

Referred to the Committee on Education.

#### Senator Dille introduced-

**S.F. No. 3275:** A bill for an act relating to commerce; regulating new motor vehicles and engines; requiring the sale and registration of vehicles and engines capable of operating on E85 or biodiesel fuel; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 325F.

Referred to the Committee on Commerce.

## Senators Dille and Sams introduced-

**S.F. No. 3276:** A bill for an act relating to the environment; clarifying that environmental review should include information on both favorable and adverse impacts; amending Minnesota Statutes 2004, section 116D.04, subdivisions 1a, 2a, 8.

Referred to the Committee on Environment and Natural Resources.

## Senators Lourey, Pappas and Ranum introduced-

**S.F. No. 3277:** A bill for an act relating to occupations and professions; providing penalties for failure to dispense prescription drugs; amending Minnesota Statutes 2004, section 151.06, subdivision 1.

Referred to the Committee on Health and Family Security.

## Senators Kelley, Higgins and Berglin introduced-

**S.F. No. 3278:** A bill for an act relating to education; appropriating money for the Summit Academy OIC 100 hard hats program to provide scholarships for students seeking to learn the construction trades.

Referred to the Committee on Education.

#### Senators Kubly, Belanger, Sparks, Michel and Metzen introduced-

**S.F. No. 3279:** A bill for an act relating to courts; providing conciliation court with jurisdiction to determine certain fraudulent bank transactions; amending Minnesota Statutes 2004, section 491A.01, by adding a subdivision.

Referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

#### Senators Rosen, Hann and Kierlin introduced-

**S.F. No. 3280:** A bill for an act relating to education; removing early childhood family education teachers from definition of public employee; amending Minnesota Statutes 2005 Supplement,

section 179A.03, subdivision 14.

Referred to the Committee on Finance.

## Senator Gerlach introduced-

**S.F. No. 3281:** A bill for an act relating to the military; establishing a policy statement supportive of military service; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 190.

Referred to the Committee on Agriculture, Veterans and Gaming.

#### Senators Kelley and Ranum introduced-

**S.F. No. 3282:** A bill for an act relating to public safety; increasing 911 emergency telecommunications service fee; providing for completion of statewide public safety radio communication system; authorizing sale of state 911 revenue bonds; appropriating money; amending Minnesota Statutes 2005 Supplement, section 403.11, subdivision 1.

Referred to the Committee on Jobs, Energy and Community Development.

## Senators Dille and Vickerman introduced-

**S.F. No. 3283:** A bill for an act relating to agriculture; providing for a checkoff for fertilizer, soil amendment, and plant amendment; establishing a Minnesota Agricultural Fertilizer Research and Education Council and program; exempting on-farm storage from fertilizer facility safeguarding and permitting; amending Minnesota Statutes 2004, section 18C.305, by adding a subdivision; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 18C.

Referred to the Committee on Agriculture, Veterans and Gaming.

## Senators Kelley, Clark, Scheid and Stumpf introduced-

**S.F. No. 3284:** A bill for an act relating to education; providing for paraprofessional credentials; amending Minnesota Statutes 2004, section 120B.363, by adding a subdivision.

Referred to the Committee on Education.

#### Senators Nienow and Jungbauer introduced-

**S.F. No. 3285:** A bill for an act relating to agriculture; repealing regulation of beekeeping; amending Minnesota Statutes 2004, section 28A.15, subdivision 4; repealing Minnesota Statutes 2004, sections 19.50; 19.51; 19.52; 19.53; 19.55; 19.56; 19.561; 19.57; 19.58; 19.59; 19.61; 19.63; 19.65; Minnesota Statutes 2005 Supplement, section 19.64, subdivision 1.

Referred to the Committee on Agriculture, Veterans and Gaming.

#### Senators Nienow, Jungbauer and Olson introduced-

**S.F. No. 3286:** A bill for an act relating to education; requiring online learning providers to include notice of state academic and testing requirements on course and program information memorandum; calculating online learning aid for nonresident students as actual cost and administrative fees; amending Minnesota Statutes 2004, sections 124D.095, subdivisions 3, 6; 124D.096.

Referred to the Committee on Education.

#### Senators Nienow, Gerlach, Koering and Jungbauer introduced-

**S.F. No. 3287:** A bill for an act relating to motor vehicles; exempting combat wounded veterans from paying cost of special license plates; amending Minnesota Statutes 2004, section 168.123, by adding a subdivision.

Referred to the Committee on Agriculture, Veterans and Gaming.

#### Senator Berglin introduced-

**S.F. No. 3288:** A bill for an act relating to education; integrating instruction about the contributions of Minnesota American Indian tribes and communities into student learning and teacher preparation and licensing requirements; amending Minnesota Statutes 2004, sections 120B.021, subdivision 1; 120B.024; 122A.09, subdivision 4.

Referred to the Committee on Education.

## Senator Berglin introduced-

**S.F. No. 3289:** A bill for an act relating to health; requiring the mandatory reporting of use of tetrahydrocannabinol and alcohol by pregnant women; clarifying a human rights provision; amending Minnesota Statutes 2004, sections 253B.02, subdivision 2; 363A.03, subdivision 12; 595.02, subdivision 1; 626.5561, subdivisions 1, 2; repealing Minnesota Statutes 2004, section 626.5563, subdivisions 1, 2, 3, 4, 5.

Referred to the Committee on Health and Family Security.

#### Senators Berglin, LeClair, Solon, Rosen and Kiscaden introduced-

**S.F. No. 3290:** A bill for an act relating to human services; providing children's mental health grants; establishing mental health service delivery and finance reform; modifying mental health case management and rates; modifying general assistance medical care coverages; amending Minnesota Statutes 2004, sections 245.465, by adding a subdivision; 246.54, subdivision 1, by adding a subdivision; 256B.0625, subdivision 20; 256B.0945, subdivisions 1, 4; 256B.69, subdivisions 5g, 5h; 256L.12, subdivision 9a; Minnesota Statutes 2005 Supplement, sections 245.4874; 256D.03, subdivision 4; 256L.03, subdivision 1; 256L.035; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapters 245; 256B; repealing Minnesota Statutes 2004, sections 245.465, subdivision 2; 256B.0945, subdivisions 5, 6, 7, 8, 9; 256B.83.

Referred to the Committee on Health and Family Security.

#### Senator Betzold introduced-

**S.F. No. 3291:** A bill for an act relating to civil actions; regulating structured settlement transfers; amending Minnesota Statutes 2004, sections 549.30, subdivision 6, by adding a subdivision; 549.31, subdivision 1; 549.32, by adding subdivisions.

Referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

## Senators Sams, Koering, Ruud, Higgins and Solon introduced-

**S.F. No. 3292:** A bill for an act relating to health; providing an exception to the nursing home moratorium for a replacement facility in Cass County; amending Minnesota Statutes 2004, section 144A.071, subdivision 4a.

Referred to the Committee on Health and Family Security.

#### Senators Marty, Ruud, Hottinger, Jungbauer and Saxhaug introduced-

**S.F. No. 3293:** A bill for an act relating to natural resources; proposing an amendment to the Minnesota Constitution, article XI, section 14, to allow the environment and natural resources trust fund to be invested in land resources within the state; appropriating money; amending Minnesota Statutes 2004, section 116P.04, subdivision 1; Minnesota Statutes 2005 Supplement, section 10A.01, subdivision 35; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 116P.

Referred to the Committee on Environment and Natural Resources.

#### Senator Marty introduced-

**S.F. No. 3294:** A bill for an act relating to education finance; authorizing a fund transfer for Independent School District No. 623, Roseville.

Referred to the Committee on Finance.

## Senators Bonoff, Rest, Anderson, Hann and Clark introduced-

**S.F. No. 3295:** A bill for an act relating to early childhood education; increasing funding for early childhood family education; amending Minnesota Statutes 2005 Supplement, section 124D.135, subdivision 1.

Referred to the Committee on Finance.

## Senators Hottinger, Bonoff, Kierlin, Kelley and Scheid introduced-

**S.F. No. 3296:** A bill for an act relating to early childhood education; increasing the duties of the Minnesota Early Learning Foundation; appropriating money; amending Minnesota Statutes 2005 Supplement, section 124D.175.

Referred to the Committee on Finance.

## Senator Berglin introduced-

**S.F. No. 3297:** A bill for an act relating to elections; permitting a tenant to post campaign material in the window of a residence; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 211B.

Referred to the Committee on Elections.

# Senators Kelley, Kiscaden and Pogemiller introduced-

**S.F. No. 3298:** A bill for an act relating to economic development; appropriating money to the commissioner of employment and economic development for biotechnology and medical genomics research.

Referred to the Committee on Finance.

## Senator Lourey introduced-

**S.F. No. 3299:** A bill for an act relating to education finance; authorizing the school district to recognize its operating levy early.

Referred to the Committee on Finance.

## Senators Robling and Hottinger introduced-

**S.F. No. 3300:** A bill for an act relating to education; providing funding for early childhood and family education; allocating Head Start funds; educating new parents; extending early childhood and family education programs and providing for grants; providing for a kindergarten readiness assessment and intervention pilot program; providing for a grant program for child care providers to offer school readiness; appropriating money: amending Minnesota Statutes 2004, sections 119A.50, subdivision 1; 119A.52; 119A.53; 119A.545; 124D.13, subdivisions 2, 3; Laws 2005, First Special Session chapter 5, article 7, section 20, subdivision 5; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapters 119A; 124D; repealing Minnesota Statutes 2004, section 119A.51.

Referred to the Committee on Finance.

#### Senators Wergin and Neuville introduced-

**S.F. No. 3301:** A bill for an act relating to civil actions; limiting actions against certain sales and deliveries of liquefied petroleum gas; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 544.

Referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

#### Senators Solon, Berglin, Higgins, Lourey and Koering introduced-

**S.F. No. 3302:** A bill for an act relating to human services; expanding reimbursement for mental health services; amending Minnesota Statutes 2004, sections 256B.0623, subdivision 8; 256B.0625, subdivision 43, by adding a subdivision; 256B.0943, subdivisions 1, 2, by adding a subdivision; 256B.761; Minnesota Statutes 2005 Supplement, sections 256B.0625, subdivisions 38, 46; 256L.035; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 256B.

Referred to the Committee on Health and Family Security.

#### **MEMBERS EXCUSED**

Senators Bachmann; Chaudhary; Cohen; Day; Hottinger; Johnson, D.E.; Moua and Olson were excused from the Session of today. Senator Robling was excused from the Session of today from 10:00 to 10:10 a.m.

## ADJOURNMENT

Senator Rest moved that the Senate do now adjourn until 11:00 a.m., Monday, March 20, 2006. The motion prevailed.

Patrick E. Flahaven, Secretary of the Senate