

STATE OF MINNESOTA

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 SIXTY-EIGHTH DAY

SAINT PAUL, MINNESOTA, THURSDAY, MARCH 8, 2018

The House of Representatives convened at 3:30 p.m. and was called to order by Kurt Daudt, Speaker of the House.

Prayer was offered by the Reverend Andrew Brinkman, Our Lady of Guadalupe Church, St. Paul, Minnesota.

The members of the House gave the pledge of allegiance to the flag of the United States of America.

The roll was called and the following members were present:

Albright	Dettmer	Hertaus	Lillie	Newberger	Sauke
Anderson, S.	Drazkowski	Hilstrom	Loeffler	Nornes	Schomacker
Anselmo	Ecklund	Hoppe	Lohmer	O'Driscoll	Scott
Applebaum	Erickson	Hornstein	Loon	Olson	Slocum
Backer	Fabian	Hortman	Loonan	Omar	Smith
Bahr, C.	Fenton	Howe	Lucero	O'Neill	Sundin
Baker	Fischer	Jessup	Lueck	Pelowski	Swedzinski
Barr, R.	Flanagan	Johnson, B.	Mariani	Peppin	Theis
Becker-Finn	Franke	Johnson, C.	Marquart	Petersburg	Thissen
Bennett	Franson	Jurgens	Masin	Peterson	Uglen
Bernardy	Freiberg	Kiel	Maye Quade	Pierson	Urdahl
Bliss	Garofalo	Knoblach	McDonald	Pinto	Vogel
Bly	Green	Koegel	Metsa	Poppe	Wagenius
Carlson, A.	Grossell	Koznick	Miller	Poston	Ward
Carlson, L.	Gunther	Kresha	Moran	Pryor	West
Christensen	Haley	Kunesh-Podein	Munson	Pugh	Whelan
Clark	Halverson	Layman	Murphy, E.	Quam	Wills
Daniels	Hamilton	Lee	Murphy, M.	Rarick	Youakim
Davids	Hansen	Lesch	Nash	Rosenthal	Zerwas
Davnie	Hausman	Liebling	Nelson	Runbeck	Spk. Daudt
Dehn, R.	Heintzeman	Lien	Neu	Sandstede	

A quorum was present.

Allen; Anderson, P.; Considine; Dean, M.; Gruenhagen; Johnson, S.; Mahoney; Schultz and Torkelson were excused.

The Chief Clerk proceeded to read the Journal of the preceding day. There being no objection, further reading of the Journal was dispensed with and the Journal was approved as corrected by the Chief Clerk.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES AND DIVISIONS

Scott from the Committee on Civil Law and Data Practices Policy to which was referred:

H. F. No. 368, A bill for an act relating to consumer protection; prohibiting the assignment of military pay or benefits; providing penalties and remedies; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 325F.

Reported the same back with the following amendments:

Page 2, line 3, delete "A person who is found to have violated this section is" and insert "In addition to any other remedies available under the law, the military beneficiary injured by a violation of this section may bring a cause of action to recover damages, reasonable attorney fees and costs, or equitable relief related to a violation of subdivision 2."

Page 2, delete lines 4 and 5

Amend the title as follows:

Page 1, line 3, delete "penalties and"

With the recommendation that when so amended the bill be placed on the General Register.

The report was adopted.

Petersburg from the Committee on Transportation Finance to which was referred:

H. F. No. 566, A bill for an act relating to capital investment; appropriating money for the port development assistance program; authorizing the sale and issuance of state bonds.

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill be re-referred to the Committee on Capital Investment.

The report was adopted.

Garofalo from the Committee on Job Growth and Energy Affordability Policy and Finance to which was referred:

H. F. No. 917, A bill for an act relating to taxation; individual income; providing a temporary refundable credit for residential biomass heating systems; requiring a report.

Reported the same back with the following amendments:

Page 1, line 13, delete everything after "means" and insert a colon

Page 1, delete lines 14 and 15 and insert:

"(1) a pellet stove or wood heater, as defined in Code of Federal Regulations, title 40, section 60.531; or

(2) a residential forced-air furnace or residential hydronic heater, as defined in Code of Federal Regulations, title 40, section 60.5473."

Page 1, after line 18, insert:

"(d) No credit may be allowed under this section for a residential biomass heating system that is not certified by the federal Environmental Protection Agency as meeting the 2015 New Source Performance Standards for air emissions for these heating systems, contained in Code of Federal Regulations, title 40, part 60, subparts AAA and QQQQ, as applicable."

Page 2, line 5, delete "2020" and insert "2021"

Page 2, line 16, delete "2017" and insert "2018" and delete "2023" and insert "2024"

With the recommendation that when so amended the bill be re-referred to the Committee on Taxes.

The report was adopted.

Dettmer from the Veterans Affairs Division to which was referred:

H. F. No. 1123, A bill for an act relating to taxation; property; increasing the homestead valuation exclusion for disabled veterans; amending Minnesota Statutes 2016, section 273.13, subdivision 34.

Reported the same back with the following amendments:

Delete everything after the enacting clause and insert:

"Section 1. Minnesota Statutes 2017 Supplement, section 273.13, subdivision 34, is amended to read:

Subd. 34. **Homestead of disabled veteran or family caregiver.** (a) All or a portion of the market value of property owned by a veteran and serving as the veteran's homestead under this section is excluded in determining the property's taxable market value if the veteran has a service-connected disability of 70 percent or more as certified by the United States Department of Veterans Affairs. To qualify for exclusion under this subdivision, the veteran must have been honorably discharged from the United States armed forces, as indicated by United States Government Form DD214 or other official military discharge papers.

(b)(1) For a disability rating of 70 percent or more, ~~\$150,000~~ \$165,000 of market value is excluded, except as provided in clause (2); and

(2) for a total (100 percent) and permanent disability, ~~\$300,000~~ \$330,000 of market value is excluded.

(c) If a disabled veteran qualifying for a valuation exclusion under paragraph (b), clause (2), predeceases the veteran's spouse, and if upon the death of the veteran the spouse holds the legal or beneficial title to the homestead and permanently resides there, the exclusion shall carry over to the benefit of the veteran's spouse for the current taxes payable year and for eight additional taxes payable years or until such time as the spouse remarries, or sells, transfers, or otherwise disposes of the property, whichever comes first. Qualification under this paragraph requires an application under paragraph (h), and a spouse must notify the assessor if there is a change in the spouse's marital status, ownership of the property, or use of the property as a permanent residence.

(d) If the spouse of a member of any branch or unit of the United States armed forces who dies due to a service-connected cause while serving honorably in active service, as indicated on United States Government Form DD1300 or DD2064, holds the legal or beneficial title to a homestead and permanently resides there, the spouse is entitled to the benefit described in paragraph (b), clause (2), for eight taxes payable years, or until such time as the spouse remarries or sells, transfers, or otherwise disposes of the property, whichever comes first.

(e) If a veteran meets the disability criteria of paragraph (a) but does not own property classified as homestead in the state of Minnesota, then the homestead of the veteran's primary family caregiver, if any, is eligible for the exclusion that the veteran would otherwise qualify for under paragraph (b).

(f) In the case of an agricultural homestead, only the portion of the property consisting of the house and garage and immediately surrounding one acre of land qualifies for the valuation exclusion under this subdivision.

(g) A property qualifying for a valuation exclusion under this subdivision is not eligible for the market value exclusion under subdivision 35, or classification under subdivision 22, paragraph (b).

(h) To qualify for a valuation exclusion under this subdivision a property owner must apply to the assessor by July 1 of the first assessment year for which the exclusion is sought. For an application received after July 1, the exclusion shall become effective for the following assessment year. Except as provided in paragraph (c), the owner of a property that has been accepted for a valuation exclusion must notify the assessor if there is a change in ownership of the property or in the use of the property as a homestead.

(i) A first-time application by a qualifying spouse for the market value exclusion under paragraph (d) must be made any time within two years of the death of the service member.

(j) For purposes of this subdivision:

(1) "active service" has the meaning given in section 190.05;

(2) "own" means that the person's name is present as an owner on the property deed;

(3) "primary family caregiver" means a person who is approved by the secretary of the United States Department of Veterans Affairs for assistance as the primary provider of personal care services for an eligible veteran under the Program of Comprehensive Assistance for Family Caregivers, codified as United States Code, title 38, section 1720G; and

(4) "veteran" has the meaning given the term in section 197.447.

(k) If a veteran dying after December 31, 2011, did not apply for or receive the exclusion under paragraph (b), clause (2), before dying, the veteran's spouse is entitled to the benefit under paragraph (b), clause (2), for eight taxes payable years or until the spouse remarries or sells, transfers, or otherwise disposes of the property if:

(1) the spouse files a first-time application within two years of the death of the service member or by June 1, 2019, whichever is later;

(2) upon the death of the veteran, the spouse holds the legal or beneficial title to the homestead and permanently resides there;

(3) the veteran met the honorable discharge requirements of paragraph (a); and

(4) the United States Department of Veterans Affairs certifies that:

(i) the veteran met the total (100 percent) and permanent disability requirement under paragraph (b), clause (2); or

(ii) the spouse has been awarded dependency and indemnity compensation.

(l) The purpose of this provision of law providing a level of homestead property tax relief for gravely disabled veterans, their primary family caregivers, and their surviving spouses is to help ease the burdens of war for those among our state's citizens who bear those burdens most heavily.

(m) By July 1, the county veterans service officer must certify the disability rating and permanent address of each veteran receiving the benefit under paragraph (b) to the assessor.

EFFECTIVE DATE. This section is effective beginning with taxes payable in 2019."

Correct the title numbers accordingly

With the recommendation that when so amended the bill be re-referred to the Committee on Taxes.

The report was adopted.

Runbeck from the Committee on Transportation and Regional Governance Policy to which was referred:

H. F. No. 1126, A bill for an act relating to transportation; governing driver's licenses; modifying requirements for the restricted farm work license; amending Minnesota Statutes 2016, section 171.041.

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill be placed on the General Register.

The report was adopted.

Scott from the Committee on Civil Law and Data Practices Policy to which was referred:

H. F. No. 1507, A bill for an act relating to education; creating the Student Data Privacy Act; providing penalties; amending Minnesota Statutes 2016, section 13.319, by adding a subdivision; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 125B.

Reported the same back with the following amendments:

Delete everything after the enacting clause and insert:

"Section 1. Minnesota Statutes 2016, section 13.32, subdivision 1, is amended to read:

Subdivision 1. **Definitions.** As used in this section:

(a) "Educational data" means data on individuals which relate to a student and are maintained by a public educational agency or institution or by a person acting for or contracting with the agency or institution which relates to a student, including, but not limited to, a technology provider.

Records of instructional personnel which are in the sole possession of the maker thereof and are not accessible or revealed to any other individual except a substitute teacher, and are destroyed at the end of the school year, shall not be deemed to be government data.

Records of a law enforcement unit of a public educational agency or institution which are maintained apart from education data and are maintained solely for law enforcement purposes, and are not disclosed to individuals other than law enforcement officials of the jurisdiction are not educational data; provided, that education records

maintained by the educational agency or institution are not disclosed to the personnel of the law enforcement unit. The University of Minnesota police department is a law enforcement agency for purposes of section 13.82 and other sections of Minnesota Statutes dealing with law enforcement records. Records of organizations providing security services to a public educational agency or institution must be administered consistent with section 13.861.

Records relating to a student who is employed by a public educational agency or institution which are made and maintained in the normal course of business, relate exclusively to the individual in that individual's capacity as an employee, and are not available for use for any other purpose are classified pursuant to section 13.43.

(b) "Juvenile justice system" includes criminal justice agencies and the judiciary when involved in juvenile justice activities.

(c) "Parent" means a parent, guardian, or other person having legal custody of a child under age 18.

(d) "School-issued device" means a technological device that a public educational agency or institution, acting independently or with a technology provider, provides to an individual student for that student's dedicated personal use. A school-issued device includes a device issued through a one-to-one program.

~~(e)~~ (e) "Student" means an individual currently or formerly enrolled or registered, applicants for enrollment or registration at a public educational agency or institution, or individuals who receive shared time educational services from a public agency or institution.

~~(d)~~ (f) "Substitute teacher" means an individual who performs on a temporary basis the duties of the individual who made the record, but does not include an individual who permanently succeeds to the position of the maker of the record.

(g) "Technology provider" means a person who:

(1) contracts with a public educational agency or institution, as part of a one-to-one program or otherwise, to provide technological devices for student use or to provide access to a software or online application; and

(2) creates, receives, or maintains educational data pursuant or incidental to a contract with a public educational agency or institution.

EFFECTIVE DATE. This section is effective January 1, 2019.

Sec. 2. Minnesota Statutes 2016, section 13.32, is amended by adding a subdivision to read:

Subd. 13. Audit trail required for electronic student records systems. (a) A public educational agency or institution must establish written procedures to ensure appropriate security safeguards for educational data stored on an electronic database. These procedures must require that:

(1) a person may access the educational data only if authorized;

(2) a person may be authorized to access educational data only if access is necessary to fulfill official duties; and

(3) all actions in which educational data are entered, updated, accessed, shared, or disseminated, are recorded in a log-of-use that includes the identity of the person interacting with the data.

(b) The written procedures required by paragraph (a) are public data unless classified as not public under any other applicable law.

EFFECTIVE DATE. This section is effective January 1, 2019.

Sec. 3. Minnesota Statutes 2016, section 13.32, is amended by adding a subdivision to read:

Subd. 14. **Training required.** A public educational agency or institution must provide at least annual training for administrative staff, IT directors, teachers, and any other individual with access to educational data to ensure understanding of and compliance with applicable provisions of this section, section 121A.065, and the Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act, United States Code, title 20, section 1232g, and its regulations as provided by Code of Federal Regulations, title 34, part 99.

EFFECTIVE DATE. This section is effective January 1, 2019.

Sec. 4. Minnesota Statutes 2016, section 13.32, is amended by adding a subdivision to read:

Subd. 15. **Technology providers.** (a) A technology provider is subject to the provisions of section 13.05, subdivision 11.

(b) All educational data created, received, or maintained by a technology provider pursuant or incidental to a contract with a public educational agency or institution are not the technology provider's property.

(c) If educational data maintained by the technology provider are subject to a breach of the security of the data, as defined in section 13.055, the technology provider must, following discovery of the breach, disclose to the public educational agency or institution all information necessary to fulfill the requirements of section 13.055.

(d) Unless renewal of the contract is reasonably anticipated, within 30 days of the expiration of the contract, a technology provider must destroy or return to the appropriate public educational agency or institution all educational data created, received, or maintained pursuant or incidental to the contract.

(e) A technology provider must not sell, share, or disseminate educational data, except as provided by this section or as part of a valid delegation or assignment of its contract with a public educational agency or institution. An assignee or delegee that creates, receives, or maintains educational data is subject to the same restrictions and obligations under this section as the technology provider.

(f) A technology provider must not use educational data for any commercial purpose, including, but not limited to, marketing or advertising to a student or parent.

(g) A technology provider must establish written procedures to ensure appropriate security safeguards for educational data. These procedures must require that:

(1) the technology provider's employees or contractors have access to educational data only if authorized;

(2) the technology provider's employees or contractors may be authorized to access educational data only if access is necessary to fulfill the official duties of the employee or contractor; and

(3) all actions in which educational data are entered, updated, accessed, shared, or disseminated, are recorded in a log-of-use that includes the identity of the employee or contractor interacting with the data.

These written procedures are public data unless classified as not public under any other applicable law.

(h) A public educational agency or institution must annually give parents and students direct, timely notice, by United States mail, e-mail, or other direct form of communication, of any technology provider contract affecting a student's educational data. The notice must:

- (1) identify each technology provider with access to educational data;
- (2) identify the educational data affected by the technology provider contract; and
- (3) include information about the contract inspection and opt-out rights provided in paragraph (i).
- (i) A public educational agency or institution must provide parents and students an opportunity to:

- (1) inspect a complete copy of any contract with a technology provider; and
- (2) opt-out of any program or activity that allows a technology provider to access a student's educational data.

(j) A public educational agency or institution must not penalize or withhold an educational benefit from a parent or student who signs an opt-out under paragraph (i). An opt-out agreement under paragraph (i) must be renewed at least annually.

EFFECTIVE DATE. This section is effective January 1, 2019.

Sec. 5. Minnesota Statutes 2016, section 13.32, is amended by adding a subdivision to read:

Subd. 16. School-issued devices. (a) Except as provided in paragraph (b), a government entity or technology provider must not access or monitor:

- (1) any location-tracking feature of a school-issued device;
- (2) any audio or visual receiving, transmitting, or recording feature of a school-issued device; or
- (3) student interactions with a school-issued device, including, but not limited to, keystrokes and Web browsing activity.

(b) A government entity or technology provider may only engage in activities prohibited by paragraph (a) if:

(1) the student to whom the school-issued device was issued initiates and agrees to the activity, and the activity is limited to a noncommercial educational purpose;

(2) the activity is permitted under a judicial warrant;

(3) the student to whom the school-issued device was provided or that student's parent notifies the public educational agency or institution or law enforcement agency that the device is missing or stolen; or

(4) the activity is necessary to respond to an imminent threat to life or safety and the access is limited to that purpose.

(c) If a government entity or technology provider interacts with a school-issued device as provided in paragraph (b), clause (4), it must, within 72 hours of the access, notify the student to whom the device was provided or that student's parent and provide a written description of the interaction, including which features of the device were accessed and a description of the threat. This notice is not required if the notice itself would pose an imminent threat to life or safety.

EFFECTIVE DATE. This section is effective January 1, 2019.

Sec. 6. Minnesota Statutes 2016, section 13.32, is amended by adding a subdivision to read:

Subd. 17. **Application to nonpublic schools; exemption.** (a) Notwithstanding any law to the contrary, an accredited nonpublic school recognized by the Minnesota Council on Nonpublic Education under section 123B.445, excluding home schools, must comply with subdivisions 14 to 16 as if it were a public educational agency or institution.

(b) A technology provider contracting with an accredited nonpublic school recognized by the Minnesota Council on Nonpublic Education under section 123B.445, excluding home schools, must comply with subdivisions 14 to 16 as if that school were a public educational agency or institution.

(c) Postsecondary institutions and technology providers contracting with postsecondary institutions are exempt from subdivisions 14 to 16.

EFFECTIVE DATE. This section is effective January 1, 2019."

Delete the title and insert:

"A bill for an act relating to education; creating the Student Data Privacy Act; providing penalties; amending Minnesota Statutes 2016, section 13.32, subdivision 1, by adding subdivisions."

With the recommendation that when so amended the bill be re-referred to the Committee on Education Innovation Policy.

The report was adopted.

Runbeck from the Committee on Transportation and Regional Governance Policy to which was referred:

H. F. No. 1589, A bill for an act relating to transportation; clarifying window glazing exceptions for limousines; amending Minnesota Statutes 2016, section 169.71, subdivision 4.

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill be placed on the General Register.

The report was adopted.

Scott from the Committee on Civil Law and Data Practices Policy to which was referred:

H. F. No. 1609, A bill for an act relating to notaries public; enacting the Revised Uniform Law on Notarial Acts, as amended, approved by the National Conference of Commissioners on Uniform State Laws; amending Minnesota Statutes 2016, sections 5.15; 325K.23, subdivision 1; 358.116; 358.50; 359.01, subdivision 5; 507.24, subdivision 2; 508.48; 508A.48; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 358; repealing Minnesota Statutes 2016, sections 358.41; 358.42; 358.43; 358.44; 358.45; 358.46; 358.47; 358.48; 358.49.

Reported the same back with the following amendments:

Delete everything after the enacting clause and insert:

"ARTICLE 1
REVISED UNIFORM LAW ON NOTARIAL ACTS

Section 1. **[358.51] SHORT TITLE.**

Sections 358.51 to 358.76 may be cited as the "Revised Uniform Law on Notarial Acts."

Sec. 2. **[358.52] DEFINITIONS.**

Subdivision 1. **Scope.** For purposes of sections 358.51 to 358.76, the terms defined in subdivisions 2 to 16 have the meanings given them.

Subd. 2. **Acknowledgment.** "Acknowledgment" means a declaration by an individual before a notarial officer that the individual has signed a record for the purpose stated in the record and, if the record is signed in a representative capacity, that the individual signed the record with proper authority and signed it as the act of the individual or entity identified in the record.

Subd. 3. **Electronic.** "Electronic" means relating to technology having electrical, digital, magnetic, wireless, optical, electromagnetic, or similar capabilities.

Subd. 4. **Electronic signature.** "Electronic signature" means an electronic symbol, sound, or process attached to or logically associated with a record and executed or adopted by an individual with the intent to sign the record.

Subd. 5. **In a representative capacity.** "In a representative capacity" means acting as:

(1) an authorized officer, agent, partner, trustee, or other representative for a person other than an individual;

(2) a public officer, personal representative, guardian, or other representative, in the capacity stated in a record;

(3) an agent or attorney-in-fact for a principal; or

(4) an authorized representative of another in any other capacity.

Subd. 6. **Notarial act.** "Notarial act" means an act, whether performed with respect to a tangible or electronic record, that a notarial officer may perform under the law of this state. The term includes taking an acknowledgment, administering an oath or affirmation, taking a verification on oath or affirmation, witnessing or attesting a signature, certifying or attesting a copy, and noting a protest of a negotiable instrument.

Subd. 7. **Notarial officer.** "Notarial officer" means a notary public or other individual authorized to perform a notarial act.

Subd. 8. **Notary public.** "Notary public" means an individual commissioned to perform a notarial act.

Subd. 9. **Official stamp.** "Official stamp" means a physical image affixed to a tangible record or an electronic image attached to or logically associated with an electronic record.

Subd. 10. **Person.** "Person" means an individual, corporation, business trust, statutory trust, estate, trust, partnership, limited liability company, association, joint venture, public corporation, government or governmental subdivision, agency, or instrumentality, or any other legal or commercial entity.

Subd. 11. **Record.** "Record" means information that is inscribed on a tangible medium or that is stored in an electronic or other medium and is retrievable in perceivable form.

Subd. 12. **Sign.** "Sign" means, with present intent to authenticate or adopt a record:

(1) to execute or adopt a tangible symbol; or

(2) to attach to or logically associate with the record an electronic symbol, sound, or process.

Subd. 13. **Signature.** "Signature" means a tangible symbol or an electronic signature that evidences the signing of a record.

Subd. 14. **Stamping device.** "Stamping device" means:

(1) a physical device capable of affixing to a tangible record an official stamp; or

(2) an electronic device or process capable of attaching to or logically associating with an electronic record an official stamp.

Subd. 15. **State.** "State" means a state of the United States, the District of Columbia, Puerto Rico, the United States Virgin Islands, or any territory or insular possession subject to the jurisdiction of the United States.

Subd. 16. **Verification on oath or affirmation.** "Verification on oath or affirmation" means a declaration, made by an individual on oath or affirmation before a notarial officer, that a statement in a record is true.

Sec. 3. **[358.53] APPLICABILITY.**

Sections 358.51 to 358.76 apply to a notarial act performed on or after January 1, 2019.

Sec. 4. **[358.54] AUTHORITY TO PERFORM NOTARIAL ACT.**

Subdivision 1. **Source.** A notarial officer may perform a notarial act authorized by sections 358.51 to 358.76, 359.04, and other law.

Subd. 2. **Limitation.** A notarial officer may not perform a notarial act with respect to a record to which the officer or the officer's spouse is a party, or in which either of them has a direct beneficial interest. A notarial act performed in violation of this subdivision is voidable.

Sec. 5. **[358.55] REQUIREMENTS FOR CERTAIN NOTARIAL ACTS.**

Subdivision 1. **Acknowledgments.** A notarial officer who takes an acknowledgment of a record shall determine, from personal knowledge or satisfactory evidence of the identity of the individual, that the individual appearing before the officer and making the acknowledgment has the identity claimed and that the signature on the record is the signature of the individual.

Subd. 2. **Verifications.** A notarial officer who takes a verification of a statement on oath or affirmation shall determine, from personal knowledge or satisfactory evidence of the identity of the individual, that the individual appearing before the officer and making the verification has the identity claimed and that the signature on the statement verified is the signature of the individual.

Subd. 3. **Signatures.** A notarial officer who witnesses or attests to a signature shall determine, from personal knowledge or satisfactory evidence of the identity of the individual, that the individual appearing before the officer and signing the record has the identity claimed.

Subd. 4. **Copies.** A notarial officer who certifies or attests a copy of a record or an item that was copied shall determine that the copy is a full, true, and accurate transcription or reproduction of the record or item.

Subd. 5. **Protests.** A notarial officer who makes or notes a protest of a negotiable instrument shall determine the matters set forth in section 336.3-505, paragraph (b).

Sec. 6. [358.56] PERSONAL APPEARANCE REQUIRED.

If a notarial act relates to a statement made in or a signature executed on a record, the individual making the statement or executing the signature shall appear personally before the notarial officer.

Sec. 7. [358.57] IDENTIFICATION OF INDIVIDUAL.

Subdivision 1. **Personal knowledge.** A notarial officer has personal knowledge of the identity of an individual appearing before the officer if the individual is personally known to the officer through dealings sufficient to provide reasonable certainty that the individual has the identity claimed.

Subd. 2. **Identification.** A notarial officer has satisfactory evidence of the identity of an individual appearing before the officer if the officer can identify the individual:

(1) by means of:

(i) a passport, driver's license, or government-issued nondriver identification card that is currently valid; or

(ii) another form of government identification issued to an individual that is current or expired not more than three years before performance of the notarial act, contains the individual's signature or a photograph of the individual, and is satisfactory to the officer; or

(2) by a verification on oath or affirmation of a credible witness personally appearing before the officer and known to the officer or whom the officer can identify on the basis of a passport, driver's license, or government-issued nondriver identification card that is current or expired not more than three years before performance of the notarial act.

Subd. 3. **Additional information or credentials.** A notarial officer may require an individual to provide additional information or identification credentials necessary to assure the officer of the identity of the individual.

Sec. 8. [358.58] AUTHORITY TO REFUSE TO PERFORM NOTARIAL ACT.

Subdivision 1. **Specific grounds.** A notarial officer may refuse to perform a notarial act if the officer is not satisfied that:

(1) the individual executing the record is competent or has the capacity to execute the record; or

(2) the individual's signature is knowingly and voluntarily made.

Subd. 2. **General limitation.** A notarial officer may refuse to perform a notarial act unless refusal is prohibited by law other than sections 358.51 to 358.76.

Sec. 9. **[358.59] SIGNATURE IF INDIVIDUAL UNABLE TO SIGN.**

If an individual is physically unable to sign a record, the individual's signature may be obtained in the manner provided in section 645.44, subdivision 14.

Sec. 10. **[358.60] NOTARIAL ACT IN THIS STATE.**

Subdivision 1. **Authorized persons.** A notarial act may be performed in this state by:

(1) a notary public of this state;

(2) a judge, clerk, or deputy clerk of a court of this state;

(3) an individual licensed to practice law in this state; or

(4) any other individual authorized to perform the specific act by the law of this state.

Subd. 2. **Significance of signature and title.** The signature and title of an individual performing a notarial act in this state are prima facie evidence that the signature is genuine and that the individual holds the designated title.

Subd. 3. **Authority of officer established.** The signature and title of a notarial officer described in subdivision 1, clause (1), (2), or (3), conclusively establish the authority of the officer to perform the notarial act.

Sec. 11. **[358.61] NOTARIAL ACT IN ANOTHER STATE.**

Subdivision 1. **Effect.** A notarial act performed in another state has the same effect under the law of this state as if performed by a notarial officer of this state, if the act performed in that state is performed by:

(1) a notary public of that state;

(2) a judge, clerk, or deputy clerk of a court of that state; or

(3) any other individual authorized by the law of that state to perform the notarial act.

Subd. 2. **Significance of signature and title.** The signature and title of an individual performing a notarial act in another state are prima facie evidence that the signature is genuine and that the individual holds the designated title.

Subd. 3. **Authority of officer established.** The signature and title of a notarial officer described in subdivision 1, clause (1) or (2), conclusively establish the authority of the officer to perform the notarial act.

Sec. 12. **[358.62] NOTARIAL ACT UNDER AUTHORITY OF FEDERALLY RECOGNIZED TRIBE.**

Subdivision 1. **Effect.** A notarial act performed under the authority and in the jurisdiction of a federally recognized tribe has the same effect as if performed by a notarial officer of this state, if the act performed in the jurisdiction of that tribe or nation is performed by:

(1) a notary public of that tribe;

(2) a judge, clerk, or deputy clerk of a court of that tribe; or

(3) any other individual authorized by the law of that tribe to perform the notarial act.

Subd. 2. **Significance of signature and title.** The signature and title of an individual performing a notarial act under the authority of and in the jurisdiction of a federally recognized tribe are prima facie evidence that the signature is genuine and that the individual holds the designated title.

Subd. 3. **Authority of officer established.** The signature and title of a notarial officer described in subdivision 1, clause (1) or (2), conclusively establish the authority of the officer to perform the notarial act.

Sec. 13. **[358.63] NOTARIAL ACT UNDER FEDERAL AUTHORITY.**

Subdivision 1. **Effect.** A notarial act performed under federal law has the same effect under the law of this state as if performed by a notarial officer of this state, if the act performed under federal law is performed by:

(1) a judge, clerk, or deputy clerk of a court;

(2) an individual in military service or performing duties under the authority of military service who is authorized to perform notarial acts under federal law;

(3) an individual designated a notarizing officer by the United States Department of State for performing notarial acts overseas; or

(4) any other individual authorized by federal law to perform the notarial act.

Subd. 2. **Significance of signature and title.** The signature and title of an individual acting under federal authority and performing a notarial act are prima facie evidence that the signature is genuine and that the individual holds the designated title.

Subd. 3. **Authority of officer established.** The signature and title of an officer described in subdivision 1, clause (1), (2), or (3), conclusively establish the authority of the officer to perform the notarial act.

Sec. 14. **[358.64] FOREIGN NOTARIAL ACT.**

Subdivision 1. **Definition.** In this section, "foreign state" means a government other than the United States, a state, or a federally recognized tribe.

Subd. 2. **Effect.** If a notarial act is performed under authority and in the jurisdiction of a foreign state or constituent unit of the foreign state or is performed under the authority of a multinational or international governmental organization, the act has the same effect under the law of this state as if performed by a notarial officer of this state.

Subd. 3. **Authority of officer established.** If the title of office and indication of authority to perform notarial acts in a foreign state appears in a digest of foreign law or in a list customarily used as a source for that information, the authority of an officer with that title to perform notarial acts is conclusively established.

Subd. 4. **Significance of signature and official stamp.** The signature and official stamp of an individual holding an office described in subdivision 3 are prima facie evidence that the signature is genuine and the individual holds the designated title.

Subd. 5. **Significance of apostille.** An apostille in the form prescribed by the Hague Convention of October 5, 1961, and issued by a foreign state party to the Convention conclusively establishes that the signature of the notarial officer is genuine and that the officer holds the indicated office.

Subd. 6. **Significance of consular authentication.** A consular authentication issued by an individual designated by the United States Department of State as a notarizing officer for performing notarial acts overseas and attached to the record with respect to which the notarial act is performed conclusively establishes that the signature of the notarial officer is genuine and that the officer holds the indicated office.

Sec. 15. **[358.645] REMOTE ONLINE NOTARY PUBLIC.**

Subdivision 1. **Definitions.** (a) For purposes of this section, the terms defined in this subdivision have the meanings given them.

(b) "Appear," "personally appear," or "in the presence of" means:

(1) being in the same physical location as another person and close enough to see, hear, communicate with, and exchange tangible identification credentials with that individual; or

(2) interacting with another individual by means of communication technology as defined in this section.

(c) "Communication technology" means an electronic device or process that allows a notary public physically located in this state and a remotely located individual to communicate with each other simultaneously by sight and sound and that, as necessary, makes reasonable accommodation for individuals with vision, hearing, or speech impairments.

(d) "Credential analysis" means an automated software- or hardware-based process or service through which a third person affirms the validity of a government-issued identification credential through review of public or proprietary data sources.

(e) "Electronic journal" means a secure electronic record of notarial acts that contains the items listed in and required by subdivision 4, paragraph (a), and performed by the remote online notary public.

(f) "Electronic record" means information that is created, generated, sent, communicated, received, or stored by electronic means.

(g) "Electronic seal" means information within a notarized electronic record that confirms the remote online notary public's name, jurisdiction, identifying number, and commission expiration date and generally corresponds to information in notary seals used on paper documents.

(h) "Identity proofing" means a process or service through which a third person affirms the identity of an individual through review of personal information from public or proprietary data sources, and that may include dynamic knowledge-based authentication or biometric verification.

(i) "Outside the United States" means outside the geographic boundaries of a state or commonwealth of the United States, the District of Columbia, Puerto Rico, the United States Virgin Islands, and any territory or insular possession subject to the jurisdiction of the United States.

(j) "Principal" means an individual:

(1) whose electronic signature is notarized in a remote online notarization; or

(2) making an oath or affirmation or an acknowledgment other than in the capacity of a witness for the remote online notarization.

(k) "Remote online notarial certificate" is the form of an acknowledgment, jurat, verification on oath or affirmation, or verification of witness or attestation that is completed by a remote online notary public and:

(1) contains the online notary public's electronic signature, electronic seal, title, commission number, and commission expiration date;

(2) contains other required information concerning the date and place of the remote online notarization;

(3) otherwise conforms to the requirements for an acknowledgment, jurat, verification on oath or affirmation, or verification of witness or attestation under the laws of this state; and

(4) indicates that the person making the acknowledgment, oath, or affirmation appeared remotely online.

(l) "Remote online notarization" or "remote online notarial act" means a notarial act performed by means of communication technology as defined in this section.

(m) "Remote online notary public" means a notary public who has registered with the secretary of state to perform remote online notarizations.

(n) "Remote presentation" means transmission to the remote online notary public through communication technology of an image of a government-issued identification credential that is of sufficient quality to enable the remote online notary public to:

(1) identify the individual seeking the remote online notary public's services; and

(2) perform credential analysis.

(o) "Remotely located individual" means an individual who is not in the physical presence of the notary.

Subd. 2. Qualifications; registration required. (a) A remote online notary public:

(1) is a notary public for purposes of chapter 359 and is subject to and must be appointed and commissioned under that chapter;

(2) may perform notarial acts as provided by this chapter and chapter 359 in addition to performing remote online notarizations; and

(3) may perform remote online notarizations authorized under this section.

(b) A notary public commissioned in this state may apply for remote online notarization registration according to this section. Before a notary performs a remote online notarization, the notary must register with the secretary of state according to section 359.01, subdivision 5, and must certify that the notary intends to use communication technology that conforms to this section.

(c) Unless terminated under this section, the term of registration to perform remote online notarial acts begins on the registration starting date set by the secretary of state and continues as long as the notary public's current commission to perform notarial acts remains valid.

(d) Upon the applicant's fulfillment of the requirements for remote online notarization registration under this section, the secretary of state shall record the registration under the applicant's notary public commission number.

(e) The secretary of state may reject a registration application if the applicant fails to comply with paragraphs (a) to (d). The commissioner of commerce may revoke a registration if the applicant fails to comply with subdivisions 2 to 6.

Subd. 3. **Authority to perform remote online notarial acts.** (a) A remote online notary public may perform a remote online notarial act authorized under this section only while the remote online notary public is physically located in this state. A remote online notary public physically located in this state may perform a remote online notarial act using communication technology as defined in this section for a remotely located individual who is physically located:

(1) in this state;

(2) outside this state, but within the United States; or

(3) outside the United States if:

(i) the remote online notary public has no actual knowledge of the remote online notarial act being prohibited in the jurisdiction in which the person is physically located; and

(ii) the person placing an electronic signature on the electronic document confirms to the remote online notary public that the requested remote online notarial act and the electronic document:

(A) are part of or pertain to a matter that is to be filed with or is currently before a court, governmental entity, or other entity in the United States;

(B) relate to property located in the United States.

(C) relate to a transaction substantially connected to the United States.

(b) The validity of a remote online notarization performed by an online notary public of this state according to this chapter shall be governed by the laws of this state.

(c) A remote online notary public or the remote online notary public's employer may charge a fee not to exceed \$25 for the performance of a remote online notarial act.

Subd. 4. **Electronic journal of remote online notarizations.** (a) A remote online notary public shall keep one or more secure electronic journals of notarial acts performed by the remote online notary public. An electronic journal must contain for each remote online notarization:

(1) the date and time of the notarization;

(2) the type of notarial act;

(3) the type, the title, or a description of the electronic document or proceeding;

(4) the printed name and address of each principal involved in the transaction or proceeding;

(5) evidence of identity of each principal involved in the transaction or proceeding in the form of:

(i) a statement that the person is personally known to the remote online notary public;

(ii) a notation of the type of identification document provided to the remote online notary public; or

(iii) the following:

(A) the printed name and address of each credible witness swearing to or affirming the person's identity; and

(B) for each credible witness not personally known to the remote online notary public, a description of the type of identification documents provided to the remote online notary public; and

(6) the fee, if any, charged for the notarization.

(b) The remote online notary public shall create an audio and video copy of the performance of the notarial act.

(c) The remote online notary public shall take reasonable steps to:

(1) ensure the integrity, security, and authenticity of remote online notarizations;

(2) maintain a backup for the electronic journal required by paragraph (a) and the recordings required by paragraph (b); and

(3) protect the records and backup record in this subdivision from unauthorized access or use.

(d) The electronic journal required by paragraph (a) and the recordings required by paragraph (b) shall be maintained for at least ten years after the date of the transaction or proceeding. The remote online notary public may, by written agreement, designate as a repository of the recording and the electronic journal:

(1) the employer of the remote online notary public if evidenced by a record signed by the remote online notary public and the employer in which the employer agrees to meet the applicable requirements of this paragraph and paragraph (c); or

(2) another repository meeting the applicable requirements of this paragraph and paragraph (c).

(e) A remote online notarial act performed under this section shall comply with the following minimum standards:

(1) Identity proofing shall include knowledge-based authentication with these or greater security characteristics:

(i) The signer must be presented with five or more questions with a minimum of five possible answer choices per question.

(ii) Each question must be drawn from a third-party provider of public and proprietary data sources and be identifiable to the signer's social security number or other identification information, or the signer's identity and historical events records.

(iii) Responses to all questions must be made within a two-minute time constraint.

(iv) The signer must answer a minimum of 80 percent of the questions correctly.

(v) The signer may be offered an additional attempt in the event of a failed first attempt.

(vi) During the second attempt, the signer may not be presented with more than three questions from the prior attempt.

(2) Credential analysis must confirm that the credential is valid and matches the signer's claimed identity using one or more automated software or hardware processes that scan the credential, including its format features, data, bar codes, or other security elements.

Subd. 5. Use of electronic journal and seal. (a) A remote online notary public shall keep the remote online notary public's electronic journal and electronic seal secure and under the remote online notary public's exclusive control, which may be done by password-controlled access. The remote online notary public may, by agreement, use a software platform or service provider to facilitate provision of remote online notarizations and maintenance of and access to records, but may not allow another person to use the remote online notary public's electronic journal or electronic seal to perform notarial acts or for any unauthorized purpose.

(b) A remote online notary public shall attach the remote online notary public's electronic signature and seal to the electronic notarial certificate of an electronic document in a manner that is capable of independent verification and renders any subsequent change or modification to the electronic document evident.

(c) A remote online notary public shall immediately notify an appropriate law enforcement agency and the commissioner of commerce of the theft or vandalism of the remote online notary public's electronic journal, electronic signature, or electronic seal. A remote online notary public shall immediately notify the commissioner of commerce of the loss or use by another person of the remote online notary public's electronic journal or electronic seal.

Subd. 6. Remote online notarization procedures. (a) A remote online notary public may perform a remote online notarization authorized under this section that meets the requirements of this section regardless of whether the principal is physically located in this state at the time of the remote online notarization.

(b) In performing a remote online notarization, a remote online notary public shall verify the identity of a person creating an electronic signature at the time that the signature is taken by using communication technology as defined by this section. Identity may be verified by:

(1) the remote online notary public's personal knowledge of the person creating the electronic signature; or

(2) all of the following:

(i) remote presentation by the person creating the electronic signature of a government-issued identification credential, including a passport or driver's license, that contains the signature and a photograph of the person;

(ii) credential analysis of the credential described in item (i); and

(iii) identity proofing of the person described in item (i).

(c) The remote online notary public shall take reasonable steps to ensure that the communication technology used in a remote online notarization is secure from unauthorized interception.

(d) The electronic notarial certificate for a remote online notarization must include a notation that the notarization is a remote online notarization.

(e) A remote online notarial act meeting the requirements of this section satisfies the requirement of any law of this state relating to a notarial act that requires a principal to appear or personally appear before a notary or that the notarial act be performed in the presence of a notary.

Subd. 7. **Termination of remote online notary public's registration.** (a) Except as provided by paragraph (b), a remote online notary public whose registration terminates shall destroy the coding, disk, certificate, card, software, or password that enables electronic affixation of the online notary public's official electronic signature or seal. The remote online notary public shall certify compliance with this paragraph to the secretary of state through the secretary of state's online commission record.

(b) A former remote online notary public whose registration terminated for a reason other than revocation or a denial of renewal is not required to destroy the items described in paragraph (a) if the former remote online notary public is reregistered as a remote online notary public with the same electronic signature and seal within three months after the former remote online notary public's registration terminated.

Subd. 8. **Wrongful possession of software or hardware; criminal offense.** A person who, without authorization, knowingly obtains, conceals, damages, or destroys the certificate, disk, coding, card, program, software, or hardware enabling a remote online notary public to affix an official electronic signature or seal commits a gross misdemeanor.

Subd. 9. **Conflict.** In the event of a conflict between this section and any other law in this state, this section shall prevail.

Subd. 10. **Certificate forms.** In completing the certificate required to document the performance of the notarial act, the form shall indicate that the person appeared before the notary by means of communication technology if that was the method of the person's appearance before the notary.

Subd. 11. **Data classification and availability.** (a) The data collected by a notary public in compliance with this section is not subject to chapter 13, the Government Data Practices Act, but the notary public and the notary public's agent must make a copy of the individual's data included in the electronic journal and the audio-video recording available only to the individual whose signature was notarized or to a guardian, conservator, attorney-in-fact, or personal representative of an incapacitated or deceased individual.

(b) The individual whose signature was notarized or the individual's guardian, conservator, attorney-in-fact, or personal representative of an incapacitated or deceased individual may consent to the release of the data to a third party.

Subd. 12. **Course of study.** The secretary of state shall maintain a list of entities that regularly offer a course of study to applicants who are not currently registered or who have not previously been registered as a remote online notary public in this state. The course must cover the laws, rules, procedures, and ethics relevant to notarial acts performed under this section.

Subd. 13. **Citation.** This section may be cited as the "Remote Online Notarization Act."

Sec. 16. [358.646] RECORDING ELECTRONIC DOCUMENTS IN TANGIBLE FORM.

(a) If a law requires as a condition for recording that a document be an original, be on paper or another tangible medium, be in writing, or be signed, the requirement is satisfied by a paper copy of an electronic document bearing an electronic signature that a notary public has certified to be a true and correct copy of a document that was originally in electronic form and bearing an electronic signature pursuant to paragraph (c).

(b) A requirement that a document or a signature associated with a document be notarized, acknowledged, verified, witnessed, or made under oath is satisfied by a paper copy of an electronic document bearing an electronic signature of the person authorized to perform that act, and all other information required to be included, that a notary public has certified to be a true and correct copy of a document that was originally in electronic form and bearing an electronic signature of the person pursuant to paragraph (c). A physical or electronic image of a stamp, impression, or seal need not accompany an electronic signature.

(c) A clerk or recorder shall record a paper copy of a document that was originally in electronic form and that is otherwise entitled to be recorded under the laws of this state, provided that the paper copy has been certified to be a true and correct copy of the electronic original by a notary public duly commissioned under the laws of this state as evidenced by a certificate attached to or made a part of the document. The certificate must:

- (1) be signed and dated by the notary public, and be signed in the same manner as required by section 359.061.
- (2) identify the jurisdiction in which the certification is performed;
- (3) contain the title of the notary public;
- (4) indicate the date of expiration, if any, of the notary public's commission; and
- (5) include an official seal or stamp of the notary public affixed to the certificate.

(d) The following form of certificate is sufficient for the purposes of this section if completed with the information required by paragraph (c):

State of
[County] of

I certify that the foregoing and annexed document [entitled (document title, if applicable)] [dated (document date, if applicable)] and containing pages is a true and correct copy of an electronic document bearing one or more electronic signatures this [date].

.....
Signature of notary public
Seal/Stamp
[.....]
Notary Public
[My commission expires:]
[My notary commission number is:]

(e) A notary public duly commissioned under the laws of this state has the authority to make the certification provided in this section.

(f) A notary public making the certification provided in this section shall:

- (1) confirm that the electronic document contains an electronic signature that is capable of independent verification and renders any subsequent changes or modifications to the electronic document evident;
- (2) personally print or supervise the printing of the electronic document onto paper; and

(3) not make any changes or modifications to the electronic document other than the certification described in paragraph (c).

(g) If a certificate is completed with the information required by paragraph (c) and is attached to or made a part of a paper document, the certificate shall be conclusive evidence that the requirements of paragraph (f) have been satisfied with respect to the document.

(h) A document purporting to convey or encumber real property or any interest in the property that has been recorded by a clerk or recorder for the jurisdiction in which the real property is located, although the document may not have been certified according to this section, shall give the same notice to third persons and be effective from the time of recording as if the document had been certified according to this section.

(i) This section does not apply to a plat, map, or survey of real property if under another law of this state or, if under a rule, regulation, or ordinance applicable to a clerk or recorder:

(1) there are requirements of format or medium for the execution, creation, or recording of the plat, map, or survey beyond the requirements applicable to a deed to real property; or

(2) the plat, map, or survey must be recorded in a different location than a deed to real property.

Sec. 17. **[358.65] CERTIFICATE OF NOTARIAL ACT.**

Subdivision 1. **Required.** A notarial act must be evidenced by a certificate. The certificate must:

(1) be executed contemporaneously with the performance of the notarial act;

(2) be signed and dated by the notarial officer and, if the notarial officer is a notary public, be signed in the same manner as on file with the commissioning officer or agency;

(3) identify the jurisdiction in which the notarial act is performed;

(4) contain the title of office of the notarial officer; and

(5) if the officer is a notary public, indicate the date of expiration, if any, of the officer's commission.

Subd. 2. **Official stamp.** If a notarial act regarding a tangible record is performed by a notary public, an official stamp must be affixed to the certificate. If a notarial act is performed regarding a tangible record by a notarial officer other than a notary public and the certificate contains the information specified in subdivision 1, clauses (2), (3), and (4), an official stamp may be affixed to or embossed on the certificate. If the notarial act regarding an electronic record is performed by a notarial officer and the certificate contains the information specified in subdivision 1, clauses (2), (3), and (4), an official stamp may be attached to or logically associated with the certificate.

Subd. 3. **Sufficiency.** A certificate of a notarial act is sufficient if it meets the requirements of subdivisions 1 and 2 and:

(1) is in a short form set forth in section 358.66;

(2) is in a form otherwise permitted by the law of this state;

(3) is in a form permitted by the law applicable in the jurisdiction in which the notarial act was performed; or

(4) sets forth the actions of the notarial officer and the actions are sufficient to meet the requirements of the notarial act as provided in sections 358.55, 358.56, and 358.57 or law of this state other than sections 358.51 to 358.76.

Subd. 4. **Effect.** By executing a certificate of a notarial act, a notarial officer certifies that the officer has complied with the requirements and made the determinations specified in sections 358.54, 358.55, and 358.56.

Subd. 5. **When signature is affixed.** A notarial officer may not affix the officer's signature to, or logically associate it with, a certificate until the notarial act has been performed.

Subd. 6. **Records.** If a notarial act is performed regarding a tangible record, a certificate must be part of, or securely attached to, the record. If a notarial act is performed regarding an electronic record, the certificate must be affixed to, or logically associated with, the electronic record. If the commissioning officer or agency has established standards pursuant to section 358.73 for attaching, affixing, or logically associating the certificate, the process must conform to the standards.

Sec. 18. **[358.66] SHORT FORM CERTIFICATES.**

The following short form certificates of notarial acts are sufficient for the purposes indicated, if completed with the information required by section 358.65, subdivisions 1 and 2:

(1) For an acknowledgment in an individual capacity:

State of
County of

This instrument was acknowledged before me on (date) by (name(s) of individual(s)).

(Stamp)

.....
(Signature of notarial officer)
.....
Title (and Rank)
My commission expires:

(2) For an acknowledgment in a representative capacity:

State of
County of

This instrument was acknowledged before me on (date) by (name(s) of individual(s)) as (type of authority, e.g., officer, trustee, etc.) of (name of party on behalf of whom the instrument was executed).

(Stamp)

.....
(Signature of notarial officer)
.....
Title (and Rank)
My commission expires:

(3) For a verification upon oath or affirmation:

State of

County of

Signed and sworn to (or affirmed) before me on (date) by (name(s) of individual(s) making statement).

(Stamp)

.....
(Signature of notarial officer)

.....
Title (and Rank)

My commission expires:

(4) For witnessing or attesting a signature:

State of

County of

Signed or attested before me on (date) by (name(s) of individual(s)).

(Stamp)

.....
(Signature of notarial officer)

.....
Title (and Rank)

My commission expires:

(5) For attestation of a copy of a document:

State of

County of

I certify that this is a true and correct copy of a document in the possession of

Dated:

(Stamp)

.....
(Signature of notarial officer)

.....
Title (and Rank)

My commission expires:

Sec. 19. **[358.67] OFFICIAL STAMP.**

The official stamp of a notary public must:

(1) satisfy the requirements of section 359.03;

(2) include the notary public's name, jurisdiction, commission expiration date, and other information required by law; and

(3) be capable of being copied together with the record to which it is affixed or attached or with which it is logically associated.

Sec. 20. **[358.68] STAMPING DEVICE SECURITY.**

A notary public is responsible for the security of the notary public's stamping device and may not allow another individual to use the device to perform a notarial act.

Sec. 21. **[358.69] PERFORMANCE OF NOTARIAL ACT ON ELECTRONIC RECORD.**

Subdivision 1. Selection of technology. (a) A notary public may select one or more tamper-evident technologies to perform notarial acts with respect to electronic records. A person may not require a notary public to perform a notarial act with respect to an electronic record with a technology that the notary public has not selected.

(b) For purposes of this subdivision, "tamper-evident" means that any changes to an electronic document must display evidence of the change.

Subd. 2. Notification. Before a notary public performs the notary public's initial notarial act with respect to an electronic record, a notary public shall satisfy the requirements of section 359.01, subdivision 5, and shall notify the commissioning officer or agency that the notary public will be performing notarial acts with respect to electronic records.

Sec. 22. **[358.70] GROUNDS TO DENY, REFUSE TO RENEW, REVOKE, SUSPEND, OR CONDITION COMMISSION OF NOTARY PUBLIC.**

Subdivision 1. Generally. The commissioner of commerce has all the powers provided by section 45.027 and may proceed in the manner provided by that section in actions against a notary public for any act or omission that demonstrates an individual lacks the honesty, integrity, competence, or reliability to act as a notary public, including:

(1) failure to comply with sections 358.51 to 358.76;

(2) fraudulent, dishonest, or deceitful misstatement or omission in the application for a commission as a notary public submitted to the commissioning officer or agency;

(3) a conviction of the applicant or notary public of any felony or a crime involving fraud, dishonesty, or deceit;

(4) a finding against, or admission of liability by, the applicant or notary public in any legal proceeding or disciplinary action based on the applicant's or notary public's fraud, dishonesty, or deceit;

(5) failure by the notary public to discharge any duty required of a notarial officer, whether by sections 358.51 to 358.76, rules of the commissioning officer or agency, or any federal or state law;

(6) use of false or misleading advertising or representation by the notary public representing that the notary has a duty, right, or privilege that the notary does not have;

(7) violation by the notary public of a rule of the commissioning officer or agency regarding a notary public;

(8) denial, refusal to renew, revocation, suspension, or conditioning of a notary public commission in another state; or

(9) suspension or revocation of a license for the conduct of a profession, occupation, trade, or business of a notary public who is performing notarial acts in connection with the profession, occupation, trade, or business.

For purposes of this clause, "license" means a permit, registration, certification, or other form of approval authorized by statute or rule issued by the state or a political subdivision of the state as a condition of doing business, or conducting a trade, profession, or occupation in Minnesota.

Subd. 2. **Removal from office.** A notary may be removed from office only by the governor, the district court, or the commissioner of commerce.

Subd. 3. **Notice and hearing.** If the commissioner of commerce denies, refuses to renew, revokes, suspends, or imposes conditions on a commission as a notary public, the applicant or notary public is entitled to timely notice and hearing in accordance with chapter 14.

Subd. 4. **Other remedies.** The authority of the commissioner of commerce to deny, refuse to renew, suspend, revoke, or impose conditions on a commission as a notary public does not prevent a person from seeking and obtaining other criminal or civil remedies provided by law.

Subd. 5. **Surrender of stamp.** Notwithstanding section 359.03, subdivision 1, upon removal from office by the commissioner of commerce, a notary public shall deliver the notary's official stamp to the commissioner of commerce.

Sec. 23. **[358.71] DATABASE OF NOTARIES PUBLIC.**

The secretary of state shall maintain an electronic database of notaries public:

(1) through which a person may verify the authority of a notary public to perform notarial acts, including notarial acts pursuant to section 358.645; and

(2) which indicates whether a notary public has applied to the commissioning officer or agency to perform notarial acts on electronic records or to perform notarial acts pursuant to section 358.645.

Sec. 24. **[358.72] PROHIBITED ACTS.**

Subdivision 1. **Generally.** A commission as a notary public does not authorize an individual to:

(1) assist persons in drafting legal records, give legal advice, or otherwise practice law;

(2) act as an immigration consultant or an expert on immigration matters;

(3) represent a person in a judicial or administrative proceeding relating to immigration to the United States, United States citizenship, or related matters; or

(4) receive compensation for performing any of the activities listed in this subdivision.

Subd. 2. **False or deceptive advertising.** A notary public may not engage in false or deceptive advertising.

Subd. 3. **Terms.** A notary public may not use the term "notario" or "notario publico."

Subd. 4. **Unauthorized practice of law.** A notary public, other than an attorney licensed to practice law in this state, may not advertise that the notary public may assist persons in drafting legal records, give legal advice, or otherwise practice law. If a notary public who is not an attorney licensed to practice law in this state in any manner advertises that the notary public offers notarial services, whether orally or in a record, including broadcast media, print media, digital media, and the Internet, the notary public shall include the following statement, or an alternate statement authorized or required by the commissioning officer or agency, in the advertisement or representation, prominently and in each language used in the advertisement: "I am not an attorney licensed to practice law in this state. I am not allowed to draft legal records, give advice on legal matters, including immigration, or charge a fee for those activities." If the form of advertisement is not broadcast media, print media, or the Internet, and does not permit the inclusion of the statement required by this subdivision because of size, it must be prominently displayed or provided at the place of performance of the notarial act before the notarial act is performed.

Subd. 5. **Withholding access to, or possession of, an original record.** Except as otherwise allowed by law, a notary public may not withhold access to or possession of an original record provided by a person that seeks performance of a notarial act by the notary public.

Sec. 25. **[358.73] VALIDITY OF NOTARIAL ACTS.**

Except as otherwise provided in section 358.54, subdivision 2, the failure of a notarial officer to perform a duty or meet a requirement specified in sections 358.51 to 358.76 does not invalidate a notarial act performed by the notarial officer. The validity of a notarial act under sections 358.51 to 358.76 does not prevent an aggrieved person from seeking to invalidate the record or transaction that is the subject of the notarial act or from seeking other remedies based on law of this state other than sections 358.51 to 358.76 or law of the United States. This section does not validate a purported notarial act performed by an individual who does not have the authority to perform notarial acts.

Sec. 26. **[358.74] NOTARY PUBLIC COMMISSION IN EFFECT.**

A commission as a notary public in effect on the effective date of sections 358.51 to 358.76 continues until its date of expiration. A notary public who applies to renew a commission as a notary public on or after the effective date of sections 358.51 to 358.76 is subject to and shall comply with sections 358.51 to 358.76. A notary public, in performing notarial acts after the effective date of sections 358.51 to 358.76, shall comply with sections 358.51 to 358.76.

Sec. 27. **[358.75] SAVINGS CLAUSE.**

Sections 358.51 to 358.76 do not affect the validity or effect of a notarial act performed before the effective date of sections 358.51 to 358.76.

Sec. 28. **[358.76] RELATION TO ELECTRONIC SIGNATURES IN GLOBAL AND NATIONAL COMMERCE ACT.**

Sections 358.51 to 358.76 modify, limit, and supersede the Electronic Signatures in Global and National Commerce Act, United States Code, title 15, section 7001, et seq., but do not modify, limit, or supersede section 101(c) of that act, United States Code, title 15, section 7001(c), or authorize electronic delivery of any of the notices described in section 103(b) of that act, United States Code, title 15, section 7003(b).

Sec. 29. **REPEALER.**

Minnesota Statutes 2016, sections 358.41; 358.42; 358.43; 358.44; 358.45; 358.46; 358.47; 358.48; 358.49; and 359.12, are repealed.

Sec. 30. **EFFECTIVE DATE.**

This act is effective January 1, 2019.

ARTICLE 2
ADMINISTRATIVE AND CONFORMING CHANGES

Section 1. Minnesota Statutes 2016, section 5.15, is amended to read:

5.15 ONLINE SIGNATURES, ACKNOWLEDGMENT OR NOTARIZATION ON DOCUMENTS; PENALTIES OF PERJURY.

(a) No document submitted to the Office of the Secretary of State shall be required to be notarized. Signing a document submitted to the secretary of state constitutes "acknowledgment" as defined in section ~~358.41, clause (2)~~ 358.52, subdivision 2, and "verification upon oath or affirmation" as defined in section ~~358.41, clause (3)~~ 358.52, subdivision 3. A person who signs a document submitted to the secretary of state without authority to sign that document or who signs the document knowing that the document is false in any material respect is subject to the penalties of perjury set forth in section 609.48.

(b) Any document submitted to the Office of the Secretary of State online may be signed by any person as agent of any person whose signature is required by law. The signing party must indicate on the application that the person is acting as the agent of the person whose signature would be required and that the person has been authorized to sign on behalf of the applicant. The name of the person signing, entered on the online application, constitutes a valid signature by such an agent.

(c) Any document relating to a filing by a business entity or assumed name, or the filing of a document under chapter 270C, 272, 336, or 336A, submitted to the Office of the Secretary of State on paper may be signed by any person as agent of any person whose signature is required by law. The signing party must indicate on the document that it is acting as the agent of the person whose signature would be required and that it has been authorized to sign on behalf of that person.

Sec. 2. Minnesota Statutes 2016, section 325K.23, subdivision 1, is amended to read:

Subdivision 1. **Certificates.** Unless otherwise provided by law or contract, a certificate issued by a licensed certification authority satisfies the requirement for an acknowledgment pursuant to section ~~358.41~~ 358.52 of a digital signature verified by reference to the public key listed in the certificate, regardless of whether words of an express acknowledgment appear with the digital signature and regardless of whether the signer physically appeared before the certification authority when the digital signature was created, if that digital signature is:

- (1) verifiable by that certificate; and
- (2) affixed when that certificate was valid.

Sec. 3. Minnesota Statutes 2017 Supplement, section 358.116, is amended to read:

358.116 COURT DOCUMENTS.

Unless specifically required by court rule, a pleading, motion, affidavit, or other document filed with a court of the Minnesota judicial branch, or presented to a judge or judicial officer in support of a request for a court order, warrant, or other relief, is not required to be notarized. Signing a document filed with the court or presented to a judge or judicial officer constitutes "verification upon oath or affirmation" as defined in section ~~358.41, clause (3)~~ 358.52, without administration of an oath under section 358.07, provided that the signature, as defined by court rules, is affixed immediately below a declaration using substantially the following language: "I declare under penalty of perjury that everything I have stated in this document is true and correct." In addition to the signature, the date of signing and the county and state where the document was signed shall be noted on the document. A person who signs knowing that the document is false in any material respect is guilty of perjury under section 609.48, even if the date, county, and state of signing are omitted from the document.

Sec. 4. Minnesota Statutes 2016, section 358.50, is amended to read:

358.50 EFFECT OF ACKNOWLEDGMENT.

An acknowledgment made in a representative capacity as defined in section ~~358.41, clause (4)~~ 358.52, subdivision 5, and certified substantially in the form prescribed in this chapter is prima facie evidence that the instrument or electronic record was executed and delivered with proper authority and as the act of the person or entity represented and identified in the instrument or electronic record.

Sec. 5. Minnesota Statutes 2016, section 359.01, subdivision 4, is amended to read:

Subd. 4. **Application.** The secretary of state shall prepare the application form for a commission. The form may request personal information about the applicant, including, but not limited to, relevant civil litigation, occupational license history, and criminal background, if any. For the purposes of this section, "criminal background" includes, but is not limited to, criminal charges, arrests, indictments, pleas, and convictions. The form must also include an oath of office statement.

Sec. 6. Minnesota Statutes 2016, section 359.01, subdivision 5, is amended to read:

Subd. 5. **Registration to perform electronic notarizations.** Before performing electronic notarial acts, a notary public shall register the capability to notarize electronically with the secretary of state. Before performing electronic notarial acts after recommissioning, a notary public shall reregister with the secretary of state. The requirements of this chapter relating to electronic notarial acts do not apply to notarial acts performed under sections 358.15, paragraph (a), clause (4), and ~~358.43, paragraph (a), clause (2)~~ 358.60, subdivision 1, clause (2).

Sec. 7. Minnesota Statutes 2016, section 359.01, is amended by adding a subdivision to read:

Subd. 6. **No immunity or benefit.** A commission to act as a notary public authorizes the notary public to perform notarial acts. The commission does not provide the notary public any immunity or benefit conferred by law of this state on public officials or employees.

Sec. 8. Minnesota Statutes 2016, section 359.04, is amended to read:

359.04 POWERS.

Every notary public so appointed, commissioned, and qualified shall have power throughout this state to administer all oaths required or authorized to be administered in this state; to take and certify all depositions to be used in any of the courts of this state; to take and certify all acknowledgments of deeds, mortgages, liens, powers of attorney, and other instruments in writing or electronic records; ~~and~~ to receive, make out, and record notarial protests; and to perform online remote notarial acts in compliance with the requirements of sections 358.645 and 358.646.

Sec. 9. Minnesota Statutes 2016, section 507.24, subdivision 2, is amended to read:

Subd. 2. **Original signatures required.** (a) Unless otherwise provided by law, an instrument affecting real estate that is to be recorded as provided in this section or other applicable law must contain the original signatures of the parties who execute it and of the notary public or other officer taking an acknowledgment. However, a financing statement that is recorded as a filing pursuant to section 336.9-502(b) need not contain: (1) the signatures of the debtor or the secured party; or (2) an acknowledgment. An instrument acknowledged in a representative capacity as defined in section ~~358.41~~ 358.52 on behalf of a corporation, partnership, limited liability company, or trust that is otherwise entitled to be recorded shall be recorded if the acknowledgment made in a representative capacity is substantially in the form prescribed in chapter 358, without further inquiry into the authority of the person making the acknowledgment.

(b) Any electronic instruments, including signatures and seals, affecting real estate may only be recorded in conformance with standards implemented by the Electronic Real Estate Recording Commission created under the Minnesota Real Property Electronic Recording Act, sections 507.0941 to 507.0948. The Electronic Real Estate Recording Commission created under the Minnesota Real Property Electronic Recording Act may adopt or amend standards set by the task force created in Laws 2000, chapter 391, and the Electronic Real Estate Recording Task Force created under Laws 2005, chapter 156, article 2, section 41, and may set new or additional standards to the full extent permitted in section 507.0945. Documents recorded in conformity with the standards created as part of a pilot project for the electronic filing of real estate documents implemented by the task force created in Laws 2000, chapter 391, or by the Electronic Real Estate Recording Task Force created under Laws 2005, chapter 156, article 2, section 41, are deemed to meet the requirements of this section.

(c) Notices filed pursuant to section 168A.141, subdivisions 1 and 3, need not contain an acknowledgment.

Sec. 10. Minnesota Statutes 2016, section 508.48, is amended to read:

508.48 INSTRUMENTS AFFECTING TITLE FILED WITH REGISTRAR; NOTICE.

(a) Every conveyance, lien, attachment, order, decree, or judgment, or other instrument or proceeding, which would affect the title to unregistered land under existing laws, if recorded, or filed with the county recorder, shall, in like manner, affect the title to registered land if filed and registered with the registrar in the county where the real estate is situated, and shall be notice to all persons from the time of such registering or filing of the interests therein created. Neither the reference in a registered instrument to an unregistered instrument or interest nor the joinder in a registered instrument by a party or parties with no registered interest shall constitute notice, either actual or constructive, of an unregistered interest.

(b) An instrument acknowledged in a representative capacity as defined in section ~~358.41~~ 358.52 on behalf of a corporation, partnership, limited liability company, or trust that is otherwise entitled to be recorded shall be recorded if the acknowledgment made in a representative capacity is substantially in the form prescribed in chapter 358, without further inquiry into the authority of the person making the acknowledgment.

Sec. 11. Minnesota Statutes 2016, section 508A.48, is amended to read:

508A.48 FILED INSTRUMENT AFFECTING TITLE IS NOTICE.

(a) Every conveyance, lien, attachment, order, decree, or judgment, or other instrument or proceeding, which would affect the title to unregistered land under existing laws, if recorded, or filed with the county recorder, shall, in like manner, affect the title to land registered under sections 508A.01 to 508A.85 if filed and registered with the registrar in the county where the real estate is situated, and shall be notice to all persons from the time of the registering or filing of the interests therein created. Neither the reference in a registered instrument to an unregistered instrument or interest nor the joinder in a registered instrument by a party or parties with no registered interest shall constitute notice, either actual or constructive, of an unregistered interest.

(b) An instrument acknowledged in a representative capacity as defined in section ~~358.41~~ 358.52 on behalf of a corporation, partnership, limited liability company, or trust that is otherwise entitled to be recorded shall be recorded if the acknowledgment made in a representative capacity is substantially in the form prescribed in chapter 358, without further inquiry into the authority of the person making the acknowledgment."

Delete the title and insert:

"A bill for an act relating to notaries public; enacting the Revised Uniform Law on Notarial Acts, as amended, approved by the National Conference of Commissioners on Uniform State Laws; amending Minnesota Statutes 2016, sections 5.15; 325K.23, subdivision 1; 358.50; 359.01, subdivisions 4, 5, by adding a subdivision; 359.04;

507.24, subdivision 2; 508.48; 508A.48; Minnesota Statutes 2017 Supplement, section 358.116; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 358; repealing Minnesota Statutes 2016, sections 358.41; 358.42; 358.43; 358.44; 358.45; 358.46; 358.47; 358.48; 358.49; 359.12."

With the recommendation that when so amended the bill be re-referred to the Committee on Commerce and Regulatory Reform.

The report was adopted.

Runbeck from the Committee on Transportation and Regional Governance Policy to which was referred:

H. F. No. 1933, A bill for an act relating to aeronautics; modifying provisions governing airport zoning; amending Minnesota Statutes 2016, sections 360.013, by adding a subdivision; 360.017, subdivision 1; 360.021, subdivision 1; 360.062; 360.063, subdivisions 1, 3; 360.064, subdivision 1; 360.065, subdivision 1; 360.066, subdivision 1; 360.067, by adding a subdivision; 360.071, subdivision 2; 360.305, subdivision 6; 394.22, by adding a subdivision; 394.23; 394.231; 394.25, subdivision 3; 462.352, by adding a subdivision; 462.355, subdivision 1; 462.357, subdivision 9, by adding a subdivision; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 360; repealing Minnesota Statutes 2016, sections 360.063, subdivision 4; 360.065, subdivision 2; 360.066, subdivisions 1a, 1b.

Reported the same back with the following amendments:

Page 9, line 1, delete "2017" and insert "2018"

Page 11, line 30, delete "2017" and insert "2018"

Page 15, line 21, delete "2017" and insert "2018"

Page 16, line 15, delete "2017" and insert "2018"

Page 17, lines 11 and 14, delete "2017" and insert "2018"

With the recommendation that when so amended the bill be re-referred to the Committee on Government Operations and Elections Policy.

The report was adopted.

Runbeck from the Committee on Transportation and Regional Governance Policy to which was referred:

H. F. No. 2347, A bill for an act relating to public safety; authorizing volunteer emergency responders to use flashing warning lights in certain instances; amending Minnesota Statutes 2016, sections 169.58, subdivision 2; 169.59, subdivision 4; 169.64, subdivision 3.

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill be re-referred to the Committee on Public Safety and Security Policy and Finance.

The report was adopted.

Scott from the Committee on Civil Law and Data Practices Policy to which was referred:

H. F. No. 2391, A bill for an act relating to financial institutions; regulating health savings and medical savings accounts; providing asset protection; amending Minnesota Statutes 2016, section 550.37, by adding a subdivision.

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill be placed on the General Register.

The report was adopted.

O'Driscoll from the Committee on Government Operations and Elections Policy to which was referred:

H. F. No. 2636, A bill for an act relating to local government; authorizing towns to appropriate funds to community food shelves; amending Minnesota Statutes 2016, section 465.039.

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill be placed on the General Register.

The report was adopted.

O'Driscoll from the Committee on Government Operations and Elections Policy to which was referred:

H. F. No. 2722, A bill for an act relating to business organizations; addressing the publication of a natural person's home address; amending Minnesota Statutes 2016, sections 5.34; 5.36, by adding a subdivision.

Reported the same back with the following amendments:

Page 3, line 4, delete "2017" and insert "2018"

With the recommendation that when so amended the bill be re-referred to the Committee on State Government Finance.

The report was adopted.

Runbeck from the Committee on Transportation and Regional Governance Policy to which was referred:

H. F. No. 2739, A bill for an act relating to transportation; designating a section of U.S. Highway 12 as Officer Bill Mathews Memorial Highway; amending Minnesota Statutes 2016, section 161.14, by adding a subdivision.

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill be re-referred to the Committee on Transportation Finance.

The report was adopted.

O'Driscoll from the Committee on Government Operations and Elections Policy to which was referred:

H. F. No. 2774, A bill for an act relating to state government; establishing a legislative commission on state information technology services; requiring appointments; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 3.

Reported the same back with the following amendments:

Page 1, line 12, before "The" insert "(a)"

Page 1, after line 20, insert:

"(b) The commission must appoint up to two additional nonvoting members of the commission. Nonvoting members serve a four-year term, may not be current state employees, elected officials, or registered lobbyists and must have broad-based private sector professional experience in information technology systems and security, including knowledge of remediation techniques to address security threats. Nonvoting members appointed under this paragraph may be compensated as provided by section 15.059, subdivision 3."

With the recommendation that when so amended the bill be re-referred to the Committee on State Government Finance.

The report was adopted.

Hoppe from the Committee on Commerce and Regulatory Reform to which was referred:

H. F. No. 2779, A bill for an act relating to health; specifying optometrist services payment and certain contract requirements; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 62Q.

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill be placed on the General Register.

The report was adopted.

Erickson from the Committee on Education Innovation Policy to which was referred:

H. F. No. 2795, A bill for an act relating to education; codifying teacher code of ethics; requiring background checks; expanding mandatory reporting; expanding grounds for teacher discharge; expanding criminal sexual conduct offenses for persons in current or recent positions of authority over juveniles; amending Minnesota Statutes 2016, sections 171.02, subdivision 2a; 299C.17; 609.095; 631.40, subdivision 1a; Minnesota Statutes 2017 Supplement, sections 122A.09, subdivision 2; 122A.187, by adding a subdivision; 122A.20, subdivisions 1, 2; 122A.40, subdivision 13; 122A.41, subdivision 6; 123B.03, subdivision 1; 171.02, subdivision 2b; 171.3215, subdivisions 2, 3; 626.556, subdivisions 3, 10e; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapters 122A; 299C; repealing Minnesota Statutes 2017 Supplement, section 122A.09, subdivision 1; Minnesota Rules, part 8710.2100, subparts 1, 2.

Reported the same back with the following amendments:

Page 2, after line 24, insert:

"Sec. 3. Minnesota Statutes 2017 Supplement, section 122A.18, subdivision 8, is amended to read:

Subd. 8. **Background checks.** (a) The Professional Educator Licensing and Standards Board and the Board of School Administrators must request a criminal history background check from the superintendent of the Bureau of Criminal Apprehension on all first-time teaching applicants for licenses under their jurisdiction. Applicants must include with their licensure applications:

(1) an executed criminal history consent form, including fingerprints; and

(2) a money order or cashier's check payable to the Bureau of Criminal Apprehension for the fee for conducting the criminal history background check.

(b) The superintendent of the Bureau of Criminal Apprehension shall perform the background check required under paragraph (a) by retrieving criminal history data as defined in section 13.87 and shall also conduct a search of the national criminal records repository. The superintendent is authorized to exchange fingerprints with the Federal Bureau of Investigation for purposes of the criminal history check. The superintendent shall recover the cost to the bureau of a background check through the fee charged to the applicant under paragraph (a).

~~(c) The Professional Educator Licensing and Standards Board or the Board of School Administrators may issue a license pending completion of a background check under this subdivision, but must notify the individual and the school district or charter school employing the individual that the individual's license may be revoked based on the result of the background check."~~

Page 4, line 9, strike "or"

Page 4, after line 9, insert:

"(13) any offense listed in section 214.10, subdivision 2a; or"

Page 4, line 10, delete "(13)" and insert "(14)"

Page 5, after line 8, insert:

"(g) The Professional Educator Licensing and Standards Board or Board of School Administrators, whichever has jurisdiction over a teacher's licensure, may suspend a teacher's license pending an investigation into a report of conduct that would be grounds for revocation under paragraph (b), (d), or (e)."

Page 5, line 9, delete "(g)" and insert "(h)"

Page 13, after line 24, insert:

"Sec. 10. Minnesota Statutes 2017 Supplement, section 123B.03, subdivision 2, is amended to read:

Subd. 2. **Effect of background check or Professional Educator Licensing and Standards Board action.** (a) ~~A school hiring authority may hire or otherwise allow an individual to provide a service to a school pending completion of a background check under subdivision 1 or obtaining notice of a Professional Educator Licensing and Standards Board action under subdivision 1a but shall notify the individual that the individual's employment or other service may be terminated based on the result of the background check or Professional Educator Licensing and Standards Board action.~~ A school hiring authority is not liable for failing to hire or for terminating an individual's employment or other service based on the result of a background check or Professional Educator Licensing and Standards Board action under this section.

(b) For purposes of this paragraph, a school hiring authority must inform an individual if the individual's application to be an employee or volunteer in the district has been denied as a result of a background check conducted under this section. The school hiring authority must also inform an individual who is a current employee or volunteer if the individual's employment or volunteer status in the district is being terminated as a result of a background check conducted under subdivision 4.

EFFECTIVE DATE. This section is effective the day following final enactment."

Page 22, after line 5, insert:

"Sec. 19. Minnesota Statutes 2016, section 626.556, subdivision 10, is amended to read:

Subd. 10. **Duties of local welfare agency and local law enforcement agency upon receipt of report; mandatory notification between police or sheriff and agency.** (a) The police department or the county sheriff shall immediately notify the local welfare agency or agency responsible for child protection reports under this section orally and in writing when a report is received. The local welfare agency or agency responsible for child protection reports shall immediately notify the local police department or the county sheriff orally and in writing when a report is received. The county sheriff and the head of every local welfare agency, agency responsible for child protection reports, and police department shall each designate a person within their agency, department, or office who is responsible for ensuring that the notification duties of this paragraph are carried out. When the alleged maltreatment occurred on tribal land, the local welfare agency or agency responsible for child protection reports and the local police department or the county sheriff shall immediately notify the tribe's social services agency and tribal law enforcement orally and in writing when a report is received. When a police department or county sheriff receives a report or otherwise has information indicating that a child has been the subject of physical abuse, sexual abuse, or neglect by a person licensed by the Professional Educator Licensing and Standards Board or Board of School Administrators, it shall, in addition to its other duties under this section, immediately inform the licensing board.

(b) Upon receipt of a report, the local welfare agency shall determine whether to conduct a family assessment or an investigation as appropriate to prevent or provide a remedy for child maltreatment. The local welfare agency:

(1) shall conduct an investigation on reports involving sexual abuse or substantial child endangerment;

(2) shall begin an immediate investigation if, at any time when it is using a family assessment response, it determines that there is reason to believe that sexual abuse or substantial child endangerment or a serious threat to the child's safety exists;

(3) may conduct a family assessment for reports that do not allege sexual abuse or substantial child endangerment. In determining that a family assessment is appropriate, the local welfare agency may consider issues of child safety, parental cooperation, and the need for an immediate response;

(4) may conduct a family assessment on a report that was initially screened and assigned for an investigation. In determining that a complete investigation is not required, the local welfare agency must document the reason for terminating the investigation and notify the local law enforcement agency if the local law enforcement agency is conducting a joint investigation; and

(5) shall provide immediate notice, according to section 260.761, subdivision 2, to an Indian child's tribe when the agency has reason to believe the family assessment or investigation may involve an Indian child. For purposes of this clause, "immediate notice" means notice provided within 24 hours.

If the report alleges neglect, physical abuse, or sexual abuse by a parent, guardian, or individual functioning within the family unit as a person responsible for the child's care, or sexual abuse by a person with a significant relationship to the child when that person resides in the child's household or by a sibling, the local welfare agency shall immediately conduct a family assessment or investigation as identified in clauses (1) to (4). In conducting a family assessment or investigation, the local welfare agency shall gather information on the existence of substance abuse and domestic violence and offer services for purposes of preventing future child maltreatment, safeguarding and enhancing the welfare of the abused or neglected minor, and supporting and preserving family life whenever possible. If the report alleges a violation of a criminal statute involving sexual abuse, physical abuse, or neglect or endangerment, under section 609.378, the local law enforcement agency and local welfare agency shall coordinate the planning and execution of their respective investigation and assessment efforts to avoid a duplication of fact-finding efforts and multiple interviews. Each agency shall prepare a separate report of the results of its investigation or assessment. In cases of alleged child maltreatment resulting in death, the local agency may rely on the fact-finding efforts of a law enforcement investigation to make a determination of whether or not maltreatment occurred. When necessary the local welfare agency shall seek authority to remove the child from the custody of a parent, guardian, or adult with whom the child is living. In performing any of these duties, the local welfare agency shall maintain appropriate records.

If the family assessment or investigation indicates there is a potential for abuse of alcohol or other drugs by the parent, guardian, or person responsible for the child's care, the local welfare agency shall conduct a chemical use assessment pursuant to Minnesota Rules, part 9530.6615.

(c) When a local agency receives a report or otherwise has information indicating that a child who is a client, as defined in section 245.91, has been the subject of physical abuse, sexual abuse, or neglect at an agency, facility, or program as defined in section 245.91, it shall, in addition to its other duties under this section, immediately inform the ombudsman established under sections 245.91 to 245.97. The commissioner of education shall inform the ombudsman established under sections 245.91 to 245.97 of reports regarding a child defined as a client in section 245.91 that maltreatment occurred at a school as defined in section 120A.05, subdivisions 9, 11, and 13, and chapter 124E.

(d) Authority of the local welfare agency responsible for assessing or investigating the child abuse or neglect report, the agency responsible for assessing or investigating the report, and of the local law enforcement agency for investigating the alleged abuse or neglect includes, but is not limited to, authority to interview, without parental consent, the alleged victim and any other minors who currently reside with or who have resided with the alleged offender. The interview may take place at school or at any facility or other place where the alleged victim or other minors might be found or the child may be transported to, and the interview conducted at, a place appropriate for the interview of a child designated by the local welfare agency or law enforcement agency. The interview may take place outside the presence of the alleged offender or parent, legal custodian, guardian, or school official. For family assessments, it is the preferred practice to request a parent or guardian's permission to interview the child prior to conducting the child interview, unless doing so would compromise the safety assessment. Except as provided in this paragraph, the parent, legal custodian, or guardian shall be notified by the responsible local welfare or law enforcement agency no later than the conclusion of the investigation or assessment that this interview has occurred. Notwithstanding rule 32 of the Minnesota Rules of Procedure for Juvenile Courts, the juvenile court may, after hearing on an ex parte motion by the local welfare agency, order that, where reasonable cause exists, the agency withhold notification of this interview from the parent, legal custodian, or guardian. If the interview took place or is to take place on school property, the order shall specify that school officials may not disclose to the parent, legal custodian, or guardian the contents of the notification of intent to interview the child on school property, as provided under this paragraph, and any other related information regarding the interview that may be a part of the child's school record. A copy of the order shall be sent by the local welfare or law enforcement agency to the appropriate school official.

(e) When the local welfare, local law enforcement agency, or the agency responsible for assessing or investigating a report of maltreatment determines that an interview should take place on school property, written notification of intent to interview the child on school property must be received by school officials prior to the

interview. The notification shall include the name of the child to be interviewed, the purpose of the interview, and a reference to the statutory authority to conduct an interview on school property. For interviews conducted by the local welfare agency, the notification shall be signed by the chair of the local social services agency or the chair's designee. The notification shall be private data on individuals subject to the provisions of this paragraph. School officials may not disclose to the parent, legal custodian, or guardian the contents of the notification or any other related information regarding the interview until notified in writing by the local welfare or law enforcement agency that the investigation or assessment has been concluded, unless a school employee or agent is alleged to have maltreated the child. Until that time, the local welfare or law enforcement agency or the agency responsible for assessing or investigating a report of maltreatment shall be solely responsible for any disclosures regarding the nature of the assessment or investigation.

Except where the alleged offender is believed to be a school official or employee, the time and place, and manner of the interview on school premises shall be within the discretion of school officials, but the local welfare or law enforcement agency shall have the exclusive authority to determine who may attend the interview. The conditions as to time, place, and manner of the interview set by the school officials shall be reasonable and the interview shall be conducted not more than 24 hours after the receipt of the notification unless another time is considered necessary by agreement between the school officials and the local welfare or law enforcement agency. Where the school fails to comply with the provisions of this paragraph, the juvenile court may order the school to comply. Every effort must be made to reduce the disruption of the educational program of the child, other students, or school staff when an interview is conducted on school premises.

(f) Where the alleged offender or a person responsible for the care of the alleged victim or other minor prevents access to the victim or other minor by the local welfare agency, the juvenile court may order the parents, legal custodian, or guardian to produce the alleged victim or other minor for questioning by the local welfare agency or the local law enforcement agency outside the presence of the alleged offender or any person responsible for the child's care at reasonable places and times as specified by court order.

(g) Before making an order under paragraph (f), the court shall issue an order to show cause, either upon its own motion or upon a verified petition, specifying the basis for the requested interviews and fixing the time and place of the hearing. The order to show cause shall be served personally and shall be heard in the same manner as provided in other cases in the juvenile court. The court shall consider the need for appointment of a guardian ad litem to protect the best interests of the child. If appointed, the guardian ad litem shall be present at the hearing on the order to show cause.

(h) The commissioner of human services, the ombudsman for mental health and developmental disabilities, the local welfare agencies responsible for investigating reports, the commissioner of education, and the local law enforcement agencies have the right to enter facilities as defined in subdivision 2 and to inspect and copy the facility's records, including medical records, as part of the investigation. Notwithstanding the provisions of chapter 13, they also have the right to inform the facility under investigation that they are conducting an investigation, to disclose to the facility the names of the individuals under investigation for abusing or neglecting a child, and to provide the facility with a copy of the report and the investigative findings.

(i) The local welfare agency responsible for conducting a family assessment or investigation shall collect available and relevant information to determine child safety, risk of subsequent child maltreatment, and family strengths and needs and share not public information with an Indian's tribal social services agency without violating any law of the state that may otherwise impose duties of confidentiality on the local welfare agency in order to implement the tribal state agreement. The local welfare agency or the agency responsible for investigating the report shall collect available and relevant information to ascertain whether maltreatment occurred and whether protective services are needed. Information collected includes, when relevant, information with regard to the person reporting the alleged maltreatment, including the nature of the reporter's relationship to the child and to the alleged offender, and the basis of the reporter's knowledge for the report; the child allegedly being maltreated; the alleged

offender; the child's caretaker; and other collateral sources having relevant information related to the alleged maltreatment. The local welfare agency or the agency responsible for investigating the report may make a determination of no maltreatment early in an investigation, and close the case and retain immunity, if the collected information shows no basis for a full investigation.

Information relevant to the assessment or investigation must be asked for, and may include:

(1) the child's sex and age; prior reports of maltreatment, including any maltreatment reports that were screened out and not accepted for assessment or investigation; information relating to developmental functioning; credibility of the child's statement; and whether the information provided under this clause is consistent with other information collected during the course of the assessment or investigation;

(2) the alleged offender's age, a record check for prior reports of maltreatment, and criminal charges and convictions. The local welfare agency or the agency responsible for assessing or investigating the report must provide the alleged offender with an opportunity to make a statement. The alleged offender may submit supporting documentation relevant to the assessment or investigation;

(3) collateral source information regarding the alleged maltreatment and care of the child. Collateral information includes, when relevant: (i) a medical examination of the child; (ii) prior medical records relating to the alleged maltreatment or the care of the child maintained by any facility, clinic, or health care professional and an interview with the treating professionals; and (iii) interviews with the child's caretakers, including the child's parent, guardian, foster parent, child care provider, teachers, counselors, family members, relatives, and other persons who may have knowledge regarding the alleged maltreatment and the care of the child; and

(4) information on the existence of domestic abuse and violence in the home of the child, and substance abuse.

Nothing in this paragraph precludes the local welfare agency, the local law enforcement agency, or the agency responsible for assessing or investigating the report from collecting other relevant information necessary to conduct the assessment or investigation. Notwithstanding sections 13.384 or 144.291 to 144.298, the local welfare agency has access to medical data and records for purposes of clause (3). Notwithstanding the data's classification in the possession of any other agency, data acquired by the local welfare agency or the agency responsible for assessing or investigating the report during the course of the assessment or investigation are private data on individuals and must be maintained in accordance with subdivision 11. Data of the commissioner of education collected or maintained during and for the purpose of an investigation of alleged maltreatment in a school are governed by this section, notwithstanding the data's classification as educational, licensing, or personnel data under chapter 13.

In conducting an assessment or investigation involving a school facility as defined in subdivision 2, paragraph (c), the commissioner of education shall collect investigative reports and data that are relevant to a report of maltreatment and are from local law enforcement and the school facility.

(j) Upon receipt of a report, the local welfare agency shall conduct a face-to-face contact with the child reported to be maltreated and with the child's primary caregiver sufficient to complete a safety assessment and ensure the immediate safety of the child. The face-to-face contact with the child and primary caregiver shall occur immediately if sexual abuse or substantial child endangerment is alleged and within five calendar days for all other reports. If the alleged offender was not already interviewed as the primary caregiver, the local welfare agency shall also conduct a face-to-face interview with the alleged offender in the early stages of the assessment or investigation. At the initial contact, the local child welfare agency or the agency responsible for assessing or investigating the report must inform the alleged offender of the complaints or allegations made against the individual in a manner consistent with laws protecting the rights of the person who made the report. The interview with the alleged offender may be postponed if it would jeopardize an active law enforcement investigation.

(k) When conducting an investigation, the local welfare agency shall use a question and answer interviewing format with questioning as nondirective as possible to elicit spontaneous responses. For investigations only, the following interviewing methods and procedures must be used whenever possible when collecting information:

(1) audio recordings of all interviews with witnesses and collateral sources; and

(2) in cases of alleged sexual abuse, audio-video recordings of each interview with the alleged victim and child witnesses.

(l) In conducting an assessment or investigation involving a school facility as defined in subdivision 2, paragraph (c), the commissioner of education shall collect available and relevant information and use the procedures in paragraphs (j) and (k), and subdivision 3d, except that the requirement for face-to-face observation of the child and face-to-face interview of the alleged offender is to occur in the initial stages of the assessment or investigation provided that the commissioner may also base the assessment or investigation on investigative reports and data received from the school facility and local law enforcement, to the extent those investigations satisfy the requirements of paragraphs (j) and (k), and subdivision 3d.

EFFECTIVE DATE. This section is effective the day following final enactment."

Renumber the sections in sequence

Correct the title numbers accordingly

With the recommendation that when so amended the bill be re-referred to the Committee on Transportation and Regional Governance Policy.

The report was adopted.

O'Driscoll from the Committee on Government Operations and Elections Policy to which was referred:

H. F. No. 2846, A bill for an act relating to education; establishing a special education working group; requiring a report.

Reported the same back with the following amendments:

Page 2, lines 24 and 26, delete "and"

Page 2, line 27, delete the period and insert "; and"

Page 2, after line 27, insert:

"(17) the Minnesota Association of Alternative Programs."

Page 2, line 28, after "commissioner" insert "of education"

Page 3, line 4, delete "and"

Page 3, line 6, delete the period and insert a semicolon

Page 3, after line 6, insert:

"(5) a representative from a school district in a city of the first class;

(6) a student receiving special education services; and

(7) one representative of a nonprofit organization specializing in early childhood education issues."

With the recommendation that when so amended the bill be re-referred to the Committee on Education Finance.

The report was adopted.

Runbeck from the Committee on Transportation and Regional Governance Policy to which was referred:

H. F. No. 2857, A bill for an act relating to motor vehicles; authorizing certain tow trucks and towing vehicles to be equipped with blue flashing lights; amending Minnesota Statutes 2016, sections 168B.16; 169.64, subdivision 4.

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill be re-referred to the Committee on Public Safety and Security Policy and Finance.

The report was adopted.

Hoppe from the Committee on Commerce and Regulatory Reform to which was referred:

H. F. No. 2869, A bill for an act relating to military affairs; providing National Guard members access to information regarding state-sponsored life insurance program; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 192.

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill be placed on the General Register.

The report was adopted.

Hoppe from the Committee on Commerce and Regulatory Reform to which was referred:

H. F. No. 2884, A bill for an act relating to agriculture; excluding sales of off-sale alcoholic beverages when determining a food handler license fee; amending Minnesota Statutes 2016, section 28A.16.

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill be re-referred to the Committee on Agriculture Finance.

The report was adopted.

O'Driscoll from the Committee on Government Operations and Elections Policy to which was referred:

H. F. No. 2902, A bill for an act relating to state government; transferring certain program evaluation duties from the commissioner of management and budget to the Legislative Budget Office; amending Minnesota Statutes 2017 Supplement, section 3.8853, subdivision 1.

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill be re-referred to the Committee on State Government Finance.

The report was adopted.

Runbeck from the Committee on Transportation and Regional Governance Policy to which was referred:

H. F. No. 2908, A bill for an act relating to transportation; designating a bridge on marked U.S. Highway 52 in Rosemount as Warrant Officer Dennis A. Groth Memorial Bridge; amending Minnesota Statutes 2016, section 161.14, by adding a subdivision.

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill be re-referred to the Committee on Transportation Finance.

The report was adopted.

O'Driscoll from the Committee on Government Operations and Elections Policy to which was referred:

H. F. No. 2938, A bill for an act relating to agriculture; extending by ten years the agricultural fertilizer research and education fee, the Minnesota Agricultural Fertilizer Research and Education Council, the Minnesota agricultural fertilizer research and education program, and the agricultural fertilizer research and education account; amending Minnesota Statutes 2016, sections 18C.425, subdivision 6; 18C.80, subdivision 2; Minnesota Statutes 2017 Supplement, sections 18C.70, subdivision 5; 18C.71, subdivision 4.

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill be re-referred to the Committee on Agriculture Finance.

The report was adopted.

O'Driscoll from the Committee on Government Operations and Elections Policy to which was referred:

H. F. No. 3013, A bill for an act relating to education; requiring teacher training to enable a teacher to implement instructional strategies to meet the needs of students with dyslexia; amending Minnesota Statutes 2017 Supplement, section 122A.187, subdivision 5.

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill be re-referred to the Committee on Education Finance.

The report was adopted.

Johnson, B., from the Committee on Public Safety and Security Policy and Finance to which was referred:

H. F. No. 3017, A bill for an act relating to public safety; establishing procedure for handling sexual assault examination kits; providing notice to victims; amending Minnesota Statutes 2016, section 144.6586, subdivision 2; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapters 299C; 611A.

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill be re-referred to the Committee on Civil Law and Data Practices Policy.

The report was adopted.

Hoppe from the Committee on Commerce and Regulatory Reform to which was referred:

H. F. No. 3032, A bill for an act relating to consumer protection; regulating transportation network companies; amending Minnesota Statutes 2016, sections 13.712, by adding a subdivision; 221.012, subdivision 38; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 325F.

Reported the same back with the following amendments:

Page 2, line 9, delete "65B.47" and insert "65B.472"

Page 4, line 4, delete "automobile liability insurance" and insert "has a plan of reparation security under section 65B.48"

Page 7, line 2, delete ". A record documenting"

Page 7, line 3, delete "compliance is valid"

Page 7, lines 22 and 23, delete "tax or"

With the recommendation that when so amended the bill be re-referred to the Committee on Civil Law and Data Practices Policy.

The report was adopted.

O'Driscoll from the Committee on Government Operations and Elections Policy to which was referred:

H. F. No. 3076, A bill for an act relating to local government; amending the St. Louis County Civil Service Commission; making technical changes; removing obsolete language; amending Minnesota Statutes 2016, sections 383C.031; 383C.032; 383C.033; 383C.034; 383C.035; 383C.037; 383C.038; 383C.039; 383C.04; 383C.041; 383C.042; 383C.043; 383C.044; 383C.045; 383C.046; 383C.048; 383C.05; 383C.051; 383C.055; 383C.056; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 383C; repealing Minnesota Statutes 2016, sections 383C.036; 383C.047; 383C.049; 383C.052; 383C.053; 383C.059.

Reported the same back with the following amendments:

Page 17, after line 14, insert:

"Sec. 23. **EFFECTIVE DATE.**

This act is effective the day after the St. Louis County Board of Commissioners and its chief clerical officer timely complete their compliance with Minnesota Statutes, section 645.021, subdivisions 2 and 3."

With the recommendation that when so amended the bill be placed on the General Register.

The report was adopted.

Anderson, P., from the Committee on Agriculture Policy to which was referred:

H. F. No. 3127, A bill for an act relating to local government; modifying expiration of metropolitan agricultural preserves; authorizing the sale and issuance of state bonds for predesign and design of the Gateway Trail; appropriating money; amending Minnesota Statutes 2016, section 473H.08, subdivisions 1, 4, by adding a subdivision.

Reported the same back with the following amendments:

Page 2, delete section 4

Page 2, line 27, delete everything after the period

Page 2, delete line 28

Renumber the sections in sequence and correct the internal references

Amend the title as follows:

Page 1, line 3, delete everything after the semicolon

Page 1, line 4, delete everything before "amending"

With the recommendation that when so amended the bill be re-referred to the Committee on Taxes.

The report was adopted.

Petersburg from the Committee on Transportation Finance to which was referred:

H. F. No. 3147, A bill for an act relating to state government; directing commissioner of management and budget to reduce appropriations for certain activities; appropriating money for Minnesota Licensing and Registration System.

Reported the same back with the following amendments:

Delete everything after the enacting clause and insert:

"Section 1. **MNLARS SUPPLEMENTAL APPROPRIATION; IMPLEMENTATION REQUIREMENTS.**

Subdivision 1. Supplemental appropriations. (a) The following amounts are appropriated in fiscal year 2018 to the commissioner of public safety to develop, deploy, operate, and maintain the driver and vehicle information system known as the Minnesota Licensing and Registration System (MNLARS):

(1) \$7,500,000 from the driver services operating account in the special revenue fund; and

(2) \$2,500,000 from the vehicle services operating account in the special revenue fund.

(b) The appropriations in this subdivision are onetime appropriations.

Subd. 2. Executive agency appropriations; targeted reductions; transfer. (a) By June 30, 2018, the commissioner of management and budget must, with the approval of the governor and after consulting the Legislative Advisory Commission, reduce general fund appropriations for executive agency operating expenditures by \$10,000,000 for the biennium ending June 30, 2019. In making reductions, the commissioner must prioritize appropriations reductions for central agency administration, and must not reduce appropriations for client-facing health care, corrections, public safety, mental health programs, or other services that are provided directly to members of the public.

(b) By June 30, 2018, the commissioner of management and budget must transfer \$10,000,000 from the general fund to the driver services operating account in the special revenue fund.

(c) For purposes of this subdivision, "executive agency" has the meaning given in Minnesota Statutes, section 16A.011, subdivision 12, and includes constitutional officers.

Subd. 3. Project schedule; performance measures. (a) By the first business day after 21 days following the effective date of this section, the commissioner of management and budget, in consultation with the commissioner of public safety and the state chief information officer, must (1) establish a project schedule for the driver and vehicle information system known as the Minnesota Licensing and Registration System (MNLARS), with specific deadlines and milestones and based on the MNLARS Project Roadmap proposed in January 2018, and (2) develop performance measures for the MNLARS project.

(b) At a minimum, the performance measures must provide specific metrics to monitor MNLARS development and implementation activities, including measures of:

(1) the extent to which MNLARS defects have been resolved;

(2) the extent to which gaps in MNLARS functionality have been resolved;

(3) improvements in the ability of MNLARS users to edit transactions;

(4) reduction in the backlog of vehicle titles;

(5) the extent of errors in driver or vehicle transactions;

(6) system performance, including the extent of any slowdowns, outages, or other system performance issues;

(7) customer service responsiveness, which may include the number of phone calls and e-mails from the general public and stakeholders, and the timeliness of inquiry responses; and

(8) deputy registrar satisfaction.

(c) The commissioner must submit the performance measures to the members and staff of the legislative committees with jurisdiction over transportation policy and finance, state government finance, and technology and responsive government.

(d) The performance measures under this subdivision are not administrative rules and are not subject to Minnesota Statutes, chapter 14.

Subd. 4. Progress reporting. (a) On a monthly basis, the commissioner of public safety and the state chief information officer must jointly provide progress reports on the Minnesota Licensing and Registration System (MNLARS) project. At a minimum, each progress report must identify activity and status toward successfully meeting outcomes within the project schedule and within the project budget, including but not limited to:

(1) whether deadlines under the project schedule have been met and, if not, information on schedule revisions to meet the deadlines;

(2) an overview of project activity during the preceding month;

(3) information on project staffing and contractors;

(4) a summary of any new challenges or risks that were identified in the preceding month; and

(5) details on the status for each performance measure established under subdivision 3.

(b) In conjunction with each progress report under paragraph (a), the commissioner of management and budget, the commissioner of public safety, and the state chief information officer must each personally certify, on penalty of perjury, whether the MNLARS project is proceeding within the project schedule and meets all performance measures established under subdivision 3.

(c) The commissioner of management and budget must submit each progress report under paragraph (a) and a copy of each certification under paragraph (b) to the chairs, ranking minority members, and staff of the legislative committees with jurisdiction over transportation policy and finance, state government finance, and technology and responsive government.

(d) The requirements under this subdivision expire upon full implementation of MNLARS, which includes but is not limited to resolution of all significant defects, implementation of all functionality gaps identified in the project schedule, and decommissioning of the legacy driver and vehicle services information technology system.

Subd. 5. Request for information. (a) No later than April 1, 2018, the commissioner of public safety must issue a request for information as described in this subdivision. The request for information must obtain advice from qualified vendors regarding the feasibility of using a private vendor to develop, deploy, and maintain a driver and vehicle information system that replaces the system known as the Minnesota Licensing and Registration System (MNLARS).

(b) The request for information must solicit advice on procuring a replacement driver and vehicle information system that:

(1) is cost-effective, reliable, consumer- and user-friendly, and implemented in a timely manner; and

(2) contains functionality that substantially matches the functionality and features of the legacy information technology system in place prior to initial implementation of MNLARS.

(c) The request for information must be designed to obtain implementation information that includes:

(1) feasibility, costs, and a preliminary estimated timeline or schedule for implementation;

(2) a breakdown of costs and implementation timelines between driver services and vehicle services functionality, including costs of integrating a vehicle services information system with a separately developed driver services information system; and

(3) capacity and experience of a potential vendor.

(d) The request for information constitutes an informal solicitation for purposes of Minnesota Statutes, chapter 16C, except that the commissioner of administration may waive requirements of that chapter and direct alternate procedures related to formatting or distributing the solicitation as necessary to ensure a timely receipt of responses. The request for information and a vendor's response do not create any obligation on the part of the commissioner or a responding vendor to enter a contract on the terms proposed in the request for information or in the vendor's response.

(e) No later than August 1, 2018, the commissioner must submit a report to the chairs, ranking minority members, and staff of the legislative committees with jurisdiction over transportation policy and finance, state government finance, and technology and responsive government, that summarizes the responses received from qualified vendors under this section.

Subd. 6. **REAL ID Act extensions.** The commissioner of public safety must coordinate with the governor to seek any extensions available from the United States Department of Homeland Security with respect to federal enforcement of the REAL ID Act of 2005, Public Law 109-13, Division B. The commissioner must make all feasible efforts to promptly obtain extensions.

EFFECTIVE DATE. This section is effective the day following final enactment."

Delete the title and insert:

"A bill for an act relating to public safety; establishing certain requirements with respect to the development and implementation of the Minnesota Licensing and Registration System; appropriating money; requiring a report."

With the recommendation that when so amended the bill be re-referred to the Committee on State Government Finance.

The report was adopted.

Anderson, P., from the Committee on Agriculture Policy to which was referred:

H. F. No. 3152, A bill for an act relating to motor vehicles; establishing Minnesota agriculture special license plates; appropriating money; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 168.

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill be re-referred to the Committee on Transportation and Regional Governance Policy.

The report was adopted.

Hoppe from the Committee on Commerce and Regulatory Reform to which was referred:

H. F. No. 3158, A bill for an act relating to commerce; modifying licensing requirements for mortgage loan originators; amending Minnesota Statutes 2016, sections 58A.07, subdivision 1; 58A.09, subdivision 1.

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill be placed on the General Register.

The report was adopted.

Dettmer from the Veterans Affairs Division to which was referred:

H. F. No. 3199, A bill for an act relating to the military; clarifying scope of military code; amending Minnesota Statutes 2016, section 190.03.

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill be placed on the General Register.

The report was adopted.

Erickson from the Committee on Education Innovation Policy to which was referred:

H. F. No. 3203, A bill for an act relating to criminal justice; establishing penalties for school employees and independent contractors who have sexual relationships with students; definitions; amending Minnesota Statutes 2016, sections 609.341, by adding subdivisions; 609.344, subdivision 1; 609.345, subdivision 1.

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill be re-referred to the Committee on Public Safety and Security Policy and Finance.

The report was adopted.

Dettmer from the Veterans Affairs Division to which was referred:

H. F. No. 3212, A bill for an act relating to the military; authorizing state active service and pay for armory rentals; amending Minnesota Statutes 2016, section 190.08, by adding a subdivision.

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill be placed on the General Register.

The report was adopted.

Dettmer from the Veterans Affairs Division to which was referred:

H. F. No. 3213, A bill for an act relating to the military; authorizing rental of and rental terms for certain Military Department buildings; amending Minnesota Statutes 2016, section 190.16, subdivision 6a.

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill be placed on the General Register.

The report was adopted.

Dettmer from the Veterans Affairs Division to which was referred:

H. F. No. 3278, A bill for an act relating to the military; clarifying authority of the adjutant general; amending Minnesota Statutes 2016, section 190.11.

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill be re-referred to the Committee on Government Operations and Elections Policy.

The report was adopted.

SECOND READING OF HOUSE BILLS

H. F. Nos. 368, 1126, 1589, 2391, 2636, 2779, 2869, 3076, 3158, 3199, 3212 and 3213 were read for the second time.

INTRODUCTION AND FIRST READING OF HOUSE BILLS

The following House Files were introduced:

Zerwas introduced:

H. F. No. 3391, A bill for an act relating to state government; proposing an amendment to the Minnesota Constitution, article IV, section 2; reducing the size of the legislature; amending Minnesota Statutes 2016, section 2.031, subdivision 1; repealing Minnesota Statutes 2016, section 2.021.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Government Operations and Elections Policy.

Rosenthal; Carlson, A., and Slocum introduced:

H. F. No. 3392, A bill for an act relating to capital investment; appropriating money for phase 1 of the classroom and student services building project at Normandale Community College; authorizing the sale and issuance of state bonds.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Higher Education and Career Readiness Policy and Finance.

Lueck introduced:

H. F. No. 3393, A bill for an act relating to natural resources; providing permanent, free state park permits to active military personnel and disabled veterans; amending Minnesota Statutes 2017 Supplement, section 85.053, subdivisions 8, 10.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Veterans Affairs Division.

Runbeck, Christensen and Zerwas introduced:

H. F. No. 3394, A bill for an act relating to higher education; requiring MnSCU and requesting the University of Minnesota to create a free expression policy, including a disciplinary policy for free expression violations; requiring MnSCU and requesting the University of Minnesota to submit a report on free expression on their campuses; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 135A.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Higher Education and Career Readiness Policy and Finance.

O'Driscoll, Lillie, Swedzinski, Nelson and Runbeck introduced:

H. F. No. 3395, A bill for an act relating to local government; exempting the Metropolitan Airports Commission from political subdivision compensation limit; amending Minnesota Statutes 2016, section 473.606, subdivision 5.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Government Operations and Elections Policy.

Munson, Miller, Zerwas, Lohmer, Albright, Gruenhagen, McDonald, Runbeck, Pugh, Drazkowski and Bennett introduced:

H. F. No. 3396, A bill for an act relating to health care; requiring health care providers and health plan companies to provide price transparency to patients and enrollees; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 62J; repealing Minnesota Statutes 2016, section 62J.81.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Commerce and Regulatory Reform.

Zerwas introduced:

H. F. No. 3397, A bill for an act relating to health care; prohibiting the use of discounts or free product vouchers for certain prescription drugs; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 151.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Commerce and Regulatory Reform.

Zerwas introduced:

H. F. No. 3398, A bill for an act relating to health; removing the date restriction for the commissioner of health to use all-payer claims data to analyze health care costs, quality, utilization, and illness burdens; amending Minnesota Statutes 2016, section 62U.04, subdivision 11.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Health and Human Services Reform.

Zerwas introduced:

H. F. No. 3399, A bill for an act relating to health; eliminating the interoperable electronic health records system mandate; amending Minnesota Statutes 2016, section 62J.495, subdivisions 1, 3.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Health and Human Services Reform.

Zerwas introduced:

H. F. No. 3400, A bill for an act relating to health care; modifying the EPSDT screening; amending Minnesota Statutes 2016, section 256B.0625, subdivision 58.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Health and Human Services Reform.

Zerwas introduced:

H. F. No. 3401, A bill for an act relating to health care; limiting prescriptions for opiates to a seven-day supply; amending Minnesota Statutes 2017 Supplement, section 152.11, subdivision 4.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Health and Human Services Reform.

Hamilton, Albright, Moran and Schomacker introduced:

H. F. No. 3402, A bill for an act relating to human services; increasing housing support supplementary service rate for certain facilities; appropriating money for housing support supplementary service rate increase and grants for housing with supports for adults with serious mental illness; amending Minnesota Statutes 2016, section 256I.05, subdivision 1g.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Health and Human Services Finance.

Peterson introduced:

H. F. No. 3403, A bill for an act relating to human services; modifying provisions relating to child care licensing; amending Minnesota Statutes 2016, sections 245A.14, by adding a subdivision; 245A.1435; 245A.152; 245A.16, subdivision 2.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Health and Human Services Reform.

Albright; Hornstein; Zerwas; Bernardy; Gruenhagen; Fischer; Theis; Halverson; Liebling; Loeffler; Murphy, E.; Backer; Lohmer and Schomacker introduced:

H. F. No. 3404, A bill for an act relating to human services; postponing the expiration date of the Traumatic Brain Injury Advisory Committee; amending Minnesota Statutes 2016, section 256B.093, subdivision 1.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Health and Human Services Reform.

Scott introduced:

H. F. No. 3405, A bill for an act relating to children; modifying child support obligations; amending Minnesota Statutes 2016, sections 518A.26, subdivisions 8, 15; 518A.28; 518A.29; 518A.30; 518A.31; 518A.33; 518A.34; 518A.35, subdivision 2; 518A.37; 518A.39, subdivision 2; 518A.42, subdivision 1; 518A.46, subdivisions 3, 3a; 518A.72, subdivision 2.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Civil Law and Data Practices Policy.

Scott introduced:

H. F. No. 3406, A bill for an act relating to child support; modifying provisions relating to potential income determinations and reporting of arrears; amending Minnesota Statutes 2016, sections 518A.32, subdivision 3; 518A.685.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Civil Law and Data Practices Policy.

Lee and Dehn, R., introduced:

H. F. No. 3407, A bill for an act relating to housing; landlord and tenant; prescribing when an eviction action may be disclosed in a residential tenant report; amending Minnesota Statutes 2016, section 504B.241, subdivision 5.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Civil Law and Data Practices Policy.

Loonan introduced:

H. F. No. 3408, A bill for an act relating to judiciary; removing minimum interest rate for judgment or award for recovery of money; amending Minnesota Statutes 2016, section 549.09, subdivision 1.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Civil Law and Data Practices Policy.

Fenton and Hoppe introduced:

H. F. No. 3409, A bill for an act relating to insurance; regulating affinity group coverages and insurance fraud; amending Minnesota Statutes 2016, section 65B.44, subdivision 2a; Minnesota Statutes 2017 Supplement, section 72A.328, subdivision 1.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Commerce and Regulatory Reform.

Davids and Marquart introduced:

H. F. No. 3410, A bill for an act relating to taxation; making technical and clarifying changes to individual income and corporate franchise taxes, sales and use taxes, tobacco taxes, property taxes, and other miscellaneous tax provisions; amending Minnesota Statutes 2016, sections 270C.85, subdivision 2; 270C.89, subdivision 2; 270C.91; 272.02, subdivisions 27, 81; 273.032; 273.061, subdivision 9; 273.113, subdivision 3; 273.119, subdivision 2; 273.1231, subdivision 3; 273.13, subdivision 35; 273.136, subdivision 2; 273.1384, subdivision 3; 273.18; 274.14; 274.16; 289A.08, subdivision 6; 289A.25, subdivision 1; 289A.31, subdivision 2; 289A.37, subdivision 6; 289A.38, subdivision 7; 290.06, subdivisions 2c, 2d; 290.0802, subdivisions 2, 3; 290.92, subdivision 28; 290A.03, subdivision 4; 290A.05; 290A.08; 290A.09; 290B.09, subdivision 1; 297A.61, subdivision 18; 297A.67, subdivision 12; 297A.68, subdivisions 17, 42, 44; 297A.70, subdivisions 3, 16; 297A.71, subdivisions 22, 45; 297A.77, by adding a subdivision; 297B.01, subdivision 14; 297F.01, subdivisions 19, 23, by adding a subdivision; 469.177, subdivision 1; Minnesota Statutes 2017 Supplement, sections 270C.89, subdivision 1; 273.0755; 273.13, subdivisions 22, 34; 273.1384, subdivision 2; 273.1387, subdivision 3; 275.025, subdivision 1; 290.0132, subdivision 26; 290.0137; 290.091, subdivision 2; 290A.03, subdivisions 3, 8; 297A.67, subdivision 6; 297A.70, subdivision 4; 297A.75, subdivision 1; 297B.01, subdivision 16; 462D.03, subdivision 2; Laws 2017, First Special Session chapter 1, article 8, section 3; repealing Minnesota Statutes 2016, section 275.29.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Taxes.

Davids and Marquart introduced:

H. F. No. 3411, A bill for an act relating to taxation; making policy changes to property taxes, partnership tax, and other miscellaneous tax provisions; amending Minnesota Statutes 2016, sections 162.145, subdivision 3; 270.41, subdivision 3; 270B.08, subdivision 2; 287.21, subdivision 1; 289A.38, subdivision 10; 289A.42; 289A.60, subdivision 24; 297A.84; 297A.85; 297F.17, subdivision 6; 297G.16, subdivision 7; 469.190, subdivisions 1, 7; 469.319, subdivision 4; Minnesota Statutes 2017 Supplement, sections 270C.445, subdivision 6; 272.115, subdivision 1; 289A.31, subdivision 1; 289A.37, subdivision 2; 290.31, subdivision 1; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 289A; repealing Minnesota Statutes 2016, section 289A.38, subdivisions 7, 8, 9.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Taxes.

Thissen introduced:

H. F. No. 3412, A bill for an act relating to creditor remedies; updating types of property exempt from attachment; amending Minnesota Statutes 2016, section 550.37, subdivision 4, by adding subdivisions.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Commerce and Regulatory Reform.

McDonald introduced:

H. F. No. 3413, A bill for an act relating to health care; requiring uniform rates for primary care services provided by primary care providers located within a geographic rating area or service area; amending Minnesota Statutes 2016, section 256B.69, by adding a subdivision; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 62Q.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Commerce and Regulatory Reform.

Ward, Dettmer, Franke, Flanagan and Dehn, R., introduced:

H. F. No. 3414, A bill for an act relating to public safety; expanding the membership of the Board of Peace Officer Standards and Training; amending Minnesota Statutes 2016, section 626.841.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Public Safety and Security Policy and Finance.

Nornes introduced:

H. F. No. 3415, A bill for an act relating to higher education; requiring notice to a sexual assault victim to include information about the availability of legal advocacy services; amending Minnesota Statutes 2016, section 135A.15, subdivision 2.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Higher Education and Career Readiness Policy and Finance.

Ecklund and Metsa introduced:

H. F. No. 3416, A bill for an act relating to natural resources; appropriating money for off-highway vehicle trails.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Environment and Natural Resources Policy and Finance.

Ecklund and Metsa introduced:

H. F. No. 3417, A bill for an act relating to capital investment; appropriating money for waterfront revitalization in the city of Ranier; authorizing the sale and issuance of state bonds.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Environment and Natural Resources Policy and Finance.

O'Driscoll and Hoppe introduced:

H. F. No. 3418, A bill for an act relating to commerce; changing requirements for motor vehicle service contracts; amending Minnesota Statutes 2016, section 59B.02, subdivision 11, by adding a subdivision.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Commerce and Regulatory Reform.

Swedzinski and Knoblach introduced:

H. F. No. 3419, A bill for an act relating to game and fish; regulating importation of hunter-harvested Cervidae carcasses; amending Minnesota Statutes 2016, section 97A.505, subdivision 8.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Environment and Natural Resources Policy and Finance.

Erickson and Lueck introduced:

H. F. No. 3420, A bill for an act relating to economic development; creating the Lake Mille Lacs area economic restoration program; appropriating money for grants to businesses adversely affected by a decline in walleye fishing.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Job Growth and Energy Affordability Policy and Finance.

Fabian introduced:

H. F. No. 3421, A bill for an act relating to game and fish; modifying commissioner's duties; modifying provisions for elk licenses; amending Minnesota Statutes 2016, sections 97A.051, subdivision 2; 97A.433, subdivisions 4, 5.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Environment and Natural Resources Policy and Finance.

Fabian introduced:

H. F. No. 3422, A bill for an act relating to game and fish; modifying bait and equipment requirements for infested waters; amending Minnesota Statutes 2016, section 97C.345, subdivision 3a; Minnesota Statutes 2017 Supplement, section 84D.03, subdivisions 3, 4.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Environment and Natural Resources Policy and Finance.

Fabian introduced:

H. F. No. 3423, A bill for an act relating to natural resources; modifying provisions for legal representation of department; providing for training and licensing of wildland firefighters; modifying provisions for approved firewood; amending Minnesota Statutes 2016, sections 88.10, by adding a subdivision; 88.75, subdivision 1; 89.551; Minnesota Statutes 2017 Supplement, section 84.01, subdivision 6.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Environment and Natural Resources Policy and Finance.

Fabian introduced:

H. F. No. 3424, A bill for an act relating to state lands; providing for lease security; modifying requirements of public land sales; adding to and deleting from state parks and forests; amending Minnesota Statutes 2016, sections 92.50, by adding a subdivision; 94.10, subdivision 2; Minnesota Statutes 2017 Supplement, section 89.17; repealing Laws 2008, chapter 368, article 1, section 21, subdivision 2.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Environment and Natural Resources Policy and Finance.

Lucero introduced:

H. F. No. 3425, A bill for an act relating to crime; providing for the crime of digital picture and recording misrepresentation; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 609.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Public Safety and Security Policy and Finance.

Slocum introduced:

H. F. No. 3426, A bill for an act relating to consumer protection; regulating used motor vehicle dealers; regulating home solicitation sales; modifying buyer liability limits with respect to certain consumer credit transactions; requiring notice of automatic renewal cancellation; providing for additional rights of occupants of self-storage facilities; providing a remedy for violation of statute of limitations for actions based on consumer debt; requiring additional substantiation of allegations in actions based on collection of assigned debt; establishing a minimum exemption from levy and garnishment of funds on deposit in financial institutions; regulating consumer fraud; modifying remedies; amending Minnesota Statutes 2016, sections 325F.662, subdivision 9, by adding subdivisions; 325F.69, by adding a subdivision; 325G.06, by adding subdivisions; 325G.07; 325G.08, subdivision 1, by adding a subdivision; 325G.11; 325G.22, subdivision 1; 514.972, subdivision 5; 514.973, subdivisions 2, 9, by adding a subdivision; 541.053; 548.101; 550.143, subdivision 1; 550.37, by adding a subdivision; 551.05, subdivision 1; 571.91; 571.922; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapters 325F; 325G.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Commerce and Regulatory Reform.

Slocum and Bly introduced:

H. F. No. 3427, A bill for an act relating to railroads; modifying passenger and freight rail powers and funding; allocating certain property tax revenue; making technical changes; amending Minnesota Statutes 2016, sections 174.632, subdivision 2; 174.636, subdivision 1; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 174; repealing Minnesota Statutes 2016, section 174.634.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Transportation and Regional Governance Policy.

Swedzinski introduced:

H. F. No. 3428, A bill for an act relating to capital investment; appropriating money for the Clarkfield school project; authorizing the sale and issuance of state bonds.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Job Growth and Energy Affordability Policy and Finance.

Dettmer introduced:

H. F. No. 3429, A bill for an act relating to property taxes; disabled veterans homestead exclusion; modifying the spousal benefit; amending the application requirement; amending Minnesota Statutes 2017 Supplement, section 273.13, subdivision 34.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Veterans Affairs Division.

Gruenhagen introduced:

H. F. No. 3430, A bill for an act relating to taxation; property; providing for classification of facilities used as retreat houses or craft houses as seasonal-recreational property; amending Minnesota Statutes 2017 Supplement, section 273.13, subdivision 25.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Taxes.

Loeffler and Davnie introduced:

H. F. No. 3431, A bill for an act relating to taxation; city of Minneapolis; removing limitation on certain local special taxes; amending Laws 1986, chapter 396, section 5, as amended.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Taxes.

Albright, Halverson and Zerwas introduced:

H. F. No. 3432, A bill for an act relating to human services; modifying provisions governing mental health providers; amending Minnesota Statutes 2016, sections 245.4871, subdivision 4; 256B.0622, subdivision 7a; 256B.0623, subdivision 5; 256B.0625, by adding a subdivision; 256B.0946, subdivision 1a; Minnesota Statutes 2017 Supplement, sections 245.462, subdivision 17; 245.4871, subdivision 26; 256B.0943, subdivision 1.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Health and Human Services Reform.

Swedzinski introduced:

H. F. No. 3433, A bill for an act relating to game and fish; lowering the minimum age to take big game; amending Minnesota Statutes 2016, section 97A.451, subdivision 4; Minnesota Statutes 2017 Supplement, section 97A.475, subdivision 2.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Environment and Natural Resources Policy and Finance.

Omar; Hamilton; Flanagan; Maye Quade; Anselmo; Moran; Freiberg; Carlson, A.; Dehn, R.; Hornstein; Kunesh-Podein; Ward; Becker-Finn; Zerwas; Franke; Mahoney; Bly; Nelson; Metsa; West; Murphy, E., and Pinto introduced:

H. F. No. 3434, A bill for an act relating to public safety; eliminating the statute of limitations for certain sex offenses; amending Minnesota Statutes 2016, section 628.26.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Public Safety and Security Policy and Finance.

Moran introduced:

H. F. No. 3435, A bill for an act relating to juvenile justice; providing for juvenile sentencing; amending Minnesota Statutes 2016, sections 244.05, subdivisions 4, 5; 609.106, subdivision 2, by adding a subdivision; 609.3455, subdivision 2.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Public Safety and Security Policy and Finance.

Knoblach; Johnson, B., and Hilstrom introduced:

H. F. No. 3436, A bill for an act relating to judiciary; prohibiting use of state funds to expand audio and video coverage in criminal proceedings.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Public Safety and Security Policy and Finance.

Knoblach; Anderson, S., and O'Driscoll introduced:

H. F. No. 3437, A bill for an act relating to state government; authorizing court-ordered funding of critical functions in certain circumstances; appropriating money; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 16A.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Government Operations and Elections Policy.

Loeffler, Hornstein, Mahoney and Bly introduced:

H. F. No. 3438, A bill for an act relating to public safety; enabling law enforcement and family members to petition a court to prohibit people from possessing firearms if they pose a significant danger to themselves or others by possessing a firearm; amending Minnesota Statutes 2016, section 624.713, subdivision 1; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 245.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Public Safety and Security Policy and Finance.

Whelan introduced:

H. F. No. 3439, A bill for an act relating to higher education; requesting the University of Minnesota to control administrative costs; requiring a report; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 137.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Higher Education and Career Readiness Policy and Finance.

Layman, Heintzeman, Poston, Kiel and Bliss introduced:

H. F. No. 3440, A bill for an act relating to natural resources; modifying use of snowmobile trails and enforcement account; amending Minnesota Statutes 2016, section 84.83, subdivision 3.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Environment and Natural Resources Policy and Finance.

Backer, Nornes, Fabian, Hamilton, Munson and Marquart introduced:

H. F. No. 3441, A bill for an act relating to agriculture; clarifying application of fugitive emission standards to certain commodity facilities; amending Minnesota Statutes 2016, section 116.07, by adding a subdivision.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Agriculture Policy.

Backer, Hamilton and Miller introduced:

H. F. No. 3442, A bill for an act relating to agriculture; reducing the minimum production level for advanced biofuel production incentive payments; amending Minnesota Statutes 2016, section 41A.16, subdivision 1.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Agriculture Policy.

Christensen introduced:

H. F. No. 3443, A bill for an act relating to state government; adopting a right to live free from the presence of Arie Luyendyk, Jr.; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 1.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Government Operations and Elections Policy.

Rosenthal and Carlson, A., introduced:

H. F. No. 3444, A bill for an act relating to capital investment; appropriating money for asset preservation projects on the Normandale Community College campus; authorizing the sale and issuance of state bonds.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Higher Education and Career Readiness Policy and Finance.

Kresha; Anderson, S.; Fabian; Ecklund; Howe; Green; Heintzeman; Rarick; Dettmer; Torkelson; Swedzinski and Miller introduced:

H. F. No. 3445, A bill for an act relating to state government; modifying rulemaking; amending Minnesota Statutes 2016, sections 14.05, by adding subdivisions; 14.116; 14.126; 14.127, subdivision 4; 14.22, subdivision 1; 14.366; 14.381, subdivision 3; 14.388, subdivision 2; 14.45; repealing Minnesota Statutes 2016, section 14.05, subdivision 5.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Government Operations and Elections Policy.

Nash and Hilstrom introduced:

H. F. No. 3446, A bill for an act relating to capital investment; appropriating money for Capitol complex security; authorizing the sale and issuance of state bonds.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on State Government Finance.

Howe and Baker introduced:

H. F. No. 3447, A bill for an act relating to state government; requiring certain information and telecommunications technology projects to be developed and completed by contract; requiring a legislative report before a project is deployed for live use; amending Minnesota Statutes 2016, sections 16E.01, subdivision 1a; 16E.0465; Minnesota Statutes 2017 Supplement, section 16E.0466, subdivision 2.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Government Operations and Elections Policy.

Quam introduced:

H. F. No. 3448, A bill for an act relating to health; changing isolation and quarantine provisions; amending Minnesota Statutes 2016, sections 144.419, subdivision 1; 144.4196, subdivisions 1, 2.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Health and Human Services Reform.

Loonan introduced:

H. F. No. 3449, A bill for an act relating to health care; requiring providers to provide patients with written estimates of charges; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 62J; repealing Minnesota Statutes 2016, section 62J.823.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Commerce and Regulatory Reform.

Gruenhagen and Loonan introduced:

H. F. No. 3450, A bill for an act relating to health insurance; requiring notification prior to provider network changes; amending Minnesota Statutes 2016, section 62K.075.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Commerce and Regulatory Reform.

Theis introduced:

H. F. No. 3451, A bill for an act relating to human services; directing the commissioner of human services to allow brain injury and community access for disability inclusion waivers customized living services provider to transfer capacity to up to three other housing with services settings located in Hennepin County.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Health and Human Services Reform.

Gruenhagen and Loonan introduced:

H. F. No. 3452, A bill for an act relating to insurance; health; modifying requirements for health insurance underwriting, renewability, and benefits; creating the Minnesota health risk pool program; allowing the creation of unified personal health premium accounts; creating the Minnesota health contribution program; requesting waivers; amending Minnesota Statutes 2016, sections 13.7191, by adding a subdivision; 60A.235, by adding a subdivision; 62A.65, subdivisions 3, 5, by adding a subdivision; 62L.03, subdivision 3, by adding a subdivision; 62L.08, subdivision 7, by adding a subdivision; 62Q.18, subdivision 10; 62V.05, subdivision 3; 290.0132, by adding a subdivision; 297I.05, subdivisions 1, 5; Minnesota Statutes 2017 Supplement, section 3.971, subdivision 6; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapters 62A; 62K; 62Q; 256L; proposing coding for new law as Minnesota Statutes, chapters 62W; 62X; repealing Minnesota Statutes 2016, sections 62A.303; 62A.65, subdivision 2; 62L.08, subdivision 4; 62L.12, subdivisions 3, 4.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Commerce and Regulatory Reform.

Murphy, E.; Hortman; Flanagan; Liebling; Halverson; Metsa; Masin; Moran; Schultz; Omar; Maye Quade; Loeffler; Kunesh-Podein; Rosenthal; Olson; Fischer; Koegel; Carlson, A.; Becker-Finn; Pryor; Freiberg; Dehn, R.; Clark; Johnson, C.; Davnie; Hornstein; Youakim; Bernardy; Pinto; Allen; Hilstrom and Slocum introduced:

H. F. No. 3453, A bill for an act relating to health; requiring health plans to cover contraceptive methods, sterilization, and related medical services, patient education, and counseling; providing religious exemptions; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 62Q.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Commerce and Regulatory Reform.

Anderson, S., and Kresha introduced:

H. F. No. 3454, A bill for an act relating to children; establishing pilot projects on relative foster care licensing and child protection; requiring reports; amending Minnesota Statutes 2016, section 626.556, by adding a subdivision; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 245A.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Health and Human Services Reform.

Zerwas introduced:

H. F. No. 3455, A bill for an act relating to human services; modifying provisions related to providers of behavioral health services; amending Minnesota Statutes 2016, sections 245A.04, subdivision 7; 256B.0622, subdivisions 3a, 4; 256B.0623, subdivision 4; 256B.0624, subdivision 4; Minnesota Statutes 2017 Supplement, section 245G.03, subdivision 1.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Health and Human Services Reform.

Fenton and Baker introduced:

H. F. No. 3456, A bill for an act relating to insurance; requiring parity between mental health benefits and other medical benefits; defining mental health and substance use disorders; requiring health plan transparency; requiring accountability from the commissioners of health and commerce; amending Minnesota Statutes 2016, sections 62Q.01, by adding subdivisions; 62Q.47.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Commerce and Regulatory Reform.

Loeffler, Pierson, Halverson, Liebling, Fischer and Pinto introduced:

H. F. No. 3457, A bill for an act relating to human services; modifying Northstar Care for Children agreement timeline; amending Minnesota Statutes 2016, section 256N.26, subdivision 9.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Health and Human Services Reform.

Halverson introduced:

H. F. No. 3458, A bill for an act relating to health; modifying certain cremation provisions; amending Minnesota Statutes 2016, sections 149A.941, subdivisions 12, 27; 149A.95, subdivision 4, by adding a subdivision.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Health and Human Services Reform.

Youakim, O'Neill and Franke introduced:

H. F. No. 3459, A bill for an act relating to public safety; providing for immunity from prosecution for certain controlled substance and alcohol violations for sexual assault victim and persons assisting the victim; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 604A.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Public Safety and Security Policy and Finance.

Hornstein; Lien; Carlson, L.; Lee; Murphy, M., and Loeffler introduced:

H. F. No. 3460, A bill for an act relating to transportation; modifying the state rail safety inspection program; amending Minnesota Statutes 2016, section 219.015, subdivisions 1, 2.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Transportation and Regional Governance Policy.

Bernardy and Petersburg introduced:

H. F. No. 3461, A bill for an act relating to transportation; requiring the commissioner of transportation to develop and implement a trunk highway performance implementation plan; amending Minnesota Statutes 2016, section 174.03, by adding a subdivision.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Transportation and Regional Governance Policy.

Bernardy, Hornstein, Masin and Bly introduced:

H. F. No. 3462, A bill for an act relating to transportation; regulating highway right-of-way moving practices; providing for pollinator habitat management; amending Minnesota Statutes 2016, sections 160.23; 160.232; 160.2715.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Agriculture Policy.

Petersburg, Nash and Baker introduced:

H. F. No. 3463, A bill for an act relating to motor vehicles; modifying various provisions governing motor vehicle titling and registration; amending Minnesota Statutes 2016, sections 80E.13; 168.013, subdivision 6; 168.27, by adding subdivisions; 168.301, subdivision 3; 168.33, subdivision 8a; 168.346, subdivision 1; 168A.05, by adding a subdivision; 168A.12, subdivision 2; 168A.17, by adding a subdivision; Minnesota Statutes 2017 Supplement, section 168.013, subdivision 1a; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 168A.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Transportation and Regional Governance Policy.

Davids introduced:

H. F. No. 3464, A bill for an act relating to taxation; individual income; modifying the subtraction for charitable contributions for taxpayers who do not itemize; amending Minnesota Statutes 2016, section 290.0132, subdivision 7.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Taxes.

Hortman; Pinto; Olson; Freiberg; Omar; Murphy, E.; Uglem and Flanagan introduced:

H. F. No. 3465, A bill for an act relating to public safety; eliminating the voluntary relationship defense for criminal sexual conduct crimes; repealing Minnesota Statutes 2016, section 609.349.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Public Safety and Security Policy and Finance.

Whelan, Omar and Gruenhagen introduced:

H. F. No. 3466, A bill for an act relating to health; requiring the commissioner of health to conduct a communicable disease vaccine study; appropriating money.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Health and Human Services Reform.

Gruenhagen and Schomacker introduced:

H. F. No. 3467, A bill for an act relating to body art; adding a provision for license by reciprocity; amending Minnesota Statutes 2016, section 146B.03, subdivision 8.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Health and Human Services Reform.

Olson; O'Driscoll; Allen; Freiberg; Halverson; Rarick; Hamilton; Liebling; Bernardy; Loeffler; Murphy, E.; Hilstrom; Fischer; Slocum; Rosenthal and Mariani introduced:

H. F. No. 3468, A bill for an act relating to health; making changes to statutory provisions affecting older and vulnerable adults; modifying the Minnesota Health Records Act and the health care bill of rights; modifying regulation of nursing homes, home care providers, housing with services establishments, and assisted living services; modifying requirements for reporting maltreatment of vulnerable adults; establishing an advisory task force; providing for access to information and data sharing; requiring reports; imposing civil and criminal penalties; amending Minnesota Statutes 2016, sections 144.291, subdivision 2; 144.6501, subdivision 3, by adding a subdivision; 144.651, subdivisions 1, 2, 4, 6, 14, 16, 17, 20, 21, by adding subdivisions; 144A.10, subdivision 1; 144A.44; 144A.441; 144A.442; 144A.45, subdivisions 1, 2; 144A.474, subdivisions 1, 8, 9; 144A.4791, subdivision 10; 144A.53, subdivisions 1, 4; 144D.01, subdivision 1; 144D.02; 144D.04, by adding a subdivision; 144D.09; 144G.01, subdivision 1; 325F.71; 573.02, subdivision 2; 609.2231, subdivision 8; 626.557, subdivisions 3, 4, 9, 9a, 9b, 9c, 9d, 10b, 12b, 14, 17; 626.5572, by adding a subdivision; Minnesota Statutes 2017 Supplement, sections 144A.474, subdivision 11; 144D.04, subdivision 2; 256.045, subdivisions 3, 4; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapters 144; 144D; 144G; repealing Minnesota Statutes 2016, sections 144G.03, subdivision 6; 256.021.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Health and Human Services Reform.

Runbeck; Hertaus; McDonald; Neu; Barr, R., and Petersburg introduced:

H. F. No. 3469, A bill for an act relating to mass transit; requiring a transit system development implementation plan.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Transportation and Regional Governance Policy.

Metsa introduced:

H. F. No. 3470, A bill for an act relating to capital investment; appropriating money for regional public safety facility in Virginia; authorizing the sale and issuance of state bonds.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Public Safety and Security Policy and Finance.

Johnson, S.; Hausman; Theis; Lillie and Dehn, R., introduced:

H. F. No. 3471, A bill for an act relating to capital investment; appropriating money for the Conway Community Recreation Center in St. Paul; authorizing the sale and issuance of state bonds.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on State Government Finance.

Swedzinski introduced:

H. F. No. 3472, A bill for an act relating to natural resources; modifying requirements for saltwater aquatic farms; amending Minnesota Statutes 2016, sections 17.494; 17.4982, by adding subdivisions; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 17.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Agriculture Policy.

Schomacker introduced:

H. F. No. 3473, A bill for an act relating to energy; allowing alternative review for high-voltage transmission lines applicants under certain conditions; amending Minnesota Statutes 2016, section 216E.04, subdivision 2.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Job Growth and Energy Affordability Policy and Finance.

Baker, Maye Quade, Gunther and Moran introduced:

H. F. No. 3474, A bill for an act relating to housing; appropriating money for various Minnesota Housing Finance Agency programs.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Job Growth and Energy Affordability Policy and Finance.

Dettmer introduced:

H. F. No. 3475, A bill for an act relating to capital investment; appropriating money for St. Croix River riverbank restoration in Stillwater; authorizing the sale and issuance of state bonds.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Environment and Natural Resources Policy and Finance.

Lesch; Mahoney; Hausman; Murphy, E., and Mariani introduced:

H. F. No. 3476, A bill for an act relating to capital investment; appropriating money for asset preservation at Como Zoo; authorizing the sale and issuance of state bonds.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Environment and Natural Resources Policy and Finance.

Bliss introduced:

H. F. No. 3477, A bill for an act relating to local government; authorizing designation of Purple Heart City or a Purple Heart County; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 197.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Veterans Affairs Division.

Metsa, Ecklund and Sandstede introduced:

H. F. No. 3478, A bill for an act relating to natural resources; appropriating money for all-terrain vehicle trails.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Environment and Natural Resources Policy and Finance.

Franke introduced:

H. F. No. 3479, A bill for an act relating to public safety; modifying the schedules of controlled substances; amending Minnesota Statutes 2016, section 152.02, subdivision 5; Minnesota Statutes 2017 Supplement, section 152.02, subdivision 2.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Health and Human Services Reform.

Barr, R.; Fenton; Anselmo; Daniels and Koznick introduced:

H. F. No. 3480, A bill for an act relating to consumer protection; regulating security freezes on consumer reports; providing for payment of fees; amending Minnesota Statutes 2016, section 13C.016, subdivisions 1, 8; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 13C.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Commerce and Regulatory Reform.

Hansen and Hornstein introduced:

H. F. No. 3481, A bill for an act relating to public safety; providing temporary appointment of additional driver's license agents to assist with REAL ID implementation; requiring a report; appropriating money.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Transportation and Regional Governance Policy.

Anderson, S.; Pugh and Hertaus introduced:

H. F. No. 3482, A bill for an act relating to taxation; authorizing certain cities in Hennepin County to receive a portion of the transportation sales and use tax to spend on roads and bridges within city limits; amending Minnesota Statutes 2016, section 297A.993, by adding a subdivision.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Taxes.

Layman introduced:

H. F. No. 3483, A bill for an act relating to public safety; modifying the crime of assaulting medical personnel; creating the crime of assaulting a medical security officer; creating the crime of assaulting a community service officer; amending Minnesota Statutes 2016, section 609.2231, subdivisions 2, 9.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Public Safety and Security Policy and Finance.

Johnson, C.; Hamilton; Poppe; Schomacker; Gunther; Bennett and Considine introduced:

H. F. No. 3484, A bill for an act relating to rural development; appropriating money for a rural economic development study.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Job Growth and Energy Affordability Policy and Finance.

Lucero, Poston, O'Neill and Theis introduced:

H. F. No. 3485, A bill for an act relating to transportation; requiring corridors of commerce funds be split equally between the metropolitan area and outside of the metropolitan area; amending Minnesota Statutes 2016, section 161.088, subdivision 2.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Transportation Finance.

Peterson introduced:

H. F. No. 3486, A bill for an act relating to family law; appropriating money to the commissioner of human services for a grant to study certain family law issues in the First Judicial District.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Civil Law and Data Practices Policy.

Anderson, P.; Backer and Urdahl introduced:

H. F. No. 3487, A bill for an act relating to agriculture; requiring reimbursement of certain persons who control or eradicate noxious weeds on a trunk highway right-of-way; amending Minnesota Statutes 2016, section 18.78, subdivision 1.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Agriculture Policy.

Newberger introduced:

H. F. No. 3488, A bill for an act relating to employment; requiring employers of pregnant emergency medical technicians to provide pregnancy accommodations; amending Minnesota Statutes 2016, section 181.9414, by adding a subdivision.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Commerce and Regulatory Reform.

Hausman introduced:

H. F. No. 3489, A bill for an act relating to arts and cultural heritage; appropriating money for Bell Museum of Natural History.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Legacy Funding Finance.

Sandstede, Sundin, Ecklund, Metsa, Mariani and Nelson introduced:

H. F. No. 3490, A bill for an act relating to motor vehicles; modifying qualifications for certification to perform certain commercial motor vehicle inspections; amending Minnesota Statutes 2016, section 169.781, subdivision 3.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Transportation and Regional Governance Policy.

Sandstede, Sundin, Ecklund, Metsa, Schultz and Olson introduced:

H. F. No. 3491, A bill for an act relating to environment; appropriating money for Central Iron Range Sanitary Sewer District.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Job Growth and Energy Affordability Policy and Finance.

Heintzeman, Layman and Ecklund introduced:

H. F. No. 3492, A bill for an act relating to natural resources; modifying snowmobile registration sticker requirements; amending Minnesota Statutes 2016, section 84.82, subdivision 3a.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Environment and Natural Resources Policy and Finance.

Anderson, P.; Swedzinski; Schomacker; Poston; Johnson, C.; Metsa; Liebling; Pinto; Rarick and Nelson introduced:

H. F. No. 3493, A bill for an act relating to local government aid; increasing the city aid appropriation; amending Minnesota Statutes 2017 Supplement, section 477A.03, subdivision 2a.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Taxes.

Davids introduced:

H. F. No. 3494, A bill for an act relating to taxation; corporate franchise; clarifying the application of the tax to certain captive insurance companies; amending Minnesota Statutes 2016, section 290.01, by adding a subdivision; Minnesota Statutes 2017 Supplement, sections 290.01, subdivision 4a; 290.05, subdivision 1; 290.17, subdivision 4.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Taxes.

Anselmo, Hausman, Urdahl, Pierson and Hilstrom introduced:

H. F. No. 3495, A bill for an act relating to capital investment; appropriating money for a statewide Second Harvest Heartland charitable food facility in the city of Brooklyn Park; authorizing the sale and issuance of state bonds.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Job Growth and Energy Affordability Policy and Finance.

Zerwas, Ward and Hausman introduced:

H. F. No. 3496, A bill for an act relating to public safety; providing for a grant to develop protocol and conduct training to identify and assist victims of labor trafficking; appropriating money.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Public Safety and Security Policy and Finance.

O'Neill introduced:

H. F. No. 3497, A bill for an act relating to telecommunications; limiting application fees for certain wireless facility applications; amending Minnesota Statutes 2016, section 462.353, by adding a subdivision; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 394.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Government Operations and Elections Policy.

Green introduced:

H. F. No. 3498, A bill for an act relating to state lands; requiring approval of state acquisition of real property in fee; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 16B.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Environment and Natural Resources Policy and Finance.

Poston, Kresha, Heintzeman and Lueck introduced:

H. F. No. 3499, A bill for an act relating to capital investment; appropriating money for the Central Lakes College student services and academic support project; authorizing the sale and issuance of state bonds.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Higher Education and Career Readiness Policy and Finance.

Carlson, L.; Hornstein and Freiberg introduced:

H. F. No. 3500, A bill for an act relating to traffic regulations; amending requirements on driving in the right-hand lane; making technical changes; amending Minnesota Statutes 2016, sections 169.18, subdivisions 3, 10; 171.0705, by adding a subdivision; Minnesota Statutes 2017 Supplement, section 169.18, subdivision 7.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Transportation and Regional Governance Policy.

Anderson, P., and Davnie introduced:

H. F. No. 3501, A bill for an act relating to taxation; property; modifying documentation of tax-forfeited land sale; amending Minnesota Statutes 2016, section 282.01, subdivision 6.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Taxes.

Fabian introduced:

H. F. No. 3502, A bill for an act relating to natural resources; modifying licensing requirements; modifying commissioner's duties; providing for training and licensing of wildland firefighters; prohibiting bear feeding; modifying Wildfire Act; modifying tagging requirements for gear used in commercial fishing; modifying restrictions

on using cast nets; modifying penalties related to approved firewood; providing for legal counsel to vacate roads; providing for lease security; modifying requirements of public land sales; adding to and deleting from state parks, recreation areas, and forests; providing criminal penalties; amending Minnesota Statutes 2016, sections 88.10, by adding a subdivision; 88.75, subdivision 1; 89.551; 92.50, by adding a subdivision; 94.10, subdivision 2; 97A.051, subdivision 2; 97A.433, subdivisions 4, 5; 97C.345, subdivision 3a; Minnesota Statutes 2017 Supplement, sections 84.01, subdivision 6; 84D.03, subdivisions 3, 4; 89.17; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 97B; repealing Laws 2008, chapter 368, article 1, section 21, subdivision 2.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Environment and Natural Resources Policy and Finance.

Torkelson introduced:

H. F. No. 3503, A bill for an act relating to taxation; property; expanding disabled veterans' eligibility for homestead value exclusion; modifying benefit eligibility for deceased veteran's spouse; amending Minnesota Statutes 2016, section 273.13, subdivision 34.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Veterans Affairs Division.

Zerwas introduced:

H. F. No. 3504, A bill for an act relating to corrections; extending retention of certain criminal gang investigative data; amending Minnesota Statutes 2016, section 299C.091, subdivision 5.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Public Safety and Security Policy and Finance.

Anderson, S., and Zerwas introduced:

H. F. No. 3505, A bill for an act relating to public safety; enhancing penalties for certain theft offenses; amending Minnesota Statutes 2016, section 609.52, subdivision 3.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Public Safety and Security Policy and Finance.

Barr, R., introduced:

H. F. No. 3506, A bill for an act relating to capital investment; appropriating money for Inver Hills Community College technology and business center project; authorizing the sale and issuance of state bonds.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Higher Education and Career Readiness Policy and Finance.

Lueck and Dettmer introduced:

H. F. No. 3507, A bill for an act relating to state government; veterans; directing secretary of state to collect veteran status data from applicants for appointments to state agencies, boards, councils, commissions, and task forces; amending Minnesota Statutes 2016, sections 15.0597, subdivisions 2, 5, 7; 15.0599, subdivision 4.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Veterans Affairs Division.

Moran; Zerwas; Carlson, A.; Lee; Hamilton; Slocum; Davnie and Omar introduced:

H. F. No. 3508, A bill for an act relating to human services; prohibiting disqualification of individuals subject to human services background studies with expunged criminal records; amending Minnesota Statutes 2016, sections 245C.14; 245C.15, by adding a subdivision; 245C.24, by adding a subdivision; Minnesota Statutes 2017 Supplement, section 245C.16, subdivision 1.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Health and Human Services Reform.

Kresha introduced:

H. F. No. 3509, A bill for an act relating to counties; providing a process for making the office of county recorder appointive in Morrison County.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Government Operations and Elections Policy.

Hausman; Bly; Murphy, E.; Moran; Mariani; Lesch; Dehn, R., and Dean, M., introduced:

H. F. No. 3510, A bill for an act relating to capital investment; appropriating money and modifying a prior appropriation for the Minnesota Museum of American Art; authorizing the sale and issuance of state bonds; amending Laws 2017, First Special Session chapter 8, article 1, section 20, subdivision 21.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Capital Investment.

Lien introduced:

H. F. No. 3511, A bill for an act relating to lawful gambling; regulating electronic paddlewheels; providing for use of symbols; modifying methods of wagering and ticket requirements; amending Minnesota Statutes 2016, sections 349.12, subdivisions 18, 28a, 28b, 29; 349.151, subdivision 4a; 349.211, subdivision 2b; 609.76, subdivision 8.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Commerce and Regulatory Reform.

Davids introduced:

H. F. No. 3512, A bill for an act relating to local government financing; modifying interest rate for drainage lien principal; modifying definitions; updating code references; amending Minnesota Statutes 2016, sections 103E.611, subdivision 2; 471.831, subdivision 1; 475.521, subdivision 1.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Environment and Natural Resources Policy and Finance.

Newberger introduced:

H. F. No. 3513, A bill for an act relating to natural resources; modifying management requirements for Sand Dunes State Forest; amending Laws 2017, chapter 93, article 2, section 155.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Environment and Natural Resources Policy and Finance.

Barr, R.; Fenton; Runbeck; Daniels and Koznick introduced:

H. F. No. 3514, A bill for an act relating to the Metropolitan Council; prohibiting certain promotional signs and activities; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 473.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Transportation and Regional Governance Policy.

Poppe; Johnson, C., and Sauke introduced:

H. F. No. 3515, A bill for an act relating to agriculture; appropriating money for a grant to Farmers' Legal Action Group.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Agriculture Finance.

Becker-Finn and Flanagan introduced:

H. F. No. 3516, A bill for an act relating to public safety; raising the minimum age requirement to possess a semiautomatic military-style assault weapon; expanding the definition of semiautomatic military-style assault weapon; specifically criminalizing the transfer of semiautomatic military-style assault weapons to underage persons; amending Minnesota Statutes 2016, sections 624.712, subdivision 7, by adding subdivisions; 624.713, subdivision 1; 624.7132, subdivision 15; 624.7141, subdivision 1.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Public Safety and Security Policy and Finance.

Slocum and Bly introduced:

H. F. No. 3517, A bill for an act relating to consumer protection; regulating security freezes; prohibiting certain fees; amending Minnesota Statutes 2016, section 13C.016, subdivision 8.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Civil Law and Data Practices Policy.

O'Neill, Drazkowski, McDonald, Rarick and Garofalo introduced:

H. F. No. 3518, A bill for an act relating to state government; requiring pay increases for state personnel be tied to performance; amending Minnesota Statutes 2016, section 43A.20.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Government Operations and Elections Policy.

Anderson, P., and Franson introduced:

H. F. No. 3519, A bill for an act relating to environment; appropriating money to meet certain standards for water quality.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Job Growth and Energy Affordability Policy and Finance.

Anderson, P., and Franson introduced:

H. F. No. 3520, A bill for an act relating to environment; providing for offset to achieve certain standards for water quality; appropriating money.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Environment and Natural Resources Policy and Finance.

Runbeck and Loon introduced:

H. F. No. 3521, A bill for an act relating to transportation; establishing certain project funding requirements for the regional solicitation process of the Metropolitan Council.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Transportation and Regional Governance Policy.

Runbeck, Petersburg and Daudt introduced:

H. F. No. 3522, A bill for an act relating to transportation finance; modifying and establishing certain limitations on use of state funds for transit capital expenditures; amending Minnesota Statutes 2016, sections 16A.88, subdivision 2; 473.375, by adding a subdivision; 473.4051, subdivision 3.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Transportation Finance.

Anderson, P., introduced:

H. F. No. 3523, A bill for an act relating to biodiesel; allowing the minimum biodiesel content level for diesel fuel to be modified during certain times of the year; extending Number 1 diesel exemption; amending Minnesota Statutes 2016, section 239.77, subdivisions 2, 3a.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Agriculture Policy.

McDonald introduced:

H. F. No. 3524, A bill for an act relating to state government; precluding per diem living expenses for legislators during a special session; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 3.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Government Operations and Elections Policy.

Lee and Mahoney introduced:

H. F. No. 3525, A bill for an act relating to higher education; appropriating money to the Board of Trustees of the Minnesota State Colleges and Universities to hire a Hmong studies professor at Metropolitan State University.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Higher Education and Career Readiness Policy and Finance.

Anderson, P., introduced:

H. F. No. 3526, A bill for an act relating to property taxes; amending the agricultural homestead classification requirements for business entities; amending Minnesota Statutes 2016, section 273.124, subdivision 8.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Taxes.

Layman; Baker; Ecklund; Sundin; Neu; Poston; Lueck; Considine; Metsa; Lien; Marquart; Howe; Murphy, M.; Gunther; Rarick; Heintzeman; Bliss; Hamilton; Kiel; Olson; Sandstede; Murphy, E.; Kresha; Schultz; Poppe; Johnson, C.; Haley; Backer and Mahoney introduced:

H. F. No. 3527, A bill for an act relating to telecommunications; appropriating money for the broadband grant program.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Job Growth and Energy Affordability Policy and Finance.

Koznick, Metsa, Rarick, Daudt, Runbeck, Urdahl, Ecklund, Bliss, Albright and Johnson, B., introduced:

H. F. No. 3528, A bill for an act relating to motor vehicles; modifying the class of vehicles requiring a salvage certificate of title; amending Minnesota Statutes 2016, section 168A.151, subdivision 1.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Transportation and Regional Governance Policy.

McDonald introduced:

H. F. No. 3529, A bill for an act relating to taxation; property; expanding exemption for charter school property; amending Minnesota Statutes 2016, section 272.02, subdivision 42.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Education Finance.

Albright introduced:

H. F. No. 3530, A bill for an act relating to health; establishing an advisory council on pediatric autoimmune neuropsychiatric disorders associated with streptococcal infections and pediatric acute-onset neuropsychiatric syndrome; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 144.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Health and Human Services Reform.

McDonald introduced:

H. F. No. 3531, A bill for an act relating to health care; requiring health plan companies to provide enrollees access to participating primary care providers; requiring health plan companies to contract with primary care providers; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 62Q; repealing Minnesota Statutes 2016, section 62Q.57.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Commerce and Regulatory Reform.

Anselmo, Franke, Layman, Baker, Uglem, Halverson, Kunesh-Podein, Freiberg and Moran introduced:

H. F. No. 3532, A bill for an act relating to health; adding charter schools to the prohibition of tobacco in schools; increasing the tobacco sale age; increasing administrative penalties; allowing alternative penalties; amending Minnesota Statutes 2016, sections 144.4165; 144.4167, subdivision 4; 171.171; 461.12, subdivisions 2, 3, 4, 5, 6; 461.18; 609.685; 609.6855; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 461.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Health and Human Services Reform.

Haley, Erickson, Mariani, Rarick and Baker introduced:

H. F. No. 3533, A bill for an act relating to education finance; amending safe schools levy purposes to include medication disposal costs; amending Minnesota Statutes 2016, section 126C.44.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Education Finance.

Dean, M., and Zerwas introduced:

H. F. No. 3534, A bill for an act relating to health; establishing an opioid reduction pilot program; appropriating money.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Health and Human Services Reform.

McDonald introduced:

H. F. No. 3535, A bill for an act relating to health care; limiting co-payments for prescription drugs; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 62Q.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Commerce and Regulatory Reform.

McDonald and Freiberg introduced:

H. F. No. 3536, A bill for an act relating to health occupations; eliminating the term limits for Physician Assistant Advisory Council members; amending Minnesota Statutes 2016, section 147A.27, subdivision 1.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Health and Human Services Reform.

Franson and Dean, M., introduced:

H. F. No. 3537, A bill for an act relating to human services; appropriating money for refurbishing the White Earth Opiate Treatment Facility.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Health and Human Services Finance.

McDonald introduced:

H. F. No. 3538, A bill for an act relating to health; requiring cost disclosure for qualifying prescription drugs; requiring a report; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 144.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Health and Human Services Reform.

McDonald introduced:

H. F. No. 3539, A bill for an act relating to health care; requiring facility fee disclosure; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 62J.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Commerce and Regulatory Reform.

Sandstede; Murphy, M.; Hornstein; Marquart; Davnie; Hilstrom; Ecklund; Metsa; Schultz and Olson introduced:

H. F. No. 3540, A bill for an act relating to education; addressing school safety and student support, including modifications to crisis management information, review and comment submissions, and allowable uses of safe schools levy; increasing safe schools levy authority; codifying the support our students grant program; appropriating money; amending Minnesota Statutes 2016, sections 121A.035, subdivision 2; 123B.71, subdivision 9; 126C.44.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Education Innovation Policy.

Loonan introduced:

H. F. No. 3541, A bill for an act relating to health; requiring transparency in health care costs; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 62J.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Commerce and Regulatory Reform.

Zerwas, Schultz and Kiel introduced:

H. F. No. 3542, A bill for an act relating to human services; appropriating funds for community action grants.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Health and Human Services Finance.

Davids introduced:

H. F. No. 3543, A bill for an act relating to insurance; health; modifying funding for MNsure operations and authority of MNsure to certify health carriers and health plans; requiring submission of federal waivers and approvals by certain deadline; placing limitations on risk-bearing by commissioner of human services; amending Minnesota Statutes 2016, section 62V.05, subdivisions 2, 5, 10; Laws 2015, chapter 71, article 12, section 8.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Commerce and Regulatory Reform.

Theis, Bennett, Davnie, Haley and Fischer introduced:

H. F. No. 3544, A bill for an act relating to education finance; providing grants for water safety instruction for children; appropriating money.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Education Finance.

Sundin, Considine and Ecklund introduced:

H. F. No. 3545, A bill for an act relating to education; requiring child safety curriculum; amending Minnesota Statutes 2017 Supplement, section 124E.03, subdivision 2; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 121A.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Education Innovation Policy.

Drazkowski introduced:

H. F. No. 3546, A bill for an act relating to transportation; modifying certain school bus lighting requirements; governing supplemental warning systems; providing for use of certain funds; making technical changes; amending Minnesota Statutes 2016, sections 123B.595, subdivisions 2, 7, 8, 8a, 9, 10; 126C.44; 169.442, by adding a subdivision; 169.448, subdivision 1; 169.4503, subdivision 13, by adding a subdivision; 169.55, subdivision 1; 169.57, subdivision 3; 169.64, subdivision 3, by adding a subdivision; Minnesota Statutes 2017 Supplement, sections 123B.595, subdivisions 1, 4; 169.442, subdivision 5; 169.64, subdivision 8.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Transportation and Regional Governance Policy.

Kresha and Poston introduced:

H. F. No. 3547, A bill for an act relating to education finance; appropriating money for a teacher preparation program leading to a license to teach the blind or visually impaired.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Education Finance.

Miller and Hamilton introduced:

H. F. No. 3548, A bill for an act relating to transportation; modifying certain hours of service requirements for agricultural transportation; amending Minnesota Statutes 2016, sections 221.031, subdivision 2d; 221.0314, subdivision 9.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Transportation and Regional Governance Policy.

Hamilton, Hausman, Dettmer, Franke, Lueck and Pierson introduced:

H. F. No. 3549, A bill for an act relating to capital investment; appropriating money for accessibility improvements in state parks; authorizing the sale and issuance of state bonds.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Environment and Natural Resources Policy and Finance.

Johnson, C., and Considine introduced:

H. F. No. 3550, A bill for an act relating to human services; establishing a functional family therapy pilot project; appropriating money.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Health and Human Services Reform.

Lohmer; Johnson, B.; O'Neill; Lesch and Hilstrom introduced:

H. F. No. 3551, A bill for an act relating to the Safe at Home program; modifying program requirements; making clarifying and technical changes; amending Minnesota Statutes 2016, sections 5B.02; 5B.03; 5B.05; 5B.07, subdivision 1.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Civil Law and Data Practices Policy.

Smith; Dehn, R., and Hausman introduced:

H. F. No. 3552, A bill for an act relating to real property; modifying the definition of residential use under the Minnesota Common Interest Ownership Act; amending Minnesota Statutes 2016, section 515B.4-111; Minnesota Statutes 2017 Supplement, section 515B.1-103.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Civil Law and Data Practices Policy.

Poston, Heintzeman, Lueck and Kresha introduced:

H. F. No. 3553, A bill for an act relating to capital investment; appropriating money for asset preservation at Central Lakes College; authorizing the sale and issuance of state bonds.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Higher Education and Career Readiness Policy and Finance.

Hilstrom and Johnson, B., introduced:

H. F. No. 3554, A bill for an act relating to corrections; clarifying amount charged to counties for cost of confining juveniles in correctional facilities; amending Minnesota Statutes 2016, section 242.192; repealing Minnesota Statutes 2016, section 401.13.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Public Safety and Security Policy and Finance.

Newberger and Green introduced:

H. F. No. 3555, A bill for an act relating to natural resources; modifying certain conditions on water appropriations and wells; amending Minnesota Statutes 2016, sections 103G.271, by adding a subdivision; 103G.287, subdivision 4; 103G.289; Minnesota Statutes 2017 Supplement, section 103G.271, subdivision 7.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Environment and Natural Resources Policy and Finance.

Heintzeman, Ecklund and Metsa introduced:

H. F. No. 3556, A bill for an act relating to natural resources; appropriating money for statewide planning and development of trails for off-road vehicles.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Environment and Natural Resources Policy and Finance.

Lueck introduced:

H. F. No. 3557, A bill for an act relating to environment; expanding exemptions from requirements for environmental assessment worksheets for certain recreational trails.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Environment and Natural Resources Policy and Finance.

West introduced:

H. F. No. 3558, A bill for an act relating to lawful gambling; modifying record-keeping requirements for certain lawful gambling organizations; modifying the period for assessment of certain taxes for certain lawful gambling organizations; amending Minnesota Statutes 2016, sections 289A.38, subdivision 1; 297E.06, subdivision 2; 297E.11, subdivision 1; 349.1635, subdivision 6; 349.166, subdivisions 1, 2; 349.17, subdivision 9; 349.1721, subdivision 4; 349.19, subdivisions 6, 10.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Commerce and Regulatory Reform.

Hansen, Lillie and Hoppe introduced:

H. F. No. 3559, A bill for an act relating to capital investment; appropriating money for the forests for the future program; authorizing the sale and issuance of state bonds.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Environment and Natural Resources Policy and Finance.

Poppe, Petersburg and Bennett introduced:

H. F. No. 3560, A bill for an act relating to capital investment; appropriating money for improvements at Riverland Community College; authorizing the sale and issuance of state bonds.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Higher Education and Career Readiness Policy and Finance.

Zerwas introduced:

H. F. No. 3561, A bill for an act relating to health; providing for authorized electronic monitoring in certain health care settings; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 144.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Health and Human Services Reform.

Zerwas and Pinto introduced:

H. F. No. 3562, A bill for an act relating to public safety; addressing continued authority of tribal law enforcement agencies upon revocation by the local unit of government of the underlying cooperating agreement; amending Minnesota Statutes 2016, sections 626.90, by adding a subdivision; 626.91, by adding a subdivision; 626.92, by adding a subdivision; 626.93, by adding a subdivision.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Public Safety and Security Policy and Finance.

Sundin introduced:

H. F. No. 3563, A bill for an act relating to higher education; requiring certain payments by the Board of Trustees of the Minnesota State Colleges and Universities for debt service on state-issued bonds; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 136F.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Higher Education and Career Readiness Policy and Finance.

Fischer and Lillie introduced:

H. F. No. 3564, A bill for an act relating to capital investment; appropriating money for asset preservation at Century College; authorizing the sale and issuance of state bonds.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Higher Education and Career Readiness Policy and Finance.

Fischer and Lillie introduced:

H. F. No. 3565, A bill for an act relating to capital investment; appropriating money for the Century College applied technology center project; authorizing the sale and issuance of state bonds.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Higher Education and Career Readiness Policy and Finance.

Davids introduced:

H. F. No. 3566, A bill for an act relating to taxation; sales and use; modifying and limiting liability collection and remittance; amending Minnesota Statutes 2017 Supplement, section 297A.66, subdivision 4b.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Taxes.

Loonan and Hilstrom introduced:

H. F. No. 3567, A bill for an act relating to insurance; regulating affinity group coverages and insurance fraud; amending Minnesota Statutes 2016, sections 60A.06, subdivision 1; 60A.37, subdivision 2; 65B.44, subdivision 2a; Minnesota Statutes 2017 Supplement, section 72A.328, subdivision 1.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Commerce and Regulatory Reform.

Garofalo and Halverson introduced:

H. F. No. 3568, A bill for an act relating to health; changing provisions for medical cannabis manufacturer registration and patient registry program; amending Minnesota Statutes 2016, sections 152.27, by adding a subdivision; 152.29, subdivision 1; Minnesota Statutes 2017 Supplement, sections 144.99, subdivision 1; 152.25, subdivision 1; 364.09.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Health and Human Services Reform.

Anderson, P., introduced:

H. F. No. 3569, A bill for an act relating to taxation; individual income and corporate franchise; updating certain references for changes in federal law; conforming to section 179 expensing allowances for farm machinery; amending Minnesota Statutes 2017 Supplement, sections 290.01, subdivision 19; 290.0131, subdivision 10; 290.0133, subdivision 12.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Taxes.

Nash; Peppin; Daudt; Nornes; Franson; Erickson; Bennett; Kiel; Christensen; Pierson; West; Urdahl; Davids; Drazkowski; Johnson, B.; Dettmer; Franke; Peterson; Poston; Fabian; Daniels; Jurgens; Fenton; Hertaus; Jessup; Runbeck; Anselmo; Lueck; Heintzeman; O'Neill; Pugh; Gruenhagen; Baker; Scott and Green introduced:

H. F. No. 3570, A bill for an act relating to state government; modifying duties of the Office of MN.IT Services; requiring legislation to recodify Minnesota Statutes, chapter 16E.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Government Operations and Elections Policy.

Peterson and Albright introduced:

H. F. No. 3571, A bill for an act relating to health; modifying requirements for distribution of certain home dialysis supplies; amending Minnesota Statutes 2016, sections 151.19, subdivision 1; 151.46.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Health and Human Services Reform.

Omar introduced:

H. F. No. 3572, A bill for an act relating to human services; requiring a report on highly benefit dependent employers; amending Minnesota Statutes 2016, section 268.19, subdivision 1; Minnesota Statutes 2017 Supplement, section 13.46, subdivision 2; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 245.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Health and Human Services Reform.

Albright, Scott and Peterson introduced:

H. F. No. 3573, A bill for an act relating to human services; modifying family child care and legal nonlicensed child care program background study requirements; amending Minnesota Statutes 2017 Supplement, sections 245C.02, subdivision 6a; 245C.04, subdivision 1; 245C.05, subdivision 2b; 245C.15, subdivision 1; 245C.16, subdivision 1.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Health and Human Services Reform.

Pinto, Kiel, Mahoney, Moran, Loeffler, Flanagan, Omar and Pryor introduced:

H. F. No. 3574, A bill for an act relating to health; requiring the commissioner of health to distribute grants to address disparities in prenatal care access and utilization; appropriating money; amending Minnesota Statutes 2016, section 145.928, subdivisions 1, 7.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Health and Human Services Reform.

Albright introduced:

H. F. No. 3575, A bill for an act relating to human services; establishing a working group to make recommendations on restructuring the Department of Human Services; requiring a report.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Health and Human Services Reform.

Hamilton, Liebling and Zerwas introduced:

H. F. No. 3576, A bill for an act relating to human services; ensuring that managed care organizations reimburse mental health providers at an amount that is at least equal to the fee-for-service rate; amending Minnesota Statutes 2017 Supplement, section 256B.761.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Health and Human Services Reform.

Anselmo; Barr, R.; Haley; Smith; Fenton; Loon and Jurgens introduced:

H. F. No. 3577, A bill for an act relating to environment; establishing certified salt applicator program; limiting liability; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 116.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Environment and Natural Resources Policy and Finance.

Hilstrom and Johnson, B., introduced:

H. F. No. 3578, A bill for an act relating to public safety; amending various provisions related to predatory offender registration; amending Minnesota Statutes 2016, sections 171.07, subdivision 1a; 243.166, subdivisions 1a, 1b, 2, 4, 4a, 4c, 5, 6, 7, 7a, by adding a subdivision; 299C.093.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Transportation and Regional Governance Policy.

Urdahl introduced:

H. F. No. 3579, A bill for an act relating to capital investment; appropriating money for improvements at Historic Fort Snelling; authorizing the sale and issuance of state bonds.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on State Government Finance.

Omar, Lee, Kunesh-Podein, Moran and Mariani introduced:

H. F. No. 3580, A resolution urging the United States Congress to suspend United States security assistance to Honduras until such time as human rights violations by Honduran security forces cease and their perpetrators are brought to justice.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Civil Law and Data Practices Policy.

Applebaum introduced:

H. F. No. 3581, A bill for an act relating to mortgage originators and servicers; providing a private right of action on certain actions taken on reverse mortgage loans; amending Minnesota Statutes 2016, section 58.18, subdivision 1.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Civil Law and Data Practices Policy.

Omar, Smith and Zerwas introduced:

H. F. No. 3582, A bill for an act relating to housing; amending requirements for residential leases; amending Minnesota Statutes 2016, section 504B.111; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 504B.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Civil Law and Data Practices Policy.

Bernardy introduced:

H. F. No. 3583, A bill for an act relating to housing; appropriating money to Park Plaza Cooperative for storm shelter improvements.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Job Growth and Energy Affordability Policy and Finance.

Pugh introduced:

H. F. No. 3584, A bill for an act relating to taxation; sales and use; expanding the exemption for certain nonprofit ice facilities; amending Minnesota Statutes 2017 Supplement, section 297A.70, subdivision 20.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Taxes.

Moran and Omar introduced:

H. F. No. 3585, A bill for an act relating to education finance; appropriating money for the Girls in Action program.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Education Finance.

Hamilton; Omar; Masin; West; Knoblach; Moran; Davnie; Murphy, E.; Dehn, R.; Ward; Slocum; Lee; Bernardy and Pinto introduced:

H. F. No. 3586, A bill for an act relating to education; amending provisions related to absence from school for religious observance; amending Minnesota Statutes 2016, sections 120A.35; 120A.40.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Education Innovation Policy.

Peterson and Ward introduced:

H. F. No. 3587, A bill for an act relating to education; providing for nonexclusionary pupil disciplinary policies and practices; requiring a report; amending Minnesota Statutes 2016, sections 121A.41, by adding a subdivision; 121A.42; 121A.45; 121A.46, subdivisions 2, 3, by adding subdivisions; 121A.47, subdivision 2; 121A.53, subdivision 1; 121A.55; 121A.61; 121A.67, by adding a subdivision.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Education Innovation Policy.

Lueck introduced:

H. F. No. 3588, A bill for an act relating to education; natural resources; appropriating money to the Legislative Coordinating Commission to study feasibility of program to authorize school districts to borrow from permanent school fund.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Education Finance.

Urdahl and Pugh introduced:

H. F. No. 3589, A bill for an act relating to education; requiring reporting on civics test questions; amending Minnesota Statutes 2017 Supplement, section 120B.36, subdivision 1.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Education Innovation Policy.

Lee, Mariani, Bly, Kunesh-Podein, Pryor, Sandstede and Maye Quade introduced:

H. F. No. 3590, A bill for an act relating to education; clarifying the definition of teacher; amending Minnesota Statutes 2017 Supplement, section 122A.26, subdivision 2.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Education Innovation Policy.

Dettmer introduced:

H. F. No. 3591, A bill for an act relating to education finance; increasing school district revenues for pupil transportation; modifying calculation of pupil transportation adjustment; appropriating money; amending Minnesota Statutes 2017 Supplement, section 126C.10, subdivision 18a.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Education Finance.

Pugh introduced:

H. F. No. 3592, A bill for an act relating to education finance; authorizing a fund transfer for Independent School District No. 276, Minnetonka.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Education Finance.

Nash introduced:

H. F. No. 3593, A bill for an act relating to transportation; establishing a deputy registrar and driver's license agent reimbursement program; amending allocation of certain motor vehicle fees; making technical and clarifying changes; appropriating money; amending Minnesota Statutes 2016, sections 168.12, subdivisions 1, 2, 2a, 2b, 2c, 2d, 2e, 2g, 5; 168.121, subdivision 1; 168.123, subdivision 1; 168.1235, subdivision 1; 168.1255, subdivision 1; 168.128, subdivision 2; 168.129, subdivision 1; 168.1296, subdivision 1; 168.1297, subdivision 1; 168.1298, subdivision 1; 168.1299, subdivision 1; 168.27, subdivision 11; 168.326; 168.33, subdivision 7; 168.54, subdivision 5; 168A.31, subdivision 1; 299A.705, subdivision 4, by adding subdivisions; Minnesota Statutes 2017 Supplement, sections 168.1256, subdivision 1; 168.1282, subdivision 1; 168.1294, subdivision 1; 168.1295, subdivision 1; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 168; repealing Minnesota Statutes 2016, sections 168.1291, subdivision 4; 168A.31, subdivision 2.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Transportation and Regional Governance Policy.

REPORT FROM THE COMMITTEE ON RULES AND LEGISLATIVE ADMINISTRATION

Peppin from the Committee on Rules and Legislative Administration, pursuant to rules 1.21 and 3.33, designated the following bills to be placed on the Calendar for the Day for Monday, March 12, 2018 and established a prefiling requirement for amendments offered to the following bills:

H. F. Nos. 2764, 1876 and 1243.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS

Metsa moved that his name be stricken as an author on H. F. No. 188. The motion prevailed.

Bliss moved that the names of Dettmer and Pugh be added as authors on H. F. No. 368. The motion prevailed.

Fenton moved that the names of Clark, Ward and Mariani be added as authors on H. F. No. 453. The motion prevailed.

Franson moved that the name of Lillie be added as an author on H. F. No. 822. The motion prevailed.

Nornes moved that the name of Poppe be added as an author on H. F. No. 968. The motion prevailed.

Johnson, C., moved that the name of Theis be added as an author on H. F. No. 972. The motion prevailed.

Hornstein moved that the names of Masin and Carlson, A., be added as authors on H. F. No. 1069. The motion prevailed.

Kiel moved that the name of Howe be added as an author on H. F. No. 1139. The motion prevailed.

Nornes moved that the names of Sandstede and Johnson, C., be added as authors on H. F. No. 1382. The motion prevailed.

Rarick moved that the name of Koegel be added as an author on H. F. No. 1416. The motion prevailed.

Baker moved that the name of Dettmer be added as an author on H. F. No. 1440. The motion prevailed.

Howe moved that the name of Sandstede be added as an author on H. F. No. 1484. The motion prevailed.

Fabian moved that the name of Sandstede be added as an author on H. F. No. 1535. The motion prevailed.

Moran moved that the name of West be added as an author on H. F. No. 1591. The motion prevailed.

Smith moved that the name of Pugh be added as an author on H. F. No. 1609. The motion prevailed.

Bliss moved that the name of Dettmer be added as an author on H. F. No. 1682. The motion prevailed.

Maye Quade moved that the name of Lillie be added as an author on H. F. No. 1772. The motion prevailed.

Bennett moved that the names of Clark; Murphy, E.; Ward and Mariani be added as authors on H. F. No. 1924. The motion prevailed.

Freiberg moved that the name of Koegel be added as an author on H. F. No. 1972. The motion prevailed.

Albright moved that the name of Murphy, E., be added as an author on H. F. No. 1974. The motion prevailed.

Drazkowski moved that the name of Munson be added as an author on H. F. No. 2026. The motion prevailed.

Davids moved that the name of Lohmer be added as an author on H. F. No. 2120. The motion prevailed.

Dehn, R., moved that the names of Ecklund and Davnie be added as authors on H. F. No. 2139. The motion prevailed.

Anselmo moved that the name of Considine be added as an author on H. F. No. 2150. The motion prevailed.

Fischer moved that the names of Clark and Mariani be added as authors on H. F. No. 2160. The motion prevailed.

Albright moved that the names of Urdahl, Jurgens, Poston, Lillie and Bennett be added as authors on H. F. No. 2274. The motion prevailed.

Hilstrom moved that the name of Maye Quade be added as an author on H. F. No. 2288. The motion prevailed.

Franson moved that the name of Pugh be added as an author on H. F. No. 2391. The motion prevailed.

Poston moved that the name of Swedzinski be added as an author on H. F. No. 2406. The motion prevailed.

Bliss moved that the name of Dettmer be added as an author on H. F. No. 2415. The motion prevailed.

Dean, M., moved that the names of Rosenthal; Carlson, A., and Lee be added as authors on H. F. No. 2574. The motion prevailed.

Uglem moved that the name of Koegel be added as an author on H. F. No. 2679. The motion prevailed.

Fabian moved that the name of Dettmer be added as an author on H. F. No. 2687. The motion prevailed.

Quam moved that the name of Munson be added as an author on H. F. No. 2690. The motion prevailed.

Murphy, E., moved that the name of Loeffler be added as an author on H. F. No. 2692. The motion prevailed.

Allen moved that the name of Poston be added as an author on H. F. No. 2705. The motion prevailed.

Green moved that the name of Fabian be added as an author on H. F. No. 2727. The motion prevailed.

Hertaus moved that the name of Youakim be added as an author on H. F. No. 2739. The motion prevailed.

Carlson, L., moved that the name of Sauke be added as an author on H. F. No. 2757. The motion prevailed.

Ecklund moved that the name of Slocum be added as an author on H. F. No. 2785. The motion prevailed.

Lueck moved that the name of Gruenhagen be added as an author on H. F. No. 2802. The motion prevailed.

Considine moved that the name of Slocum be added as an author on H. F. No. 2824. The motion prevailed.

Drazkowski moved that the name of Munson be added as an author on H. F. No. 2833. The motion prevailed.

Halverson moved that the name of Slocum be added as an author on H. F. No. 2838. The motion prevailed.

Halverson moved that the name of Slocum be added as an author on H. F. No. 2839. The motion prevailed.

Layman moved that the name of Lueck be added as an author on H. F. No. 2842. The motion prevailed.

Ecklund moved that the name of Slocum be added as an author on H. F. No. 2853. The motion prevailed.

Miller moved that the name of Davids be added as an author on H. F. No. 2882. The motion prevailed.

Backer moved that the name of Davids be added as an author on H. F. No. 2888. The motion prevailed.

Murphy, E., moved that the name of Slocum be added as an author on H. F. No. 2891. The motion prevailed.

Davids moved that the name of Slocum be added as an author on H. F. No. 2894. The motion prevailed.

Poppe moved that the name of Slocum be added as an author on H. F. No. 2896. The motion prevailed.

Loonan moved that the name of Halverson be added as an author on H. F. No. 2911. The motion prevailed.

Thissen moved that the name of Slocum be added as an author on H. F. No. 2916. The motion prevailed.

Barr, R., moved that the name of Jurgens be added as an author on H. F. No. 2922. The motion prevailed.

Lohmer moved that the name of Sandstede be added as an author on H. F. No. 2939. The motion prevailed.

Bliss moved that the names of Davids and Backer be added as authors on H. F. No. 2940. The motion prevailed.

Davnie moved that the name of Loeffler be added as an author on H. F. No. 2961. The motion prevailed.

Peterson moved that the name of Albright be added as an author on H. F. No. 2962. The motion prevailed.

Jurgens moved that the name of Lillie be added as an author on H. F. No. 2965. The motion prevailed.

Lohmer moved that the names of Dettmer; Bahr, C., and Pugh be added as authors on H. F. No. 2967. The motion prevailed.

Christensen moved that the name of Omar be added as an author on H. F. No. 2973. The motion prevailed.

Sandstede moved that the name of Lueck be added as an author on H. F. No. 2974. The motion prevailed.

Omar moved that the name of Loeffler be added as an author on H. F. No. 2975. The motion prevailed.

Hamilton moved that the name of Davids be added as an author on H. F. No. 2982. The motion prevailed.

Wills moved that the names of Petersburg, Albright and Franson be added as authors on H. F. No. 2994. The motion prevailed.

Kresha moved that the name of Moran be added as an author on H. F. No. 2996. The motion prevailed.

Runbeck moved that the names of Poston and McDonald be added as authors on H. F. No. 3013. The motion prevailed.

Quam moved that the name of Sandstede be added as an author on H. F. No. 3015. The motion prevailed.

Kiel moved that the name of Becker-Finn be added as an author on H. F. No. 3021. The motion prevailed.

Dean, M., moved that the name of Loonan be added as an author on H. F. No. 3024. The motion prevailed.

Thissen moved that the names of Lillie and Johnson, S., be added as authors on H. F. No. 3033. The motion prevailed.

Urdahl moved that the name of Layman be added as an author on H. F. No. 3043. The motion prevailed.

Kiel moved that the name of Sandstede be added as an author on H. F. No. 3056. The motion prevailed.

Kunesh-Podein moved that the name of Sandstede be added as an author on H. F. No. 3117. The motion prevailed.

Hausman moved that the name of Pierson be added as an author on H. F. No. 3125. The motion prevailed.

Dettmer moved that the name of Poston be added as an author on H. F. No. 3127. The motion prevailed.

Fabian moved that the name of Poston be added as an author on H. F. No. 3142. The motion prevailed.

Omar moved that the name of Loeffler be added as an author on H. F. No. 3146. The motion prevailed.

Hornstein moved that the names of Lesch and Slocum be added as authors on H. F. No. 3149. The motion prevailed.

Scott moved that the name of Knoblach be added as an author on H. F. No. 3151. The motion prevailed.

Hamilton moved that the name of Pierson be added as an author on H. F. No. 3152. The motion prevailed.

Koegel moved that the name of Loeffler be added as an author on H. F. No. 3159. The motion prevailed.

Albright moved that the names of Dehn, R.; Hausman; Dean, M., and Slocum be added as authors on H. F. No. 3163. The motion prevailed.

Mariani moved that the name of Slocum be added as an author on H. F. No. 3166. The motion prevailed.

Anselmo moved that the names of Haley and Barr, R., be added as authors on H. F. No. 3167. The motion prevailed.

Schomacker moved that the name of Poston be added as an author on H. F. No. 3169. The motion prevailed.

Mariani moved that the name of Slocum be added as an author on H. F. No. 3180. The motion prevailed.

Lillie moved that the names of Pinto, Dettmer, Wills and Slocum be added as authors on H. F. No. 3187. The motion prevailed.

Poston moved that the name of Dettmer be added as an author on H. F. No. 3199. The motion prevailed.

Peterson moved that the names of Youakim and Slocum be added as authors on H. F. No. 3204. The motion prevailed.

Peterson moved that the name of Albright be added as an author on H. F. No. 3205. The motion prevailed.

Fenton moved that the name of Slocum be added as an author on H. F. No. 3206. The motion prevailed.

Albright moved that the name of Flanagan be added as an author on H. F. No. 3211. The motion prevailed.

Neu moved that the name of Dettmer be added as an author on H. F. No. 3212. The motion prevailed.

Munson moved that the name of Dettmer be added as an author on H. F. No. 3213. The motion prevailed.

Schomacker moved that the name of Davids be added as an author on H. F. No. 3216. The motion prevailed.

Haley moved that the name of Slocum be added as an author on H. F. No. 3222. The motion prevailed.

Baker moved that the name of Youakim be added as an author on H. F. No. 3223. The motion prevailed.

Moran moved that the name of Slocum be added as an author on H. F. No. 3246. The motion prevailed.

Peterson moved that the name of Albright be added as an author on H. F. No. 3250. The motion prevailed.

Zerwas moved that the names of Peterson and Hamilton be added as authors on H. F. No. 3252. The motion prevailed.

Thisis moved that the name of Poston be added as an author on H. F. No. 3256. The motion prevailed.

Kunesh-Podein moved that the names of Johnson, C., and Slocum be added as authors on H. F. No. 3257. The motion prevailed.

Nash moved that the name of Slocum be added as an author on H. F. No. 3268. The motion prevailed.

Bennett moved that the name of Backer be added as an author on H. F. No. 3281. The motion prevailed.

Bahr, C., moved that the name of Koznick be added as an author on H. F. No. 3282. The motion prevailed.

Anselmo moved that the names of Considine, Wagenius and Lillie be added as authors on H. F. No. 3291. The motion prevailed.

Scott moved that the name of Pryor be added as an author on H. F. No. 3295. The motion prevailed.

Kiel moved that the names of Nornes, Albright and Backer be added as authors on H. F. No. 3296. The motion prevailed.

Urdahl moved that the name of Lillie be added as an author on H. F. No. 3301. The motion prevailed.

Quam moved that the name of Poston be added as an author on H. F. No. 3302. The motion prevailed.

Kiel moved that the names of Nornes, Albright and Backer be added as authors on H. F. No. 3308. The motion prevailed.

Maye Quade moved that the name of Flanagan be added as an author on H. F. No. 3311. The motion prevailed.

Rosenthal moved that the name of Anselmo be added as an author on H. F. No. 3316. The motion prevailed.

Zerwas moved that the name of Bennett be added as an author on H. F. No. 3317. The motion prevailed.

Hornstein moved that the names of Youakim and Loeffler be added as authors on H. F. No. 3318. The motion prevailed.

Loon moved that the names of Layman and Lueck be added as authors on H. F. No. 3320. The motion prevailed.

Kunesh-Podein moved that the names of Clark; Fischer; Lesch; Murphy, E.; Ward and Mariani be added as authors on H. F. No. 3330. The motion prevailed.

Urdahl moved that the name of Lueck be added as an author on H. F. No. 3332. The motion prevailed.

Layman moved that the name of Lueck be added as an author on H. F. No. 3334. The motion prevailed.

Lucero moved that the name of Baker be added as an author on H. F. No. 3339. The motion prevailed.

Heintzeman moved that the name of Ecklund be added as an author on H. F. No. 3352. The motion prevailed.

Zerwas moved that the name of Clark be added as an author on H. F. No. 3356. The motion prevailed.

Zerwas moved that the name of Clark be added as an author on H. F. No. 3357. The motion prevailed.

Zerwas moved that the name of Clark be added as an author on H. F. No. 3358. The motion prevailed.

Jessup moved that the name of Pugh be added as an author on H. F. No. 3360. The motion prevailed.

Kunesh-Podein moved that the name of Baker be added as an author on H. F. No. 3361. The motion prevailed.

Anselmo moved that the name of Pugh be added as an author on H. F. No. 3365. The motion prevailed.

Zerwas moved that the name of Lueck be added as an author on H. F. No. 3366. The motion prevailed.

Lohmer moved that the names of Becker-Finn and Pugh be added as authors on H. F. No. 3368. The motion prevailed.

Runbeck moved that the name of Wills be added as an author on H. F. No. 3369. The motion prevailed.

Franke moved that the name of Layman be added as an author on H. F. No. 3370. The motion prevailed.

Fenton moved that the name of Knoblach be added as an author on H. F. No. 3371. The motion prevailed.

Kunesh-Podein moved that the name of Lueck be added as an author on H. F. No. 3375. The motion prevailed.

Davnie moved that the names of Lee and Loeffler be added as authors on H. F. No. 3378. The motion prevailed.

Franke moved that the names of Youakim and Lillie be added as authors on H. F. No. 3382. The motion prevailed.

Green moved that the name of Loonan be added as an author on H. F. No. 3385. The motion prevailed.

Miller moved that the name of Youakim be added as an author on H. F. No. 3388. The motion prevailed.

Scott moved that the name of Pryor be added as an author on H. F. No. 3389. The motion prevailed.

Scott moved that the name of Pryor be added as an author on H. F. No. 3390. The motion prevailed.

Miller moved that H. F. No. 2719 be recalled from the Committee on Transportation and Regional Governance Policy and be re-referred to the Committee on Job Growth and Energy Affordability Policy and Finance. The motion prevailed.

Erickson moved that H. F. No. 2936 be recalled from the Committee on Environment and Natural Resources Policy and Finance and be re-referred to the Committee on Education Innovation Policy. The motion prevailed.

Sandstede moved that H. F. No. 3076, now on the General Register, be re-referred to the Committee on Public Safety and Security Policy and Finance. The motion prevailed.

Runbeck moved that H. F. No. 3303 be recalled from the Committee on Agriculture Policy and be re-referred to the Committee on Public Safety and Security Policy and Finance. The motion prevailed.

Thissen moved to amend the Permanent Rules of the House for the 90th Session as follows:

Add a new rule to read:

"RULE 8.25 STAFF RATIO REQUIRED. Beginning on January 1, 2019, the House of Representatives shall maintain a staffing ratio of one legislative assistant for every two members of the House, and shall apply this requirement equitably between majority and minority caucuses."

Thissen moved that the Thissen amendment to the Permanent Rules of the House for the 90th Session be referred to the Committee on Rules and Legislative Administration. The motion prevailed.

Kresha introduced:

House Resolution No. 4, A House resolution expressing the sense of the Minnesota House of Representatives concerning Turkey's treatment of the Ecumenical Patriarchate.

The resolution was referred to the Committee on Rules and Legislative Administration.

ADJOURNMENT

Peppin moved that when the House adjourns today it adjourn until 3:30 p.m., Monday, March 12, 2018. The motion prevailed.

Peppin moved that the House adjourn. The motion prevailed, and the Speaker declared the House stands adjourned until 3:30 p.m., Monday, March 12, 2018.

PATRICK D. MURPHY, Chief Clerk, House of Representatives