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The House convened at 8:00 a.m., with Speaker Weisz presiding.

The prayer was offered by Pastor Matt Thompson, Holy Cross Lutheran Church, Bismarck.

The roll was called and all members were present except Representatives C. Brown, Heilman, Kasper, Marschall, M. Ruby, and Swiontek.

A quorum was declared by the Speaker.

COMMUNICATION FROM GOVERNOR KELLY ARMSTRONG

This is to inform you that on April 25, 2025, I have signed the following: HB 1160.

COMMUNICATION FROM GOVERNOR KELLY ARMSTRONG

This is to inform you that on April 28, 2025, I have signed the following: HB 1049, HB 1119, HB 1165, HB 1193, HB 1225, HB 1248, HB 1307, HB 1308, HB 1322, HB 1329, HB 1332, HB 1425, HB 1440, HB 1442, HB 1460, HB 1482, HB 1566, HB 1579, HB 1580, HB 1582, HB 1584, HB 1600, HB 1612, and HB 1613.

CONSIDERATION OF CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT

REP. BAHL MOVED that the conference committee report on Engrossed SB 2308 as printed on HJ page 1405 be adopted, which motion prevailed on a voice vote.

Engrossed SB 2308, as amended, was placed on the Fourteenth order of business.

SECOND READING OF SENATE BILL

SB 2308: A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new section to chapter 23.1-01, a new section to chapter 54-07, and two new sections to chapter 61-03 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to standards for well drilling and installation of water well pumps, pitless units, and monitoring wells, a boards review task force, a water well contractors advisory board, and requirements for firms engaged in water well work, installation of water well pump and pitless units, monitoring well work, and drilling of geothermal systems; to amend and reenact section 6-09-43, subdivision j of subsection 2 of section 15.1-01-04, sections 15.1-07-33 and 23-35-02.2, subsection 1 of section 50-06-01.4, sections 52-02-02 and 52-02-08, subsection 1 of section 54-07-01.2, sections 54-54-05, 54-59-26, 54-59-27, 54-59-34, 54-59-36, 54-59-37, 54-59-39, 61-03-01.3, 61-04.1-03, 61-04.1-08, 61-04.1-09, 61-04.1-12, 61-04.1-14, 61-04.1-15, 61-04.1-16, 61-04.1-17, 61-04.1-18, 61-04.1-19, 61-04.1-20, 61-04.1-21, 61-04.1-33, 61-04.1-34, 61-04.1-37, 61-04.1-38, and 61-04.1-39, and subdivision a of subsection 2 of section 65-02-03.1 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the wastewater recycling treatment guide, boards and commissions, the unemployment insurance advisory council, gubernatorial appointments, the committee on aging, health information technology advisory committee, statewide longitudinal data system committee, atmospheric resource board, the department of health and human services, the council on the arts, the state engineer, the superintendent of public instruction, job service North Dakota, and workforce safety and insurance coordinating committee; to repeal chapter 8-11.1, sections 12-48-06.1, 15.1-37-05, 15.1-37-06, and 15.1-37-08, chapter 17-07, sections 19-24.1-38, 19-24.1-39, and 23-35-02.3, chapters 34-16 and 43-35, sections 50-06-05.6, 50-06.4-10, 50-11.1-25, 50-11.1-26, 50-11.1-27, 52-02-07, 54-34.3-10, 54-54-10, 54-59-25, 54-59-33, 54-59-35, 54-59-38, 54-60-25, 55-01-13, 55-01-14, 61-04.1-04, 61-04.1-05, 61-04.1-06, 61-04.1-07, and 61-04.1-10, and chapter 61-36 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to occupational and professional boards, the midwest interstate passenger rail compact, prison industry advisory committee, energy policy commission, medical marijuana advisory committee, onsite wastewater recycling technical committee, state board of water well contractors, committee on aging, brain injury advisory council, early childhood

council, unemployment insurance advisory council, commission on the status of women, health information technology advisory committee, poet laureate nominating board, rural development council, America 250 commission, atmospheric resource board, and Devils Lake outlet management advisory committee; to provide for a legislative management report; to provide an effective date; and to provide an expiration date.

ROLL CALL

The question being on the final passage of the amended bill, which has been read, the roll was called and there were 78 YEAS, 12 NAYS, 4 ABSENT OR EXCUSED AND NOT VOTING.

YEAS: Anderson, B.; Anderson, D.; Anderson, K.; Bahl; Beltz; Berg; Bolinske; Bosch; Brandenburg; Brown, T.; Conmy; Dobervich; Dockter; Dressler; Fegley; Fisher; Foss; Frelich; Grindberg; Grueneich; Hager; Hagert; Hanson; Hatlestad; Hauck; Headland; Heilman; Heinert; Hendrix; Holle; Hoverson; Ista; Jonas; Karls; Kempenich; Kiefert; Klemin; Koppelman; Lefor; Longmuir; Louser; Martinson; McLeod; Meier; Mitskog; Monson; Motschenbacher; Murphy; Nathe; Nelson; Novak; O'Brien; Olson, J.; Olson, S.; Osowski; Ostlie; Porter; Pyle; Richter; Rios; Rohr; Ruby, D.; Ruby, M.; Sanford; Satrom; Schatz; Schauer; Schneider; Schreiber-Beck; Steiner; Stemen; Toman; Tveit; Vigesaa; Vollmer; Wagner; Warrey; Weisz

NAYS: Christianson; Davis; Finley-DeVile; Henderson; Johnson, J.; Johnston, D.; Maki; Morton; Nehring; VanWinkle; Vetter; Wolff

ABSENT OR EXCUSED AND NOT VOTING: Brown, C.; Kasper; Marschall; Swiontek

Engrossed SB 2308, as amended, passed.

CONSIDERATION OF CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT

REP. LOUSER MOVED that the conference committee report on Engrossed HB 1018 as printed on HJ page 1436 be adopted, which motion prevailed on a voice vote.

Engrossed HB 1018, as amended, was placed on the Eleventh order of business.

SECOND READING OF HOUSE BILL

HB 1018: A BILL for an Act to provide an appropriation for defraying the expenses of the state historical society; to amend and reenact section 55-01-02.1 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to jurisdiction of the heritage center; to authorize a Bank of North Dakota line of credit; and to declare an emergency.

ROLL CALL

The question being on the final passage of the amended bill, which has been read, the roll was called and there were 64 YEAS, 27 NAYS, 3 ABSENT OR EXCUSED AND NOT VOTING.

YEAS: Anderson, B.; Anderson, D.; Bahl; Beltz; Berg; Bosch; Brandenburg; Conmy; Davis; Dobervich; Dockter; Finley-DeVile; Fisher; Foss; Grindberg; Grueneich; Hager; Hagert; Hanson; Hatlestad; Headland; Heinert; Hendrix; Ista; Johnson, J.; Jonas; Karls; Kempenich; Klemin; Lefor; Longmuir; Louser; Martinson; McLeod; Meier; Mitskog; Monson; Motschenbacher; Murphy; Nathe; Nelson; Novak; O'Brien; Olson, J.; Ostlie; Porter; Pyle; Richter; Rios; Ruby, M.; Sanford; Satrom; Schauer; Schneider; Schreiber-Beck; Steiner; Stemen; Swiontek; Tveit; Vetter; Vigesaa; Wagner; Warrey; Weisz

NAYS: Anderson, K.; Bolinske; Brown, T.; Christianson; Dressler; Fegley; Frelich; Hauck; Heilman; Henderson; Holle; Hoverson; Johnston, D.; Kiefert; Koppelman; Maki; Morton; Nehring; Olson, S.; Osowski; Rohr; Ruby, D.; Schatz; Toman; VanWinkle; Vollmer; Wolff

ABSENT OR EXCUSED AND NOT VOTING: Brown, C.; Kasper; Marschall

Reengrossed HB 1018 passed and the emergency clause was declared carried.

CONSIDERATION OF CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT

REP. BOSCH MOVED that the conference committee report on Reengrossed SB 2188 as printed on HJ page 1436 be adopted, which motion prevailed on a voice vote.

Reengrossed SB 2188, as amended, was placed on the Fourteenth order of business.

SECOND READING OF SENATE BILL

SB 2188: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact sections 54-63.1-03 and 54-63.1-07 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the membership of the clean sustainable energy authority and the clean sustainable energy fund line of credit; and to provide for a transfer.

ROLL CALL

The question being on the final passage of the amended bill, which has been read, the roll was called and there were 65 YEAS, 26 NAYS, 3 ABSENT OR EXCUSED AND NOT VOTING.

YEAS: Anderson, B.; Anderson, D.; Beltz; Berg; Bosch; Brandenburg; Conmy; Davis; Dobervich; Dockter; Dressler; Fegley; Finley-DeVillie; Fisher; Foss; Grindberg; Grueneich; Hager; Hagert; Hanson; Hatlestad; Hauck; Headland; Heinert; Ista; Jonas; Karls; Kempenich; Kiefert; Klemin; Lefor; Longmuir; Louser; Martinson; McLeod; Meier; Mitskog; Monson; Motschenbacher; Murphy; Nathe; Nelson; Novak; O'Brien; Olson, J.; Ostlie; Porter; Pyle; Richter; Ruby, D.; Ruby, M.; Sanford; Satrom; Schauer; Schneider; Schreiber-Beck; Stemen; Swiontek; Tveit; Vetter; Vigesaa; Vollmer; Wagner; Warrey; Weisz

NAYS: Anderson, K.; Bahl; Bolinske; Brown, T.; Christianson; Frelich; Heilman; Henderson; Hendrix; Holle; Hoverson; Johnson, J.; Johnston, D.; Koppelman; Maki; Morton; Nehring; Olson, S.; Osowski; Rios; Rohr; Schatz; Steiner; Toman; VanWinkle; Wolff

ABSENT OR EXCUSED AND NOT VOTING: Brown, C.; Kasper; Marshall

Reengrossed SB 2188, as amended, passed.

CONSIDERATION OF CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT

REP. MURPHY MOVED that the conference committee report on Engrossed SB 2010 as printed on HJ page 1436 be adopted, which motion prevailed on a voice vote.

Engrossed SB 2010, as amended, was placed on the Fourteenth order of business.

SECOND READING OF SENATE BILL

SB 2010: A BILL for an Act to provide an appropriation for defraying the expenses of the council on the arts; to provide for a transfer; to provide for a report; and to provide an exemption.

ROLL CALL

The question being on the final passage of the amended bill, which has been read, the roll was called and there were 61 YEAS, 30 NAYS, 3 ABSENT OR EXCUSED AND NOT VOTING.

YEAS: Anderson, B.; Anderson, D.; Beltz; Berg; Bosch; Brandenburg; Conmy; Davis; Dobervich; Dockter; Fegley; Finley-DeVillie; Foss; Grindberg; Grueneich; Hager; Hagert; Hanson; Hatlestad; Headland; Heinert; Hendrix; Ista; Johnson, J.; Johnston, D.; Jonas; Karls; Kempenich; Klemin; Lefor; Longmuir; Louser; Martinson; Meier; Mitskog; Monson; Motschenbacher; Murphy; Nathe; Nelson; Novak; O'Brien; Olson, J.; Ostlie; Porter; Pyle; Richter; Rios; Sanford; Satrom; Schauer; Schneider; Schreiber-Beck; Steiner; Stemen; Swiontek; Vetter; Vigesaa; Wagner; Warrey; Weisz

NAYS: Anderson, K.; Bahl; Bolinske; Brown, T.; Christianson; Dressler; Fisher; Frelich; Hauck; Heilman; Henderson; Holle; Hoverson; Kiefert; Koppelman; Maki; McLeod;

Morton; Nehring; Olson, S.; Osowski; Rohr; Ruby, D.; Ruby, M.; Schatz; Toman; Tveit; VanWinkle; Vollmer; Wolff

ABSENT OR EXCUSED AND NOT VOTING: Brown, C.; Kasper; Marschall

Engrossed SB 2010, as amended, passed.

CONSIDERATION OF CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT

REP. RICHTER MOVED that the conference committee report on Engrossed HB 1214 as printed on HJ page 1436 be adopted, which motion prevailed on a voice vote.

Engrossed HB 1214, as amended, was placed on the Eleventh order of business.

SECOND READING OF HOUSE BILL

HB 1214: A BILL for an Act to create and enact section 15.1-27-31.2 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to transportation weighted student unit equivalents; to amend and reenact section 15.1-31-05 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to open enrollment transportation; to repeal sections 15.1-27-26.1, 15.1-27-27.1, 15.1-27-28.1, 15.1-27-30.1, and 15.1-27-31.1 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to payments for school district transportation of students, special education students, and career and technical education students, the distribution of transportation payments in the event of school district closure, and state transportation payments to school districts; and to provide an effective date.

ROLL CALL

The question being on the final passage of the amended bill, which has been read, the roll was called and there were 86 YEAS, 5 NAYS, 3 ABSENT OR EXCUSED AND NOT VOTING.

YEAS: Anderson, B.; Anderson, D.; Anderson, K.; Bahl; Beltz; Berg; Bolinske; Bosch; Brandenburg; Brown, T.; Christianson; Conmy; Davis; Dobervich; Dockter; Dressler; Fegley; Finley-DeVille; Fisher; Foss; Frelich; Grindberg; Grueneich; Hager; Hagert; Hanson; Hatlestad; Hauck; Headland; Heilman; Heinert; Henderson; Hendrix; Hoverson; Ista; Johnson, J.; Jonas; Karls; Kempenich; Kiefert; Klemin; Lefor; Longmuir; Louser; Maki; Martinson; McLeod; Meier; Mitskog; Monson; Morton; Motschenbacher; Murphy; Nathe; Nehring; Nelson; Novak; O'Brien; Olson, J.; Olson, S.; Osowski; Ostlie; Porter; Pyle; Richter; Rios; Rohr; Ruby, D.; Ruby, M.; Sanford; Satrom; Schatz; Schauer; Schneider; Schreiber-Beck; Steiner; Stemen; Swiontek; Toman; Tveit; Vetter; Vigasaa; Vollmer; Wagner; Warrey; Weisz

NAYS: Holle; Johnston, D.; Koppelman; VanWinkle; Wolff

ABSENT OR EXCUSED AND NOT VOTING: Brown, C.; Kasper; Marschall

Reengrossed HB 1214 passed.

MESSAGE TO THE HOUSE FROM THE SENATE (SHANDA MORGAN, SECRETARY)

MR. SPEAKER: The Senate has appointed as a conference committee to act with a like committee from the House on:

HB 1005: Sens. Burckhard; Sickler; Wanzek

MESSAGE TO THE SENATE FROM THE HOUSE (BUELL J. REICH, CHIEF CLERK)

MADAM PRESIDENT: The House has adopted the conference committee report and subsequently passed: HB 1214.

MESSAGE TO THE SENATE FROM THE HOUSE (BUELL J. REICH, CHIEF CLERK)

MADAM PRESIDENT: The House has adopted the conference committee report and subsequently passed: SB 2010, SB 2188, SB 2308.

MESSAGE TO THE SENATE FROM THE HOUSE (BUELL J. REICH, CHIEF CLERK)

MADAM PRESIDENT: The House has adopted the conference committee report, subsequently passed, and the emergency clause carried: HB 1018.

MESSAGE TO THE HOUSE FROM THE SENATE (SHANDA MORGAN, SECRETARY)

MR. SPEAKER: The Senate has adopted the conference committee report on: HB 1524.

MESSAGE TO THE HOUSE FROM THE SENATE (SHANDA MORGAN, SECRETARY)

MR. SPEAKER: The Senate has adopted the conference committee report and subsequently passed: SB 2390.

MESSAGE TO THE HOUSE FROM THE SENATE (SHANDA MORGAN, SECRETARY)

MR. SPEAKER: The Senate has adopted the conference committee report and subsequently passed: HB 1448.

MESSAGE TO THE HOUSE FROM THE SENATE (SHANDA MORGAN, SECRETARY)

MR. SPEAKER: The Senate has adopted the conference committee report, subsequently passed, and the emergency clause carried: SB 2019.

MESSAGE TO THE SENATE FROM THE HOUSE (BUELL J. REICH, CHIEF CLERK)

MADAM PRESIDENT: Your signature is respectfully requested on: HB 1009, HB 1010, HB 1144, HB 1229.

MESSAGE TO THE SENATE FROM THE HOUSE (BUELL J. REICH, CHIEF CLERK)

MADAM PRESIDENT: Your signature is respectfully requested on: HB 1448, HB 1524.

MESSAGE TO THE HOUSE FROM THE SENATE (SHANDA MORGAN, SECRETARY)

MR. SPEAKER: Your signature is respectfully requested on: SB 2020, SB 2029, SB 2033, SB 2113, SB 2147, SB 2265, SB 2370.

MESSAGE TO THE HOUSE FROM THE SENATE (SHANDA MORGAN, SECRETARY)

MR. SPEAKER: The President has signed: HB 1022, HB 1029, HB 1143, HB 1199, HB 1218, HB 1363, HB 1454, HB 1485.

MESSAGE TO THE HOUSE FROM THE SENATE (SHANDA MORGAN, SECRETARY)

MR. SPEAKER: The President has signed: SB 2001, SB 2007, SB 2011, SB 2013, SB 2070, SB 2112, SB 2133, SB 2180, SB 2213, SB 2271, SB 2282, SB 2330, SB 2374, SB 2396, SB 2399.

MESSAGE TO THE HOUSE FROM THE SENATE (SHANDA MORGAN, SECRETARY)

MR. SPEAKER: The President has signed: SCR 4007.

DELIVERY OF ENROLLED BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

The following bill was delivered to the Secretary of State for filing on April 29, 2025: HB 1540.

ANNOUNCEMENT

SPEAKER WEISZ ANNOUNCED that the House will stand in recess until call of the Speaker.

THE HOUSE RECONVENED pursuant to recess taken, with Speaker Weisz presiding.

**REPORT OF CONFERENCE COMMITTEE
ENGROSSED HB 1003**

Your conference committee (Sens. Sickler, Dwyer, Burckhard and Reps. Nathe, Louser, Hanson) recommends that in place of amendment [25.0147.02005](#) adopted by the Senate, Engrossed HB 1003 is amended by amendment [25.0147.02007](#).

Engrossed HB 1003 was placed on the Seventh order of business on the calendar.

**REPORT OF CONFERENCE COMMITTEE
ENGROSSED HB 1019**

Your conference committee (Sens. Thomas, Sorvaag, Bekkedahl and Reps. Sanford,

Swiontek, Martinson) recommends that in place of amendment [25.0163.02007](#) adopted by the Senate, Engrossed HB 1019 is amended by amendment [25.0163.02010](#).

Engrossed HB 1019 was placed on the Seventh order of business on the calendar.

**REPORT OF CONFERENCE COMMITTEE
REENGROSSED HB 1577**

Your conference committee (Sens. Magrum, Klein, Kessel and Reps. Wagner, B. Anderson, Mitskog) recommends that in place of amendment [25.1285.03009](#) adopted by the Senate, Reengrossed HB 1577 is amended by amendment [25.1285.03010](#).

Reengrossed HB 1577 was placed on the Seventh order of business on the calendar.

**REPORT OF CONFERENCE COMMITTEE
ENGROSSED SB 2019**

Your conference committee (Sens. Schaible, Conley, Meyer and Reps. Richter, Sanford, Martinson) recommends that in place of amendment [25.0186.02004](#) adopted by the House, Engrossed SB 2019 is amended by amendment [25.0186.02005](#).

Engrossed SB 2019 was placed on the Seventh order of business on the calendar.

**REPORT OF CONFERENCE COMMITTEE
REENGROSSED SB 2390**

Your conference committee (Sens. Dwyer, Magrum, Luick and Reps. Louser, Fisher, Longmuir) recommends that in place of amendment [25.1355.03002](#) adopted by the House, Reengrossed SB 2390 is amended by amendment [25.1355.03003](#).

Reengrossed SB 2390 was placed on the Seventh order of business on the calendar.

MOTION

REP. BOSCH MOVED that HB 1019, which is on the Seventh order, be laid over one legislative day, which motion prevailed on a voice vote.

CONSIDERATION OF CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT

REP. WAGNER MOVED that the conference committee report on Reengrossed HB 1577 as printed on HJ page 1446 be adopted, which motion prevailed on a voice vote.

Reengrossed HB 1577, as amended, was placed on the Eleventh order of business.

SECOND READING OF HOUSE BILL

HB 1577: A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new section to chapter 23.1-07 and a new subsection to section 23.1-07-06 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to a wastewater infrastructure grant program and the duties of the department of environmental quality; to authorize a Bank of North Dakota line of credit; to provide an appropriation; to provide for a legislative management study; and to declare an emergency.

ROLL CALL

The question being on the final passage of the amended bill, which has been read, the roll was called and there were 74 YEAS, 16 NAYS, 4 ABSENT OR EXCUSED AND NOT VOTING.

YEAS: Anderson, B.; Anderson, D.; Bahl; Beltz; Bolinske; Bosch; Brandenburg; Brown, C.; Brown, T.; Conmy; Davis; Dobervich; Dockter; Dressler; Fegley; Finley-DeVile; Fisher; Foss; Frelich; Grindberg; Grueneich; Hager; Hagert; Hanson; Hatlestad; Hauck; Headland; Heinert; Hendrix; Ista; Johnson, J.; Johnston, D.; Jonas; Karls; Kempenich; Kiefert; Klemin; Lefor; Longmuir; Martinson; McLeod; Meier; Mitskog; Monson; Murphy; Nathe; Nelson; Novak; O'Brien; Olson, J.; Olson, S.; Ostlie; Porter; Pyle; Richter; Ruby, D.; Ruby, M.; Sanford; Satrom; Schatz; Schauer; Schneider; Schreiber-Beck; Steiner; Stemen; Swiontek; Toman; Tveit; VanWinkle; Vigasaa; Vollmer; Wagner; Warrey; Weisz

NAYS: Anderson, K.; Christianson; Heilman; Henderson; Holle; Hoverson; Koppelman; Louser; Morton; Motschenbacher; Nehring; Osowski; Rios; Rohr; Vetter; Wolff

ABSENT OR EXCUSED AND NOT VOTING: Berg; Kasper; Maki; Marschall

Reengrossed HB 1577 passed and the emergency clause was declared carried.

CONSIDERATION OF CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT

REP. NATHE MOVED that the conference committee report on Engrossed HB 1003 as printed on HJ page 1445 be adopted, which motion prevailed on a voice vote.

Engrossed HB 1003, as amended, was placed on the Eleventh order of business.

SECOND READING OF HOUSE BILL

HB 1003: A BILL for an Act to provide an appropriation for defraying the expenses of the attorney general; to amend and reenact sections 31-01-16, 54-12-11, 54-12-30, and 54-27-25 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to compensation and mileage and travel expenses for witnesses, the salary of the attorney general, twenty-four seven sobriety program fees, and the tobacco settlement trust fund; to provide for a report; to provide for a transfer; and to provide an exemption.

CONFLICT OF INTEREST

REP. DOCKTER STATED that he had previously declared a conflict of interest on Reengrossed HB 1003.

ROLL CALL

The question being on the final passage of the amended bill, which has been read, the roll was called and there were 67 YEAS, 23 NAYS, 4 ABSENT OR EXCUSED AND NOT VOTING.

YEAS: Anderson, B.; Anderson, D.; Anderson, K.; Bahl; Beltz; Berg; Bosch; Brandenburg; Brown, T.; Christianson; Conmy; Dobervich; Dressler; Fisher; Foss; Frelich; Grindberg; Grueneich; Hagert; Hanson; Hatlestad; Hauck; Headland; Heilman; Heinert; Hendrix; Ista; Johnson, J.; Johnston, D.; Jonas; Karls; Kempenich; Kiefert; Klemm; Koppelman; Lefor; Longmuir; Louser; Martinson; Meier; Mitskog; Monson; Motschenbacher; Murphy; Nathe; Novak; O'Brien; Olson, J.; Olson, S.; Porter; Pyle; Richter; Rios; Ruby, D.; Ruby, M.; Sanford; Schatz; Schreiber-Beck; Stemen; Swiontek; Vetter; Vigasaa; Vollmer; Wagner; Warrey; Weisz; Wolff

NAYS: Bolinske; Brown, C.; Davis; Fegley; Finley-DeVille; Hager; Henderson; Holle; Hoverson; McLeod; Morton; Nehring; Nelson; Osowski; Ostlie; Rohr; Satrom; Schauer; Schneider; Steiner; Toman; Tveit; VanWinkle

ABSENT OR EXCUSED AND NOT VOTING: Dockter; Kasper; Maki; Marschall

Reengrossed HB 1003 passed.

CONSIDERATION OF CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT

REP. RICHTER MOVED that the conference committee report on Engrossed SB 2019 as printed on HJ page 1446 be adopted, which motion prevailed on a voice vote.

Engrossed SB 2019, as amended, was placed on the Fourteenth order of business.

SECOND READING OF SENATE BILL

SB 2019: A BILL for an Act to provide an appropriation for defraying the expenses of the department of career and technical education; to provide an exemption; and to declare an emergency.

ROLL CALL

The question being on the final passage of the amended bill, which has been read, the roll was called and there were 82 YEAS, 8 NAYS, 4 ABSENT OR EXCUSED AND NOT

VOTING.

YEAS: Anderson, B.; Anderson, D.; Anderson, K.; Bahl; Beltz; Berg; Bolinske; Bosch; Brandenburg; Brown, C.; Brown, T.; Christianson; Conmy; Davis; Dobervich; Dockter; Dressler; Fegley; Finley-DeVillie; Fisher; Foss; Frelich; Grindberg; Grueneich; Hager; Hagert; Hanson; Hatlestad; Hauck; Headland; Heilman; Heinert; Hendrix; Holle; Hoverson; Ista; Johnston, D.; Jonas; Karls; Kempenich; Kiefert; Klemin; Koppelman; Lefor; Longmuir; Louser; Martinson; McLeod; Meier; Mitskog; Monson; Motschenbacher; Murphy; Nathe; Nelson; Novak; O'Brien; Olson, J.; Olson, S.; Ostlie; Porter; Pyle; Richter; Rohr; Ruby, D.; Ruby, M.; Satrom; Schatz; Schauer; Schneider; Schreiber-Beck; Steiner; Stemen; Swiontek; Toman; Tveit; Vetter; Vigasaa; Vollmer; Wagner; Warrey; Weisz

NAYS: Henderson; Johnson, J.; Morton; Nehring; Osowski; Rios; VanWinkle; Wolff

ABSENT OR EXCUSED AND NOT VOTING: Kasper; Maki; Marschall; Sanford

Engrossed SB 2019, as amended, passed and the emergency clause was declared carried.

CONSIDERATION OF CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT

REP. LOUSER MOVED that the conference committee report on Reengrossed SB 2390 as printed on HJ page 1446 be adopted, which motion prevailed on a voice vote.

Reengrossed SB 2390, as amended, was placed on the Fourteenth order of business.

SECOND READING OF SENATE BILL

SB 2390: A BILL for an Act to create and enact three new sections to chapter 54-40.1 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to a rural catalyst committee, grant program, and fund; to amend and reenact section 54-40.1-02 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to definitions for regional planning councils; to provide an appropriation; and to provide for a transfer.

ROLL CALL

The question being on the final passage of the amended bill, which has been read, the roll was called and there were 72 YEAS, 18 NAYS, 4 ABSENT OR EXCUSED AND NOT VOTING.

YEAS: Anderson, B.; Anderson, D.; Anderson, K.; Bahl; Beltz; Berg; Bosch; Brandenburg; Brown, C.; Christianson; Conmy; Davis; Dobervich; Dockter; Dressler; Fegley; Finley-DeVillie; Fisher; Foss; Frelich; Grindberg; Grueneich; Hager; Hagert; Hanson; Hatlestad; Hauck; Headland; Heinert; Ista; Johnson, J.; Jonas; Karls; Kempenich; Kiefert; Klemin; Lefor; Longmuir; Louser; Martinson; McLeod; Meier; Mitskog; Monson; Motschenbacher; Murphy; Nathe; Nelson; Novak; O'Brien; Olson, J.; Olson, S.; Ostlie; Porter; Pyle; Richter; Ruby, D.; Satrom; Schatz; Schauer; Schneider; Schreiber-Beck; Steiner; Stemen; Swiontek; Tveit; Vetter; Vigasaa; Vollmer; Wagner; Warrey; Weisz

NAYS: Bolinske; Brown, T.; Heilman; Henderson; Hendrix; Holle; Hoverson; Johnston, D.; Koppelman; Morton; Nehring; Osowski; Rios; Rohr; Ruby, M.; Toman; VanWinkle; Wolff

ABSENT OR EXCUSED AND NOT VOTING: Kasper; Maki; Marschall; Sanford

Reengrossed SB 2390, as amended, passed.

MESSAGE TO THE HOUSE FROM THE SENATE (SHANDA MORGAN, SECRETARY)

MR. SPEAKER: The Senate has not adopted the conference committee report on: SB 2015.

MESSAGE TO THE SENATE FROM THE HOUSE (BUELL J. REICH, CHIEF CLERK)

MADAM PRESIDENT: The House has adopted the conference committee report and subsequently passed: HB 1003.

MESSAGE TO THE SENATE FROM THE HOUSE (BUELL J. REICH, CHIEF CLERK)
MADAM PRESIDENT: The House has adopted the conference committee report and subsequently passed: SB 2390.

MESSAGE TO THE SENATE FROM THE HOUSE (BUELL J. REICH, CHIEF CLERK)
MADAM PRESIDENT: The House has adopted the conference committee report, subsequently passed, and the emergency clause carried: HB 1577.

MESSAGE TO THE SENATE FROM THE HOUSE (BUELL J. REICH, CHIEF CLERK)
MADAM PRESIDENT: The House has adopted the conference committee report, subsequently passed, and the emergency clause carried: SB 2019.

MESSAGE TO THE HOUSE FROM THE SENATE (SHANDA MORGAN, SECRETARY)
MR. SPEAKER: The Senate has adopted the conference committee report and subsequently passed: SB 2354.

MESSAGE TO THE HOUSE FROM THE SENATE (SHANDA MORGAN, SECRETARY)
MR. SPEAKER: The Senate has adopted the conference committee report and subsequently passed: HB 1214.

MESSAGE TO THE HOUSE FROM THE SENATE (SHANDA MORGAN, SECRETARY)
MR. SPEAKER: The Senate has adopted the conference committee report, subsequently passed, and the emergency clause carried: SB 2009.

MESSAGE TO THE HOUSE FROM THE SENATE (SHANDA MORGAN, SECRETARY)
MR. SPEAKER: The Senate has adopted the conference committee report, subsequently passed, and the emergency clause carried: HB 1018.

MESSAGE TO THE HOUSE FROM THE SENATE (SHANDA MORGAN, SECRETARY)
MR. SPEAKER: Your signature is respectfully requested on: SB 2010, SB 2188, SB 2308.

MESSAGE TO THE HOUSE FROM THE SENATE (SHANDA MORGAN, SECRETARY)
MR. SPEAKER: The President has signed: HB 1009, HB 1010, HB 1144, HB 1229, HB 1448, HB 1524.

MESSAGE TO THE SENATE FROM THE HOUSE (BUELL J. REICH, CHIEF CLERK)
MADAM PRESIDENT: The Speaker has signed: HB 1448.

DELIVERY OF ENROLLED BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

The following bill was delivered to the Governor for approval on April 29, 2025: HB 1448.

MOTION

REP. BOSCH MOVED that the absent members be excused, which motion prevailed on a voice vote.

MOTION

REP. BOSCH MOVED that the House be on the Fourth, Fifth, and Sixteenth orders of business and at the conclusion of those orders, the House stand adjourned until 8:00 a.m., Thursday, May 1, 2025, which motion prevailed on a voice vote.

REPORT OF CONFERENCE COMMITTEE ENGROSSED HB 1005

Your conference committee (Sens. Burckhard, Sickler, Wanzek and Reps. Kempenich, Brandenburg, Monson) recommends the **HOUSE ACCEPT** the Senate amendments ([25.0149.02004](#)) to Engrossed HB 1005.

Engrossed HB 1005 was placed on the Seventh order of business on the calendar.

REPORT OF CONFERENCE COMMITTEE ENGROSSED HB 1619

Your conference committee (Sens. Davison, Schaible, Thomas and Reps. Bosch, B. Anderson, Mitskog) recommends that in place of amendment [25.1332.02005](#) adopted by the Senate, Engrossed HB 1619 is amended by amendment [25.1332.02008](#).

Engrossed HB 1619 was placed on the Seventh order of business on the calendar.

**REPORT OF CONFERENCE COMMITTEE
ENGROSSED SB 2009**

Your conference committee (Sens. Thomas, Conley, Meyer and Reps. Nathe, Martinson, Swiontek) recommends that in place of amendment [25.0176.02002](#) adopted by the House, Engrossed SB 2009 is amended by amendment [25.0176.02003](#).

Engrossed SB 2009 was placed on the Seventh order of business on the calendar.

**REPORT OF CONFERENCE COMMITTEE
REENGROSSED SB 2354**

Your conference committee (Sens. Axtman, Wobbema, Lemm and Reps. Jonas, Novak, Osowski) recommends that in place of amendment [25.1182.04002](#) adopted by the House, Reengrossed SB 2354 is amended by amendment [25.1182.04004](#).

Reengrossed SB 2354 was placed on the Seventh order of business on the calendar.

The House stood adjourned pursuant to Representative Bosch's motion.

Buell J. Reich, Chief Clerk