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Senate Chamber

President Bedke called the Senate to order at 11 a.m.

Roll call showed all members present.

Prayer was offered by Chaplain Doug Armstrong.

The Pledge of Allegiance was led by Boston Young, Page.

The Senate advanced to the Third Order of Business.

Reading and Correction of the Journal

The JUDICIARY AND RULES Committee reports that the Senate Journal of the proceedings of March 17, 2025, was read and approved as corrected.

LAKEY, Chairman

There being no objection, the report was adopted and ordered filed in the office of the Secretary of the Senate.

On request by Senator Den Hartog, granted by unanimous consent, the Senate advanced to the Fifth Order of Business.

Petitions, Resolutions, and Memorials

SR 111

BY JUDICIARY AND RULES COMMITTEE

A SENATE RESOLUTION

STATING FINDINGS OF THE SENATE AND PROVIDING THAT ALL TEMPORARY AND PENDING RULES OF THE IDAHO DEPARTMENT OF FISH AND GAME, THE IDAHO DEPARTMENT OF LANDS, THE IDAHO DIVISION OF OCCUPATIONAL AND PROFESSIONAL LICENSES, THE IDAHO DEPARTMENT OF PARKS AND RECREATION, THE IDAHO DEPARTMENT OF WATER RESOURCES, AND THE IDAHO DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY HAVE BEEN REVIEWED AND APPROVED BY THE SENATE RESOURCES AND ENVIRONMENT COMMITTEE, WITH AN EXCEPTION.

Be It Resolved by the Senate of the State of Idaho:

WHEREAS, pursuant to Section 67-5291, Idaho Code, standing committees of the Legislature shall review any temporary or pending rule that is germane to its committee and has been published in the Idaho Administrative Bulletin; and

WHEREAS, the Senate Resources and Environment Committee reviewed temporary and pending rules adopted by the Idaho Department of Fish and Game, the Idaho Department

of Lands, the Idaho Division of Occupational and Professional Licenses, the Idaho Department of Parks and Recreation, the Idaho Department of Water Resources, and the Idaho Department of Environmental Quality.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the members of the Senate, assembled in the First Regular Session of the Sixty-eighth Idaho Legislature, that all temporary and pending rules adopted by the Idaho Department of Fish and Game, the Idaho Department of Lands, the Idaho Division of Occupational and Professional Licenses, the Idaho Department of Parks and Recreation, the Idaho Department of Water Resources, and the Idaho Department of Environmental Quality, pursuant to the Administrative Procedure Act and submitted through the Office of the Administrative Rules Coordinator to the Legislature for review during the 2025 legislative session have been reviewed and approved by the Senate Resources and Environment Committee with the exception of IDAPA 20.03.14, Idaho Department of Lands, Rules Governing Grazing, Farming, and Conservation Leases, Docket No. 20-0314-2401, Section 050., Subsection 02., only, which was not approved.

SCR 112

BY JUDICIARY AND RULES COMMITTEE

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

STATING FINDINGS OF THE LEGISLATURE AND REJECTING CERTAIN RULES OF THE IDAHO DEPARTMENT OF LANDS RELATING TO RULES GOVERNING GRAZING, FARMING, CONSERVATION, NONCOMMERCIAL RECREATION, AND COMMUNICATION SITE LEASES.

Be It Resolved by the Legislature of the State of Idaho:

WHEREAS, the Legislature is vested with authority to reject executive agency rules under the provisions of Section 67-5291, Idaho Code, in the event that the Legislature finds that the rules are not consistent with legislative intent; and

WHEREAS, it is the finding of the Legislature that certain rules of the Idaho Department of Lands relating to Rules Governing Grazing, Farming, Conservation, Noncommercial Recreation, and Communication Site Leases are not consistent with legislative intent because any state grazing lease may be canceled with only six months' notice and should therefore be rejected.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the members of the First Regular Session of the Sixty-eighth Idaho Legislature, the Senate and the House of Representatives concurring therein, that the final rule contained in IDAPA 20.03.14, Section 050., Subsection 02., relating to Rules Governing Grazing, Farming, Conservation, Noncommercial Recreation, and Communication Site Leases, Rules of the Idaho Department of Lands, only, be, and the same is hereby rejected and declared null, void, and of no force and effect on and after July 1, 2025.

[SR 111](#) and [SCR 112](#) were introduced, read at length, and referred to the Judiciary and Rules Committee for printing.

The Senate advanced to the Sixth Order of Business.

Reports of Standing Committees

March 17, 2025

The JUDICIARY AND RULES Committee reports out [H 270](#) and [H 271](#) with the recommendation that they do pass.

LAKEY, Chairman

[H 270](#) and [H 271](#) were filed for second reading.

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The HEALTH AND WELFARE Committee reports out [H 242](#), [H 311](#), and [H 337](#) with the recommendation that they do pass.

VANORDEN, Chairman

[H 242](#), [H 311](#), and [H 337](#) were filed for second reading.

On request by Senator Den Hartog, granted by unanimous consent, the Senate advanced to the Eighth Order of Business.

Messages from the Governor

March 17, 2025

The Honorable Scott Bedke
President of the Senate
Idaho State Senate

Dear Mr. President:

I have the honor to advise you that I have signed on March 17, 2025 and am transmitting to the Secretary of State the following Senate Bill, to wit:

[S 1069](#)

Sincerely,
/s/ Brad Little
Governor of Idaho

The correspondence was ordered filed in the office of the Secretary of the Senate.

The Senate advanced to the Ninth Order of Business.

Messages from the House

March 17, 2025

Dear Mr. President:

I transmit herewith [H 135](#), [H 381](#), [H 397](#), [H 409](#), and [H 380](#), which have passed the House.

MCGINNIS, Chief Clerk

[H 135](#), [H 381](#), [H 397](#), [H 409](#), and [H 380](#) were filed for first reading.

March 17, 2025

Dear Mr. President:

I return herewith [S 1021](#), as amended in the House, and [S 1126](#), as amended in the House, which have passed the House.

MCGINNIS, Chief Clerk

On request by Senator Shippy, granted by unanimous consent, [S 1021](#), as amended in the House, was referred to the Tenth Order of Business, Motions and Resolutions, for consideration as to possible concurrence in the House amendments.

On request by Senator Woodward, granted by unanimous consent, [S 1126](#), as amended in the House, was referred to the Tenth Order of Business, Motions and Resolutions, for consideration as to possible concurrence in the House amendments.

Dear Mr. President:

I return herewith [S 1082](#), [S 1016](#), [S 1033](#), [S 1054](#), [S 1037](#), [S 1031](#), as amended, [S 1027](#), as amended, as amended, and [SCR 105](#), which have passed the House.

MCGINNIS, Chief Clerk

[S 1082](#), [S 1016](#), [S 1033](#), [S 1054](#), [S 1037](#), [S 1031](#), as amended, [S 1027](#), as amended, as amended, and [SCR 105](#) were referred to the Judiciary and Rules Committee for enrolling.

The Senate advanced to the Tenth Order of Business.

Motions and Resolutions

The President announced that the House amendments to [S 1021](#), as amended in the House, were before the Senate for consideration as to possible concurrence, the question being, "Shall the Senate concur in the House amendments to [S 1021](#), as amended in the House?"

On request by Senator Shippy, granted by unanimous consent, the Senate concurred by voice vote in the House amendments to [S 1021](#), as amended in the House.

[S 1021](#), as amended in the House, was referred to the Judiciary and Rules Committee for engrossing.

The President announced that the House amendments to [S 1126](#), as amended in the House, were before the Senate for consideration as to possible concurrence, the question being, "Shall the Senate concur in the House amendments to [S 1126](#), as amended in the House?"

On request by Senator Woodward, granted by unanimous consent, the Senate concurred by voice vote in the House amendments to [S 1126](#), as amended in the House.

[S 1126](#), as amended in the House, was referred to the Judiciary and Rules Committee for engrossing.

The Senate advanced to the Eleventh Order of Business.

Introduction, First Reading, and Reference of Bills, House Petitions, Resolutions, and Memorials

S 1175

BY FINANCE COMMITTEE AN ACT

RELATING TO THE APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION; APPROPRIATING ADDITIONAL MONEYS TO THE DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION FOR FISCAL YEAR 2026; AUTHORIZING ADDITIONAL FULL-TIME EQUIVALENT POSITIONS; APPROPRIATING ADDITIONAL MONEYS TO THE DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION FOR FISCAL YEAR 2025; AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY AND PROVIDING EFFECTIVE DATES.

S 1176

BY JUDICIARY AND RULES COMMITTEE AN ACT

RELATING TO EDUCATION; AMENDING SECTION 33-1619, IDAHO CODE, TO REVISE PROVISIONS REGARDING VIRTUAL EDUCATION PROGRAMS IN SCHOOL DISTRICTS; AMENDING SECTION 33-5202A, IDAHO CODE, TO REVISE A DEFINITION; AMENDING SECTION 33-5203, IDAHO CODE, TO REVISE

PROVISIONS REGARDING APPROVAL OF PUBLIC CHARTER SCHOOLS; AMENDING SECTION 33-5206, IDAHO CODE, TO REVISE PROVISIONS REGARDING REQUIREMENTS FOR OPERATING A PUBLIC CHARTER SCHOOL; AMENDING SECTION 33-5207, IDAHO CODE, TO REVISE PROVISIONS REGARDING PUBLIC CHARTER SCHOOL FINANCIAL SUPPORT; AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY AND PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

S 1177
BY FINANCE COMMITTEE
AN ACT

RELATING TO THE APPROPRIATION TO THE DIVISION OF OCCUPATIONAL AND PROFESSIONAL LICENSES; APPROPRIATING ADDITIONAL MONEYS TO THE DIVISION OF OCCUPATIONAL AND PROFESSIONAL LICENSES FOR FISCAL YEAR 2026; REQUIRING REPORTS ON FUND BALANCES; PROVIDING FOR CONDITIONS, LIMITATIONS, AND RESTRICTIONS; AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY AND PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

S 1178
BY FINANCE COMMITTEE
AN ACT

RELATING TO THE APPROPRIATION TO THE COMMISSION ON AGING; APPROPRIATING ADDITIONAL MONEYS TO THE COMMISSION ON AGING FOR FISCAL YEAR 2026; AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY AND PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

[S 1175](#), [S 1176](#), [S 1177](#), and [S 1178](#) were introduced, read the first time at length, and referred to the Judiciary and Rules Committee for printing.

[H 135](#), by Health and Welfare Committee, was introduced, read the first time at length, and referred to the Health and Welfare Committee.

[H 381](#), by Revenue and Taxation Committee, was introduced, read the first time at length, and referred to the Local Government and Taxation Committee.

[H 397](#), by Education Committee, was introduced, read the first time at length, and referred to the Education Committee.

[H 409](#), by State Affairs Committee, was introduced, read the first time at length, and referred to the State Affairs Committee.

[H 380](#), by Ways and Means Committee, was introduced, read the first time at length, and referred to the Judiciary and Rules Committee.

The Senate advanced to the Twelfth Order of Business.

Second Reading of Bills

[H 322](#), by Ways and Means Committee, was read the second time at length and filed for third reading.

[H 113](#), by State Affairs Committee, was read the second time at length and filed for third reading.

[H 240](#), by Education Committee, was read the second time at length and filed for third reading.

[H 268](#), by Ways and Means Committee, was read the second time at length and filed for third reading.

[H 358](#), [H 377](#), and [H 386](#), by State Affairs Committee, were read the second time at length and filed for third reading.

[S 1172](#), [S 1173](#), and [S 1174](#), by Finance Committee, were read the second time at length and filed for third reading.

[H 128](#), by Resources and Conservation Committee, was read the second time at length and filed for third reading.

[S 1167](#), by Judiciary and Rules Committee, was read the second time at length and filed for third reading.

[S 1170](#), by State Affairs Committee, was read the second time at length and filed for third reading.

On request by Senator Den Hartog, granted by unanimous consent, the Senate advanced to the Fourteenth Order of Business.

General Calendar

The President declared the Senate resolved into the Committee of the Whole and called Senator Harris to the Chair to preside during the sitting of the Committee of the Whole.

Following the adjournment of the Committee of the Whole, the President called the Senate to order.

Report of the Committee of the Whole

Senator Harris, Chairman of the Committee of the Whole, reported out [H 236](#), [H 150](#), [H 185](#), [H 266](#), as amended, [S 1064](#), as amended, [H 282](#), [H 102](#), [H 81](#), and [H 136](#), without recommendation, amended as follows:

SENATE AMENDMENT TO H 236
AMENDMENT TO SECTION 1

On page 1 of the printed bill, following line 32, insert: "(2) Discipline of students with disabilities shall be in accordance with the requirements of federal law part B of the individuals with disabilities education act and section 504 of the rehabilitation act."; in line 33, delete "(2)" and insert: "(3)"; and in line 37, delete "(3)" and insert: "(4)".

On page 2, delete lines 1 through 4, and insert: "is not detrimental to the health and safety of other students. ~~Discipline of students with disabilities shall be in accordance with the requirements of federal law part B of the individuals with disabilities education act and section 504 of the rehabilitation act.~~ An authorized representative of the"; in line 7, delete "(4)" and insert: "(5)"; in line 30, delete "(5)" and insert: "(6)"; and in line 48, delete "(6)" and insert: "(7)".

On page 3, in line 3, delete "(7)" and insert: "(8)".

SENATE AMENDMENT TO H 150
AMENDMENT TO SECTION 2

On page 1 of the printed bill, delete lines 16 through 22, and insert: "out the consent of the other spouse. Either spouse may execute a power of attorney authorizing the other spouse to convey or encumber the homestead on behalf of the principal. Consent shall be evidenced by:

(1) Each spouse executing and acknowledging the instrument by which the homestead is conveyed or encumbered; or

(2) A deed from one spouse to the other spouse establishing the homestead property as the sole and separate property of the grantee spouse."

SENATE AMENDMENT TO H 185
AMENDMENT TO SECTION 1

On page 1 of the printed bill, in line 17, delete "four thou-"; and in line 18, delete "sand dollars (\$4,000)" and insert: "~~four thousand dollars (\$4,000)~~ eight thousand dollars (\$8,000)".

CORRECTION TO TITLE

On page 1, in line 3, delete "IN THE CATASTROPHIC SEARCH SUBAC-"; and in line 4, delete "COUNT".

SENATE AMENDMENT TO H 266, As Amended
AMENDMENT TO SECTION 2

On page 1 of the engrossed bill, in line 36, following "(48)" insert: "business".

On page 2, in line 5, following "division" insert: ", county, or third party"; in line 6, following "division" insert: ", county, or third party"; and in line 13, following "(3)" insert: "business".

SENATE AMENDMENT TO S 1064, As Amended
AMENDMENT TO SECTION 2

On page 2 of the engrossed bill, following line 29, insert:
 "(3) "Crops" shall have the same meaning as provided in section 6-202, Idaho Code.

(4) "Orchard" means a place where fruit is grown for commercial purposes under accepted industry, university agricultural extension service, and regulatory guidelines."

AMENDMENT TO SECTION 3

On page 2, in line 41, following "period" insert: "as well as a map with generator coordinates".

SENATE AMENDMENT TO H 282
AMENDMENT TO THE BILL

On page 1 of the printed bill, delete lines 18 through 35; and renumber subsequent section accordingly.

CORRECTION TO TITLE

On page 1, delete lines 3 and 4, and insert: "VISIONS REGARDING HOMESTEAD PROPERTY; AND".

SENATE AMENDMENT TO H 102
AMENDMENT TO SECTION 1

On page 1 of the printed bill, in line 15, following "Alternatively," insert: "if the number of qualified electors resident within the boundaries of the district has increased by more than two hundred percent (200%) since the creation of the recreation district, then".

CORRECTION TO TITLE

On page 1, in line 2, delete "RECREATIONAL" and insert: "RECREATION".

SENATE AMENDMENT TO H 81
AMENDMENT TO SECTION 1

On page 2 of the printed bill, in line 39, delete "or to give any warning of"; and in line 40, delete "a danger related to the recreation activity".

SENATE AMENDMENT TO H 136
AMENDMENT TO SECTION 1

On page 1 of the printed bill, in line 13, delete "and includes any pharmacy under contract with the" and insert: "."; and delete line 14.

The Committee also has [H 6](#), [SJR 101](#), [S 1063](#), [H 129](#), [H 263](#), [S 1124](#), as amended, [S 1140](#), [H 180](#), and [H 253](#) under consideration, reports progress, and begs leave to sit again.

HARRIS, Chairman

On motion by Senator Harris, seconded by Senator Wintrow, the report was adopted by voice vote.

[S 1064](#), as amended, was referred to the Judiciary and Rules Committee for engrossing and the amendments thereto were referred to the Judiciary and Rules Committee for printing.

[H 236](#), [H 150](#), [H 185](#), [H 266](#), as amended, [H 282](#), [H 102](#), [H 81](#), and [H 136](#) were filed for first reading as amended, and the amendments thereto were referred to the Judiciary and Rules Committee for printing.

On request by Senator Den Hartog, granted by unanimous consent, the Senate returned to the Fifth Order of Business.

Petitions, Resolutions, and Memorials

On request by Senator Den Hartog, granted by unanimous consent, the Senate advanced to the Sixth Order of Business.

Reports of Standing Committees

On motion by Senator Den Hartog, seconded by Senator Wintrow, by voice vote the Senate recessed at 12:02 p.m. until the hour of 3 p.m. of this day.

RECESS**AFTERNOON SESSION**

The Senate reconvened at 3 p.m., pursuant to recess, President Bedke presiding.

Roll call showed all members present except Senators Ricks and VanOrden, absent and excused.

Prior to recess the Senate was at the Sixth Order of Business, Reports of Standing Committees.

March 18, 2025

The JUDICIARY AND RULES Committee reports that [S 1021](#), as amended in the House, and [S 1126](#), as amended in the House, have been correctly engrossed.

LAKEY, Chairman

[S 1021](#), as amended in the House, and [S 1126](#), as amended in the House, were filed for first reading.

March 18, 2025

The JUDICIARY AND RULES Committee reports that Senate amendments to [S 1064](#), as amended, [H 236](#), [H 150](#), [H 185](#), [H 266](#), as amended, [H 282](#), [H 102](#), [H 81](#), and [H 136](#) have been correctly printed.

LAKEY, Chairman

The report was ordered filed in the office of the Secretary of the Senate.

March 18, 2025

The JUDICIARY AND RULES Committee reports that [S 1064](#), as amended, as amended, has been correctly engrossed.

LAKEY, Chairman

[S 1064](#), as amended, as amended, was filed for first reading.

March 18, 2025

The JUDICIARY AND RULES Committee reports that [S 1082](#), [S 1016](#), [S 1033](#), [S 1054](#), [S 1037](#), [S 1031](#), as amended, [S 1027](#), as amended, as amended, and [SCR 105](#) have been correctly enrolled.

LAKEY, Chairman

The President signed Enrolled [S 1082](#), [S 1016](#), [S 1033](#), [S 1054](#), [S 1037](#), [S 1031](#), as amended, [S 1027](#), as amended, as amended, and [SCR 105](#) and ordered them transmitted to the House for the signature of the Speaker.

March 18, 2025

The TRANSPORTATION Committee reports out [H 174](#) with the recommendation that it be referred to the Fourteenth Order of Business for amendment.

OKUNIEWICZ, Chairman

There being no objection, [H 174](#) was referred to the Fourteenth Order of Business, General Calendar.

March 18, 2025

The COMMERCE AND HUMAN RESOURCES Committee reports out [H 361](#) with the recommendation that it do pass.

FOREMAN, Chairman

[H 361](#) was filed for second reading.

March 18, 2025

The COMMERCE AND HUMAN RESOURCES Committee reports out [S 1164](#) with the recommendation that it be referred to the Fourteenth Order of Business for amendment.

FOREMAN, Chairman

There being no objection, [S 1164](#) was referred to the Fourteenth Order of Business, General Calendar.

On request by Senator Den Hartog, granted by unanimous consent, the Senate advanced to the Ninth Order of Business.

Messages from the House

Senators Ricks and VanOrden were recorded present at this order of business.

March 18, 2025

Dear Mr. President:

I transmit herewith Enrolled [H 371](#), [H 372](#), [H 373](#), [H 374](#), [H 316](#), [H 199](#), [H 277](#), [H 305](#), [H 161](#), [H 159](#), [H 173](#), [H 323](#), [H 175](#), as amended, and [H 146](#), as amended in the Senate, for the signature of the President.

MCGINNIS, Chief Clerk

The President signed Enrolled [H 371](#), [H 372](#), [H 373](#), [H 374](#), [H 316](#), [H 199](#), [H 277](#), [H 305](#), [H 161](#), [H 159](#), [H 173](#), [H 323](#), [H 175](#), as amended, and [H 146](#), as amended in the Senate, and ordered them returned to the House.

March 18, 2025

Dear Mr. President:

I return herewith Enrolled [S 1137](#), [S 1090](#), [S 1045](#), [S 1150](#), [S 1015](#), [S 1034](#), as amended, [S 1051](#), [S 1118](#), [S 1030](#), as amended, [S 1011](#), [S 1061](#), [S 1083](#), as amended, [S 1084](#), [S 1091](#), and [S 1058](#), which have been signed by the Speaker.

MCGINNIS, Chief Clerk

Enrolled [S 1137](#), [S 1090](#), [S 1045](#), [S 1150](#), [S 1015](#), [S 1034](#), as amended, [S 1051](#), [S 1118](#), [S 1030](#), as amended, [S 1011](#), [S 1061](#), [S 1083](#), as amended, [S 1084](#), [S 1091](#), and [S 1058](#) were referred to

the Judiciary and Rules Committee for transmittal to the Office of the Governor.

On request by Senator Den Hartog, granted by unanimous consent, the Senate advanced to the Eleventh Order of Business.

Introduction, First Reading, and Reference of Bills, House Petitions, Resolutions, and Memorials

[H 236](#), as amended in the Senate, by Education Committee, was read the first time at length and filed for second reading.

[H 150](#), as amended in the Senate, by Business Committee, was read the first time at length and filed for second reading.

[H 185](#), as amended in the Senate, by Judiciary, Rules and Administration Committee, was read the first time at length and filed for second reading.

[H 266](#), as amended, as amended in the Senate, and [H 282](#), as amended in the Senate, by Ways and Means Committee, were read the first time at length and filed for second reading.

[H 102](#), as amended in the Senate, by Local Government Committee, was read the first time at length and filed for second reading.

[H 81](#), as amended in the Senate, by Resources and Conservation Committee, was read the first time at length and filed for second reading.

[H 136](#), as amended in the Senate, by Health and Welfare Committee, was read the first time at length and filed for second reading.

[S 1021](#), as amended in the House, by Health and Welfare Committee, was read the first time at length and filed for second reading.

[S 1126](#), as amended in the House, by State Affairs Committee, was read the first time at length and filed for second reading.

[S 1064](#), as amended, as amended, by Agricultural Affairs Committee, was read the first time at length and filed for second reading.

On request by Senator Den Hartog, granted by unanimous consent, the Senate advanced to the Thirteenth Order of Business.

Third Reading of Bills

[S 1096](#), as amended, having been held, was read the third time at length, section by section, and placed before the Senate for final consideration. Senator Woodward arose as sponsor of the bill and opened the debate. The question being, "Shall the bill pass?"

Roll call resulted as follows:

AYES—Anthon, Bearg (Rabe), Bernt, Bjerke, Blaylock, Burtenshaw, Cook, Galloway, Grow, Guthrie, Harris, Lent, Ricks, Ruchti, Semmelroth, Taylor, VanOrden, Ward-Engelking, Wintrow, Woodward. Total - 20.

NAYS—Adams, Carlson, Den Hartog, Foreman, Hart, Keyser, Kohl, Lakey, Lenney, Nichols, Okuniewicz, Shippy, Toews, Zito, Zuiderveld. Total - 15.

Total - 35.

Whereupon the President declared [S 1096](#), as amended, passed, title was approved, and the bill ordered transmitted to the House.

On request by Senator Den Hartog, granted by unanimous consent, [S 1144](#), [H 248](#), [H 249](#), and [H 235](#) retained their place on the Third Reading Calendar for one legislative day.

[H 47](#), having been held, was read the third time at length, section by section, and placed before the Senate for final consideration. Senator Shippy arose as sponsor of the bill and opened the debate. The question being, "Shall the bill pass?"

Roll call resulted as follows:

AYES—Adams, Anthon, Bernt, Bjerke, Blaylock, Burtenshaw, Carlson, Cook, Den Hartog, Foreman, Galloway, Grow, Guthrie, Harris, Hart, Keyser, Kohl, Lakey, Lenney, Lent, Nichols, Okuniewicz, Ricks, Ruchti, Shippy, Toews, Ward-Engelking, Woodward, Zito, Zuiderveld. Total - 30.

NAYS—Bearg (Rabe), Semmelroth, Taylor, Wintrow. Total - 4.

Absent and excused—VanOrden. Total - 1.

Total - 35.

Whereupon the President declared [H 47](#) passed, title was approved, and the bill ordered returned to the House.

[H 330](#), having been held, was read the third time at length, section by section, and placed before the Senate for final consideration. Senator Kohl arose as sponsor of the bill and opened the debate. The question being, "Shall the bill pass?"

Roll call resulted as follows:

AYES—Anthon, Bearg (Rabe), Bernt, Bjerke, Blaylock, Carlson, Den Hartog, Foreman, Galloway, Guthrie, Hart, Keyser, Kohl, Lakey, Lenney, Nichols, Okuniewicz, Ricks, Ruchti, Semmelroth, Shippy, Taylor, Toews, VanOrden, Ward-Engelking, Wintrow, Woodward, Zito, Zuiderveld. Total - 29.

NAYS—Adams, Burtenshaw, Cook, Grow, Harris, Lent. Total - 6.

Total - 35.

Whereupon the President declared [H 330](#) passed, title was approved, and the bill ordered returned to the House.

[H 9](#), as amended, was read the third time at length, section by section, and placed before the Senate for final consideration. Senator Ruchti arose as sponsor of the bill and opened the debate. The question being, "Shall the bill pass?"

Roll call resulted as follows:

AYES—Adams, Anthon, Bearg (Rabe), Bernt, Bjerke, Blaylock, Burtenshaw, Carlson, Cook, Den Hartog, Foreman, Galloway, Grow, Guthrie, Harris, Hart, Keyser, Kohl, Lakey, Lenney, Lent, Nichols, Okuniewicz, Ricks, Ruchti, Semmelroth, Shippy, Taylor, Toews, VanOrden, Ward-Engelking, Wintrow, Woodward, Zito, Zuiderveld. Total - 35.

Whereupon the President declared [H 9](#), as amended, passed, title was approved, and the bill ordered returned to the House.

[H 158](#) was read the third time at length, section by section, and placed before the Senate for final consideration. Senator Lent arose as sponsor of the bill and opened the debate. The question being, "Shall the bill pass?"

Roll call resulted as follows:

AYES—Adams, Anthon, Bearg (Rabe), Bernt, Bjerke, Blaylock, Burtenshaw, Carlson, Cook, Den Hartog, Foreman,

Galloway, Grow, Guthrie, Harris, Hart, Keyser, Kohl, Lakey, Lenney, Lent, Nichols, Okuniewicz, Ricks, Ruchti, Semmelroth, Shippy, Taylor, Toews, VanOrden, Ward-Engelking, Wintrow, Woodward, Zito, Zuiderveld. Total - 35.

Whereupon the President declared [H 158](#) passed, title was approved, and the bill ordered returned to the House.

[H 208](#) was read the third time at length, section by section, and placed before the Senate for final consideration. Senator Woodward arose as sponsor of the bill and opened the debate. The question being, "Shall the bill pass?"

Roll call resulted as follows:

AYES—Adams, Anthon, Bearg (Rabe), Bernt, Bjerke, Blaylock, Burtenshaw, Carlson, Cook, Den Hartog, Foreman, Galloway, Grow, Guthrie, Harris, Hart, Keyser, Kohl, Lakey, Lenney, Lent, Nichols, Okuniewicz, Ricks, Ruchti, Semmelroth, Shippy, Taylor, Toews, VanOrden, Ward-Engelking, Wintrow, Woodward, Zito, Zuiderveld. Total - 35.

Whereupon the President declared [H 208](#) passed, title was approved, and the bill ordered returned to the House.

[H 329](#) was read the third time at length, section by section, and placed before the Senate for final consideration. Senator Ricks arose as sponsor of the bill and opened the debate. The question being, "Shall the bill pass?"

Roll call resulted as follows:

AYES—Adams, Anthon, Bearg (Rabe), Bernt, Bjerke, Blaylock, Burtenshaw, Carlson, Cook, Den Hartog, Foreman, Galloway, Grow, Guthrie, Harris, Hart, Keyser, Kohl, Lakey, Lent, Nichols, Okuniewicz, Ricks, Ruchti, Semmelroth, Taylor, Toews, VanOrden, Wintrow, Woodward, Zito, Zuiderveld. Total - 31.

NAYS—Hart, Lenney, Shippy. Total - 3.

Absent and excused—Ward-Engelking. Total - 1.

Total - 35.

Whereupon the President declared [H 329](#) passed, title was approved, and the bill ordered returned to the House.

[H 331](#) was read the third time at length, section by section, and placed before the Senate for final consideration. Senator Den Hartog arose as sponsor of the bill and opened the debate. The question being, "Shall the bill pass?"

Roll call resulted as follows:

AYES—Adams, Anthon, Bearg (Rabe), Bernt, Bjerke, Blaylock, Burtenshaw, Carlson, Cook, Den Hartog, Foreman, Galloway, Grow, Guthrie, Harris, Hart, Keyser, Kohl, Lakey, Lenney, Lent, Nichols, Okuniewicz, Ricks, Ruchti, Semmelroth, Shippy, Taylor, Toews, VanOrden, Ward-Engelking, Wintrow, Woodward, Zito, Zuiderveld. Total - 35.

Whereupon the President declared [H 331](#) passed, title was approved, and the bill ordered returned to the House.

[H 290](#) was read the third time at length, section by section, and placed before the Senate for final consideration. Senator Bjerke arose as sponsor of the bill and opened the debate. The question being, "Shall the bill pass?"

Roll call resulted as follows:

AYES—Adams, Bearg (Rabe), Bernt, Bjerke, Blaylock, Burtenshaw, Cook, Den Hartog, Galloway, Grow, Guthrie, Harris,

Keyser, Lakey, Lenney, Lent, Ruchti, Semmelroth, Shippy, Taylor, Ward-Engelking, Wintrow, Woodward. Total - 23.

NAYS–Anthon, Carlson, Foreman, Hart, Kohl, Nichols, Okuniewicz, Ricks, Toews, Zito, Zuiderveld. Total - 11.

Absent and excused–VanOrden. Total - 1.

Paired and voting included in roll call:

AYE - Ward-Engelking NAY - Nichols

Total - 35.

Whereupon the President declared [H 290](#) passed, title was approved, and the bill ordered returned to the House.

[H 327](#) was read the third time at length, section by section, and placed before the Senate for final consideration. Senator Galloway arose as sponsor of the bill and opened the debate. The question being, "Shall the bill pass?"

Roll call resulted as follows:

AYES–Adams, Anthon, Bearg (Rabe), Bernt, Bjerke, Blaylock, Burtenshaw, Carlson, Cook, Den Hartog, Foreman, Galloway, Grow, Guthrie, Harris, Hart, Keyser, Kohl, Lakey, Lenney, Lent, Nichols, Okuniewicz, Ricks, Ruchti, Semmelroth, Shippy, Taylor, Toews, VanOrden, Ward-Engelking, Wintrow, Woodward, Zito, Zuiderveld. Total - 35.

Whereupon the President declared [H 327](#) passed, title was approved, and the bill ordered returned to the House.

On request by Senator Den Hartog, granted by unanimous consent, all Senate bills were placed at the head of the Third Reading Calendar, followed by House bills amended in the Senate, followed by House appropriation bills, followed by remaining House bills.

On request by Senator Den Hartog, granted by unanimous consent, the Senate advanced to the Fifteenth Order of Business.

Miscellaneous Business

On motion by Senator Den Hartog, seconded by Senator Wintrow, by voice vote, the Senate adjourned at 5:02 p.m. until the hour of 11 a.m., Wednesday, March 19, 2025.

SCOTT BEDKE, President

Attest: JENNIFER NOVAK, Secretary