

STATE OF MINNESOTA

EIGHTY-NINTH SESSION — 2016

 NINETY-FIFTH DAY

SAINT PAUL, MINNESOTA, MONDAY, MAY 9, 2016

The House of Representatives convened at 4:00 p.m. and was called to order by Tim Sanders, Speaker pro tempore.

Prayer was offered by Bishop Steven H. Delzer, Southeastern Minnesota Synod, Evangelical Lutheran Church in America, Rochester, 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	Dean, M.	Hausman	Lillie	Newton	Simonson
Allen	Dehn, R.	Heintzeman	Loeffler	Nornes	Smith
Anderson, C.	Dettmer	Hertaus	Lohmer	Norton	Sundin
Anderson, M.	Drazkowski	Hilstrom	Loon	O'Driscoll	Swedzinski
Anderson, P.	Ecklund	Hoppe	Loonan	O'Neill	Theis
Anderson, S.	Erhardt	Hornstein	Lucero	Pelowski	Thissen
Anzelc	Erickson	Hortman	Lueck	Peppin	Torkelson
Applebaum	Fabian	Howe	Mack	Petersburg	Uglen
Atkins	Fenton	Isaacson	Mahoney	Peterson	Urdahl
Backer	Fischer	Johnson, B.	Mariani	Pierson	Vogel
Baker	Flanagan	Johnson, C.	Marquart	Pinto	Wagenius
Barrett	Franson	Johnson, S.	Masin	Poppe	Whelan
Bennett	Freiberg	Kahn	McDonald	Pugh	Wills
Bernardy	Garofalo	Kelly	McNamara	Quam	Yarusso
Bly	Green	Kiel	Metsa	Rarick	Youakim
Carlson	Gruenhagen	Knoblach	Miller	Rosenthal	Zerwas
Christensen	Gunther	Koznick	Moran	Runbeck	Spk. Daudt
Considine	Hackbarth	Kresha	Mullery	Sanders	
Cornish	Halverson	Laine	Murphy, E.	Schoen	
Daniels	Hamilton	Lesch	Murphy, M.	Schomacker	
Davids	Hancock	Liebling	Nash	Scott	
Davnie	Hansen	Lien	Nelson	Selcer	

A quorum was present.

Melin, Schultz and Ward were excused.

Slocum was excused until 4:20 p.m. Persell was excused until 4:25 p.m. Newberger was excused until 4:30 p.m. Clark was excused until 6:20 p.m.

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 CHIEF CLERK

S. F. No. 2378 and H. F. No. 2772, which had been referred to the Chief Clerk for comparison, were examined and found to be identical.

Dean, M., moved that S. F. No. 2378 be substituted for H. F. No. 2772 and that the House File be indefinitely postponed. The motion prevailed.

S. F. No. 2416 and H. F. No. 3807, which had been referred to the Chief Clerk for comparison, were examined and found to be identical.

Atkins moved that S. F. No. 2416 be substituted for H. F. No. 3807 and that the House File be indefinitely postponed. The motion prevailed.

S. F. No. 2428 and H. F. No. 2683, which had been referred to the Chief Clerk for comparison, were examined and found to be identical with certain exceptions.

Kresha moved that S. F. No. 2428 be substituted for H. F. No. 2683 and that the House File be indefinitely postponed. The motion prevailed.

S. F. No. 2709 and H. F. No. 3081, which had been referred to the Chief Clerk for comparison, were examined and found to be identical.

Gunther moved that S. F. No. 2709 be substituted for H. F. No. 3081 and that the House File be indefinitely postponed. The motion prevailed.

S. F. No. 2752 and H. F. No. 3404, which had been referred to the Chief Clerk for comparison, were examined and found to be identical with certain exceptions.

Halverson moved that S. F. No. 2752 be substituted for H. F. No. 3404 and that the House File be indefinitely postponed. The motion prevailed.

S. F. No. 3131 and H. F. No. 3357, which had been referred to the Chief Clerk for comparison, were examined and found to be identical with certain exceptions.

Melin moved that S. F. No. 3131 be substituted for H. F. No. 3357 and that the House File be indefinitely postponed. The motion prevailed.

S. F. No. 3317 and H. F. No. 3685, which had been referred to the Chief Clerk for comparison, were examined and found to be identical.

Hackbarth moved that S. F. No. 3317 be substituted for H. F. No. 3685 and that the House File be indefinitely postponed. The motion prevailed.

S. F. No. 3327 and H. F. No. 2690, which had been referred to the Chief Clerk for comparison, were examined and found to be identical with certain exceptions.

Kelly moved that S. F. No. 3327 be substituted for H. F. No. 2690 and that the House File be indefinitely postponed. The motion prevailed.

PETITIONS AND COMMUNICATIONS

The following communications were received:

STATE OF MINNESOTA
OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR
SAINT PAUL 55155

April 29, 2016

The Honorable Kurt Daudt
Speaker of the House of Representatives
The State of Minnesota

Dear Speaker Daudt:

Please be advised that I have received, approved, signed, and deposited in the Office of the Secretary of State the following House Files:

H. F. No. 2613, relating to health; designating certain hospitals as ST segment elevation myocardial infarction receiving centers; requiring ST segment elevation myocardial infarction transport protocols; making technical changes to the Emergency Medical Services Regulatory Board audit and education provisions.

H. F. No. 1586, relating to commerce; prohibiting bad faith assertions of patent infringements; providing enforcement.

H. F. No. 3252, relating to commerce; requiring qualified active duty military members and veterans and spouses to receive a licensing experience waiver for the broker's examination.

H. F. No. 2994, relating to workers' compensation; reinsurance; modifying retention limits.

Sincerely,

MARK DAYTON
Governor

STATE OF MINNESOTA
OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY OF STATE
ST. PAUL 55155

The Honorable Kurt L. Daudt
Speaker of the House of Representatives

The Honorable Sandra L. Pappas
President of the Senate

I have the honor to inform you that the following enrolled Acts of the 2016 Session of the State Legislature have been received from the Office of the Governor and are deposited in the Office of the Secretary of State for preservation, pursuant to the State Constitution, Article IV, Section 23:

<i>S. F. No.</i>	<i>H. F. No.</i>	<i>Session Laws Chapter No.</i>	<i>Time and Date Approved 2016</i>	<i>Date Filed 2016</i>
	2613	88	3:11 p.m. April 29	April 29
	1586	89	3:11 p.m. April 29	April 29
	3252	90	3:11 p.m. April 29	April 29
	2994	91	3:13 p.m. April 29	April 29

Sincerely,

STEVE SIMON
Secretary of State

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES AND DIVISIONS

Knoblach from the Committee on Ways and Means to which was referred:

H. F. No. 2380, A bill for an act relating to MNsure; modifying funding for the operations of MNsure; amending Minnesota Statutes 2014, section 62V.05, subdivision 2.

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

The report was adopted.

Knoblach from the Committee on Ways and Means to which was referred:

H. F. No. 2844, A bill for an act relating to natural resources; modifying off-road vehicle provisions; providing for David Dill memorial trail; modifying disposition of certain receipts; modifying report requirements; modifying game and fish penalty and enforcement provisions; modifying fees and requirements to take game and fish; authorizing lifetime game and fish license information to be placed on driver's license or Minnesota identification card; modifying commissioner's duties; providing for elk management; requiring rulemaking; providing criminal penalties; appropriating money; amending Minnesota Statutes 2014, sections 3.7371, by adding a subdivision;

16C.135, by adding a subdivision; 84.798, subdivision 2; 84.8035; 85.015, subdivision 13; 97A.045, subdivision 7; 97A.055, subdivision 4; 97A.075, subdivision 1; 97A.201, by adding a subdivision; 97A.301, subdivision 1; 97A.338; 97A.405, subdivision 2; 97A.421, subdivision 2a; 97A.451, subdivision 6; 97A.473, subdivisions 3, 5, 5a; 97A.474, subdivision 3; 97A.475, subdivisions 2, 3; 97B.035, subdivision 1; 97B.071; 97B.086; 97B.305; 97B.516; 97B.731, subdivision 3; 97B.811, subdivision 4a; 97C.401, subdivision 2; 171.07, by adding a subdivision; Minnesota Statutes 2015 Supplement, sections 97B.041; 97B.063; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapters 97B; 97C; repealing Minnesota Statutes 2014, section 97A.075, subdivision 5.

Reported the same back with the following amendments:

Pages 6 to 7, delete sections 9 to 11 and insert:

"Sec. 9. Minnesota Statutes 2014, section 97A.201, subdivision 2, is amended to read:

Subd. 2. **Duty of county attorneys and peace officers.** ~~County attorneys and~~ All peace officers must enforce the game and fish laws.

Sec. 10. Minnesota Statutes 2014, section 97A.201, is amended by adding a subdivision to read:

Subd. 3. **Prosecuting authority.** (a) County attorneys are the primary prosecuting authority for violations under section 97A.205, clause (5).

(b) Prosecution under paragraph (a) includes associated civil forfeiture actions provided by law.

Sec. 11. Minnesota Statutes 2014, section 97A.301, subdivision 1, is amended to read:

Subdivision 1. **Misdemeanor.** Unless a different penalty is prescribed, a person is guilty of a misdemeanor if that person:

- (1) takes, buys, sells, transports or possesses a wild animal in violation of the game and fish laws;
- (2) aids or assists in committing the violation;
- (3) knowingly shares in the proceeds of the violation;
- (4) fails to perform a duty or comply with a requirement of the game and fish laws;
- (5) knowingly makes a false statement related to an affidavit regarding a violation or requirement of the game and fish laws; or
- (6) violates or attempts to violate a rule under the game and fish laws.

Sec. 12. Minnesota Statutes 2014, section 97A.338, is amended to read:

97A.338 GROSS OVERLIMITS OF WILD ANIMALS; PENALTY.

(a) A person who takes, possesses, or transports wild animals over the legal limit, in closed season, or without a valid license, when the restitution value of the wild animals is over \$1,000 is guilty of a gross overlimit violation. A violation under this section is a gross misdemeanor.

(b) If a wild animal involved in the violation under this section is listed as a threatened or endangered wild animal, the penalty in paragraph (a) does not apply unless more than one animal is taken, possessed, or transported in violation of the game and fish laws."

Page 8, delete section 13 and insert:

"Sec. 14. Minnesota Statutes 2014, section 97A.420, subdivision 1, is amended to read:

Subdivision 1. **Seizure.** (a) An enforcement officer shall immediately seize the license of a person who unlawfully takes, transports, or possesses wild animals when the restitution value of the wild animals exceeds \$500. Except as provided in subdivisions 2, 4, and 5, the person may not use or obtain any license to take the same type of wild animals involved, including a duplicate license, until an action is taken under subdivision 6. If the license seized under this paragraph was for a big game animal, the license seizure applies to all licenses to take big game issued to the individual. If the license seized under this paragraph was for small game animals, the license seizure applies to all licenses to take small game issued to the individual.

(b) In addition to the license seizure under paragraph (a), if the restitution value of the wild animals unlawfully taken, possessed, or transported is ~~\$5,000~~ \$1,000 or more, all other game and fish licenses held by the person shall be immediately seized. Except as provided in subdivision 2, 4, or 5, the person may not obtain any game or fish license or permit, including a duplicate license, until an action is taken under subdivision 6.

(c) A person may not take wild animals covered by a license seized under this subdivision until an action is taken under subdivision 6.

Sec. 15. Minnesota Statutes 2014, section 97A.421, subdivision 2a, is amended to read:

Subd. 2a. **License revocation after conviction.** (a) A person may not obtain a license to take a wild animal and is prohibited from taking wild animals for a period of ten years after the date of conviction of a violation when the restitution value of the wild animals is \$2,000 or more.

(b) A person may not obtain a license to take a wild animal and is prohibited from taking wild animals for a period of five years after the date of conviction of:

(1) a violation when the restitution value of the wild animals is ~~\$5,000~~ \$1,000 or more, but less than \$2,000; or

(2) a violation when the restitution value of the wild animals exceeds \$500 and the violation occurs within ten years of one or more previous license revocations under this ~~subdivision~~ paragraph.

~~(c)~~ (c) A person may not obtain a license to take the type of wild animals involved in a violation when the restitution value of the wild animals exceeds \$500 and is prohibited from taking the type of wild animals involved in the violation for a period of three years after the date of conviction of a violation.

~~(d)~~ (d) The time period of multiple revocations under paragraph (a), or (b), clause (2), shall be consecutive and no wild animals of any kind may be taken during the entire period.

(e) If a wild animal involved in the conviction is listed as a threatened or endangered wild animal, the revocations specified under this subdivision do not apply unless more than one animal is taken, possessed, or transported in violation of the game and fish laws.

~~(f)~~ (f) The court may not stay or reduce the imposition of license revocation provisions under this subdivision."

Page 14, line 26, after the period, insert "The commissioner must use existing resources from the game and fish fund to satisfy the requirements of this section."

Page 17, delete section 30 and insert:

"Sec. 32. Minnesota Statutes 2014, section 97B.731, subdivision 3, is amended to read:

Subd. 3. **Crow season.** ~~The commissioner shall prescribe a 124-day open season and restrictions seasons for taking crows are from March 17 through March 31 and from July 15 through October 31. The open season may not be shorter than the maximum season allowed under federal law.~~ The remainder of the year crows may be taken as allowed by federal law."

Page 20, after line 27, insert:

"Sec. 41. **PROSPECTORS ATV TRAIL; APPROPRIATION.**

\$1,000,000 in fiscal year 2017 is appropriated from the natural resources fund to the commissioner of natural resources for a grant to Lake County for construction, including bridges, of the Prospectors ATV Trail System linking the communities of Ely, Babbitt, Embarrass, and Tower; Bear Head Lake and Lake Vermilion-Soudan Underground Mine State Parks; the Taconite State Trail; and the Lake County Regional ATV Trail System. Of this amount, \$900,000 is from the all-terrain vehicle account, \$50,000 is from the off-highway motorcycle account, and \$50,000 is from the off-road vehicle account. This is a onetime appropriation."

Renumber the sections in sequence and correct the internal references

Correct the title numbers accordingly

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

The report was adopted.

Knoblach from the Committee on Ways and Means to which was referred:

H. F. No. 2970, A bill for an act relating to capital investment; establishing a debt limit; amending Minnesota Statutes 2014, section 16A.105.

Reported the same back with the following amendments:

Page 2, line 10, delete "and issuance"

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

The report was adopted.

Knobloch from the Committee on Ways and Means to which was referred:

H. F. No. 3384, A bill for an act relating to insurance; making changes to the life insurance reserves; amending Minnesota Statutes 2014, sections 61A.24, subdivision 12, by adding a subdivision; 61A.25.

Reported the same back with the following amendments:

Page 11, line 24, delete everything after "(7)" and insert "the commissioner may take disciplinary action against a company or an appointed actuary for failure to satisfy the requirements of this subdivision."

Page 11, delete line 25

Page 25, line 23, delete everything after the period

Page 25, delete lines 24 to 30

Page 26, line 33, delete "private or" and insert "confidential or protected"

Page 26, line 34, delete "subdivisions 9 and 12" and insert "subdivision 3 or 13"

Page 27, line 6, after "(f)" insert ", provided that if an examination report or other material prepared in connection with an examination under section 60A.031, subdivision 4, paragraph (f), is not given confidential treatment under that provision, an examination report or other material prepared in connection with an examination under subdivision 10, paragraph (f), is not given confidential treatment to the same extent as if the examination report or other material had been prepared under section 60A.031, subdivision 4, paragraph (f)"

Page 28, delete lines 3 to 12 and insert:

"(d) In order to assist in the performance of the commissioner's duties, the commissioner may share documents, materials, data, and other information, including information that is confidential and privileged: (1) with other state, federal, and international regulatory agencies and with the National Association of Insurance Commissioners and its affiliates and subsidiaries, and (2) in the case of the documents, materials, or other information specified in paragraph (a), clauses (1) and (4), only, with the Actuarial Board for Counseling and Discipline or its successor upon request stating that the documents, materials, or other information is required for the purpose of professional disciplinary proceedings and with state, federal, and international law enforcement officials; provided that the recipient agrees, and has the legal authority to agree, to maintain the confidential and privileged status of the documents, materials, data, and other information in the same manner and to the same extent as required for the commissioner."

Page 28, line 14, delete "private, nonpublic," and insert "confidential"

Page 28, line 18, delete "as private, nonpublic, or privileged" and insert "the confidential and privileged status"

Page 28, line 20, delete "private, nonpublic, or" and insert "confidential and"

Page 29, after line 22, insert:

"Sec. 4. **COST TO ADMINISTER.**

(a) The commissioner of commerce shall consult and work in cooperation with the National Association of Insurance Commissioners to minimize the cost to administer this act. For purposes of this section, "administer" includes, but is not limited to, the training of Department of Commerce staff and reviewing opinions, memorandums, or other documents or data.

(b) Any cost to administer this act incurred by the Department of Commerce in fiscal year 2017 must be paid from funds appropriated to the Department of Commerce for fiscal year 2017 for general operations."

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

The report was adopted.

Knoblach from the Committee on Ways and Means to which was referred:

H. F. No. 3549, A bill for an act relating to elections; establishing a presidential primary; modifying provisions related to the precinct caucuses; making technical and conforming changes; amending Minnesota Statutes 2014, sections 201.091, subdivision 4; 202A.14, subdivision 1; 202A.18, subdivision 2a; 204B.14, subdivisions 2, 4; 204C.10; 204D.09, subdivision 1; Minnesota Statutes 2015 Supplement, section 204C.04, subdivision 2; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 207A.

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

The report was adopted.

Sanders from the Committee on Government Operations and Elections Policy to which was referred:

H. F. No. 3708, A bill for an act relating to solid waste; placing moratorium on authority of local units of government to organize solid waste collection; amending Minnesota Statutes 2014, section 115A.94, by adding a subdivision.

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill be re-referred to the Committee on Rules and Legislative Administration.

The report was adopted.

Knoblach from the Committee on Ways and Means to which was referred:

H. F. No. 3925, A bill for an act relating to Iron Range resources and rehabilitation; modifying duties of the commissioner; creating a Legislative-Citizen Commission; providing legislative oversight; modifying appropriations and distributions; making conforming changes; requiring a study; appropriating money; amending Minnesota Statutes 2014, sections 116J.423, subdivision 1; 116J.424; 298.001, by adding a subdivision; 298.018, subdivision 1; 298.17; 298.22; 298.221; 298.2211, subdivisions 3, 6; 298.2213; 298.2214, subdivision 2; 298.223; 298.227; 298.27; 298.28, subdivisions 7, 7a, 9c, 9d, 11; 298.292, subdivision 2; 298.294; 298.296; 298.2961; 298.297; 298.298; 298.46.

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

The report was adopted.

Kelly from the Committee on Transportation Policy and Finance to which was referred:

H. F. No. 3959, A bill for an act relating to transportation; authorizing and governing implementation of requirements of the federal REAL ID Act; amending certain requirements governing driver's licenses and Minnesota identification cards; amending certain fees; requiring legislative reporting; requiring rulemaking; appropriating money; amending Minnesota Statutes 2014, sections 171.017, subdivisions 1, 2; 171.06, subdivisions 1, 3, by adding a subdivision; 171.07, subdivisions 1, 3, 4, 9a; 171.072; 171.12, by adding subdivisions; 171.27; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 171; repealing Laws 2009, chapter 92, section 1, as amended.

Reported the same back with the following amendments:

Page 1, delete sections 1 and 2 and insert:

"Section 1. Minnesota Statutes 2014, section 171.01, is amended by adding a subdivision to read:

Subd. 48b. **Temporary lawful status.** "Temporary lawful status" has the meaning given in Code of Federal Regulations, title 6, section 37.3.

Sec. 2. Minnesota Statutes 2014, section 171.017, is amended to read:

171.017 BACKGROUND INVESTIGATIONS; ~~DEPARTMENT~~ DRIVER'S LICENSE AGENTS AND CERTAIN EMPLOYEES.

Subdivision 1. **Background checks authorized.** The commissioner shall investigate the criminal history background of any driver's license agent and any current or prospective employees of the department or driver's license agent being considered for any position ~~with the department~~ that has or will have the ability to:

(1) ~~the ability to~~ create or modify records of applicants for identification cards and driver's licenses, including enhanced drivers' licenses under section 171.01, subdivision 31a, or and enhanced identification cards under section 171.01, subdivision 31b;

(2) ~~the ability to~~ issue enhanced drivers' licenses ~~under section 171.01, subdivision 31a,~~ or enhanced identification cards ~~under section 171.01, subdivision 31b;~~ or

(3) ~~the ability to~~ administer knowledge or skills tests under section 171.13 to an applicant for a commercial driver's license.

Subd. 2. **Procedure.** (a) The commissioner must request a criminal history background check from the superintendent of the Bureau of Criminal Apprehension on all individuals specified in subdivision 1. A request under this section must be accompanied by an executed criminal history consent form, including fingerprints, signed by the agent or the current or prospective employee being investigated.

(b) After receiving a request under paragraph (a), the superintendent of the Bureau of Criminal Apprehension shall perform the background check required under subdivision 1. The superintendent shall retrieve criminal history data as defined in section 13.87, conduct a search of the national criminal records repository, and provide wants and warrant information from federal and state repositories. The superintendent is authorized to exchange fingerprints with the Federal Bureau of Investigation for purposes of the criminal history check. The superintendent shall return the results of the background checks to the commissioner to determine whether:

(1) the agent, employee, or applicant for employment specified in subdivision 1, clause (1) or (2), has committed a disqualifying crime under Code of Federal Regulations, title 49, section 1572.103; or

(2) the employee or applicant for employment specified in subdivision 1, clause (3), has a conviction of the type specified by Code of Federal Regulations, title 49, section 384.228(j).

(c) The superintendent shall recover the cost to the bureau of a background check through a fee charged to the commissioner or the driver's license agent, as appropriate, for the person on whom a background check is performed.

Subd. 3. **Notification by other criminal justice agencies.** Criminal justice agencies, as defined by section 13.02, subdivision 3a, shall provide the commissioner with information they possess and that the commissioner requires for the purposes of determining the employment suitability of current or prospective employees subject to this section.

Subd. 4. **Annual background checks in certain instances.** Consistent with Code of Federal Regulations, title 49, section 384.228, the commissioner shall request and the superintendent shall conduct annual background checks for the department employees specified in subdivision 1, clause (3). Annual background checks under this subdivision ~~shall~~ must be performed in a manner consistent with subdivisions 2 and 3.

EFFECTIVE DATE. This section is effective July 1, 2017."

Page 3, line 6, before "The" insert "(a) For driver's licenses and Minnesota identification cards under this chapter,"

Page 3, after line 9, insert:

"(b) The requirements under paragraph (a) do not apply to an enhanced driver's license or enhanced identification card."

Page 3, delete section 4 and insert:

"Sec. 4. Minnesota Statutes 2014, section 171.06, subdivision 1, is amended to read:

Subdivision 1. **~~Forms of Application format and requirements.~~** (a) Every application for a Minnesota identification card, ~~for including an enhanced identification card, or for a driver's license including for an instruction permit, for a provisional license, for a driver's license, or for and an enhanced driver's license,~~ must be made in a format approved by the department, ~~and~~. Every application must be accompanied by payment of the proper fee. ~~All first time applications and change of status applications must be signed in the presence of the person authorized to accept the application, or the signature on the application may be verified by a notary public. All applications requiring evidence of legal presence in the United States or United States citizenship~~

(b) All applicants must sign the application and declare, under penalty of perjury, that the information presented in the application is true and correct. The application must be signed in the presence of the person authorized to accept the application, or the signature on the application may be verified by a notary public."

Page 6, line 17, before "(6)" insert "and"

Page 6, line 18, delete "; and (7) other information as determined by the commissioner"

Page 6, strike lines 30 to 32

Page 6, line 33, strike "(e)" and insert "(d)"

Page 6, after line 34, insert:

"(e) A license must bear a distinguishing indicator, as determined by the commissioner.

(f) A license issued to a person with temporary lawful status must be marked "temporary" on the face and in the machine-readable portion of the license."

Page 7, line 12, before "(7)" insert "and"

Page 7, line 13, delete "; and (8) other information as determined by the commissioner"

Page 7, after line 24, insert:

"(e) A Minnesota identification card must bear a distinguishing indicator, as determined by the commissioner.

(f) A Minnesota identification card issued to a person with temporary lawful status must be marked "temporary" on the face and in the machine-readable portion of the card."

Page 7, line 25, strike "(e)" and insert "(g)"

Page 8, delete line 12 and insert "lawful status is the last"

Page 8, line 17, after "forgery" insert ", alteration, reproduction," and after "fraud," insert "prohibit the ability to superimpose a photograph or electronically produced image."

Page 9, line 12, before "The" insert:

"(d)" and after "to" insert ": (1) an application for a driver's license or Minnesota identification card under this chapter; or (2)"

Page 11, line 3, delete the comma

Page 11, line 4, delete everything before "is"

Page 13, line 2, before "Sections" insert "Except as specifically provided otherwise," and after the period, insert "Sections 1 to 14 apply for application and issuance of driver's licenses and Minnesota identification cards on and after the day following adoption of administrative rules under section 15, subdivision 4."

Correct the title numbers accordingly

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

The report was adopted.

Sanders from the Committee on Government Operations and Elections Policy to which was referred:

H. F. No. 3974, A bill for an act relating to natural resources; requiring county approval of certain land acquisitions; amending Minnesota Statutes 2014, section 97A.056, by adding a subdivision.

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill be re-referred to the Committee on Rules and Legislative Administration.

The report was adopted.

SECOND READING OF HOUSE BILLS

H. F. Nos. 2380, 2844, 2970, 3384 and 3925 were read for the second time.

SECOND READING OF SENATE BILLS

S. F. Nos. 2378, 2416, 2428, 2709, 2752, 3131, 3317 and 3327 were read for the second time.

INTRODUCTION AND FIRST READING OF HOUSE BILLS

The following House Files were introduced:

Scott introduced:

H. F. No. 3993, A bill for an act relating to capital investment; appropriating money for closed landfill cleanup; 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.

Hoppe, Lesch, Zerwas and Smith introduced:

H. F. No. 3994, A bill for an act relating to civil actions; recognizing a property right in a person's name, voice, signature, photograph, or likeness; prohibiting unauthorized use; providing remedies; proposing coding for new law as Minnesota Statutes, chapter 564.

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

Schultz, Moran, Flanagan, Mariani, Allen and Simonson introduced:

H. F. No. 3995, A bill for an act relating to driver education; expanding access to driver education programs for low-income students; establishing a driver education work group; requiring a report; appropriating money; amending Minnesota Statutes 2014, section 123B.36, subdivision 1; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 124D.

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

Lesch introduced:

H. F. No. 3996, A bill for an act relating to family law; establishing a cooperative private divorce program; making conforming changes; appropriating money; amending Minnesota Statutes 2014, sections 62A.21, subdivision 2a; 518.191, by adding a subdivision; 518.195, by adding a subdivision; 518A.43, subdivision 1; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 518.

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

Albright introduced:

H. F. No. 3997, A bill for an act relating to occupations; providing for oversight of state occupational regulations; requiring reports; amending Minnesota Statutes 2014, sections 3.303, by adding a subdivision; 214.001, subdivisions 1, 3, by adding subdivisions; 214.002, subdivision 2, by adding a subdivision; 214.01, by adding subdivisions; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 214.

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

Runbeck and Albright introduced:

H. F. No. 3998, A bill for an act relating to transportation; governing transit finance and policy in the Twin Cities metropolitan area; requiring transportation planning; requiring certain funding recommendations to the legislature; amending requirements governing a local option transportation sales tax; establishing an account; making technical and conforming changes; amending Minnesota Statutes 2014, sections 16A.88, subdivision 1, by adding a subdivision; 297A.992, subdivisions 1, 2, 3, 4, 6a, 7, 8, 10; 473.146, subdivisions 1, 3; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 473; repealing Minnesota Statutes 2014, section 297A.992, subdivisions 5, 6, 11, 12.

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

MESSAGES FROM THE SENATE

The following messages were received from the Senate:

Mr. Speaker:

I hereby announce the passage by the Senate of the following House File, herewith returned:

H. F. No. 2927, A bill for an act relating to transportation; permitting specific service signs at two locations under certain circumstances; amending Minnesota Statutes 2014, section 160.293, subdivision 3.

JOANNE M. ZOFF, Secretary of the Senate

Mr. Speaker:

I hereby announce that the Senate accedes to the request of the House for the appointment of a Conference Committee on the amendments adopted by the Senate to the following House File:

H. F. No. 2749, A bill for an act relating to state government; conforming buyback level for the budget reserve with the most recent forecast; eliminating obsolete language; providing policy and finance for the Office of Higher Education, the Minnesota State Colleges and Universities, and the University of Minnesota, including programs for student loans, students with disabilities, fetal tissue research, psychiatric drug trials, and collegiate recovery; providing funding and policy for early childhood and family, prekindergarten through grade 12, and adult education, including general education, education excellence, charter schools, special education, early childhood education, self-sufficiency, lifelong learning, and state agencies; appropriating money; requiring reports; amending Minnesota Statutes 2014, sections 120A.22, subdivision 12; 120A.42; 120B.02, by adding a subdivision; 120B.021, subdivisions 1, 3; 120B.11, subdivisions 1a, 2, 3, 4, 5; 120B.15; 120B.31, by adding subdivisions; 120B.35; 120B.36, as amended; 121A.53; 121A.61, subdivision 1; 121A.64; 122A.07, subdivision 2; 122A.09, subdivision 10, by adding a subdivision; 122A.14, subdivision 9; 122A.16; 122A.18, subdivisions 7c, 8; 122A.21, subdivision 1, by adding a subdivision; 122A.245, subdivision 8; 122A.31, subdivision 3; 122A.40, subdivision 10; 122A.41, by adding a subdivision; 122A.4144; 122A.416; 122A.42; 122A.72, subdivision 5; 123A.24, subdivision 2; 123B.147, subdivision 3; 123B.49, subdivision 4; 123B.571, subdivision 2; 123B.60, subdivision 1; 123B.71, subdivision 8; 123B.79, subdivisions 5, 8, 9; 124D.111, by adding a subdivision; 124D.13, subdivisions 1, 5, 9; 124D.135, subdivisions 5, 7; 124D.15, subdivisions 1, 3a, 15; 124D.16, subdivisions 3, 5; 124D.165, as amended; 124D.52, subdivisions 1, 2; 124D.55; 124D.59, by adding a subdivision; 124D.861, as amended; 124D.896; 125A.091, subdivision 11; 125A.0942, subdivision 4; 126C.10, subdivisions 2e, 24; 126C.15, subdivision 3; 126C.17, subdivision 9a; 126C.40, subdivision 5; 126C.63, subdivision 7; 127A.095; 127A.353, subdivision 4; 127A.41, subdivision 2; 127A.45, subdivision 6a; 127A.51; 129C.10, subdivision 1; 136A.01, by adding a subdivision; 136A.101, subdivision 10; 245.92; 245.94; 245.945; 245.95, subdivision 1; 245.97, subdivision 5; Minnesota Statutes 2015 Supplement, sections 16A.152, subdivision 2; 120B.021, subdivision 4; 120B.125; 120B.30, subdivisions 1, 1a; 120B.301; 120B.31, subdivision 4; 122A.09, subdivision 4; 122A.21, subdivision 2; 122A.30; 122A.40, subdivision 8; 122A.41, subdivision 5; 122A.414, subdivisions 1, 2, 2b; 122A.415, subdivision 3; 122A.60, subdivision 4; 123B.53, subdivision 1; 123B.595, subdivisions 4, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, by adding a subdivision; 124D.16, subdivision 2; 124D.231, subdivision 2; 124D.73, subdivision 4; 124E.05, subdivisions 4, 5, 7; 124E.10, subdivisions 1, 5; 124E.16, subdivision 2; 125A.08; 125A.083; 125A.0942, subdivision 3; 125A.11, subdivision 1; 125A.21, subdivision 3; 125A.63, subdivision 4; 125A.76, subdivision 2c; 125A.79, subdivision 1; 126C.10, subdivisions 1, 13a; 126C.15, subdivisions 1, 2; 126C.48, subdivision 8; 127A.05, subdivision 6; 127A.47, subdivision 7; 136A.121, subdivision 7a; 136A.125, subdivisions 2, 4; 136A.1791, subdivisions 4, 5, 6; 136A.87; 136F.302, subdivision 1; Laws 2010, chapter 396, section 7; Laws 2011, First Special Session chapter 11, article 4, section 8; Laws 2012, chapter 263, section 1, as amended; Laws 2013, chapter 116, article 7, section 19, as amended; Laws 2015, chapter 69, article 1, sections 3, subdivisions 19, 28; 5, subdivision 2; article 3, sections 20, subdivision 15; 24, subdivision 1; Laws 2015, First Special Session chapter 3, article 1, section 27, subdivisions 2, 4, 5, 6, 7, 9; article 2, section 70, subdivisions 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 11, 12; article 3, section 15, subdivision 3; article 4, sections 4; 9, subdivision 2; article 5, section 30, subdivisions 2, 3, 5; article 6, section 13, subdivisions 2, 3, 6, 7; article 7, section 7, subdivisions 2, 3, 4; article 9, section 8, subdivisions 5, 6, 7, 9; article 10, section 3, subdivision 2; article 11, section 3, subdivisions 2, 3; article 12, section 4; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapters 119A; 120B; 121A; 122A; 124D; 125B; 127A; 129C; 136A; 136F; 137; 181; repealing Minnesota Statutes 2014, sections 120B.299, subdivision 5; 122A.40, subdivision 11; 122A.41, subdivision 14; 122A.413, subdivision 3; 122A.74; 123B.60, subdivision 2; 123B.79, subdivisions 2, 6; Minnesota Statutes 2015 Supplement, section 122A.413, subdivisions 1, 2; Minnesota Rules, part 3535.0110, subparts 6, 7, 8.

The Senate has appointed as such committee:

Senators Cohen, Wiger, Lourey, Saxhaug and Fischbach.

Said House File is herewith returned to the House.

JOANNE M. ZOFF, Secretary of the Senate

Mr. Speaker:

I hereby announce that the Senate accedes to the request of the House for the appointment of a Conference Committee on the amendments adopted by the Senate to the following House File:

H. F. No. 2777, A bill for an act relating to public safety; health; courts; authorizing ex parte hearings to determine when an emergency medical service person has a significant exposure to a source individual's bodily fluids; authorizing peace officers to take a noncompliant source individual into temporary custody to collect a blood sample; amending Minnesota Statutes 2014, section 144.7407, subdivision 2.

The Senate has appointed as such committee:

Senators Hoffman, Champion and Abeler.

Said House File is herewith returned to the House.

JOANNE M. ZOFF, Secretary of the Senate

Mr. Speaker:

I hereby announce the passage by the Senate of the following Senate Files, herewith transmitted:

S. F. Nos. 1898, 2330, 2680, 2764, 3018 and 3216.

JOANNE M. ZOFF, Secretary of the Senate

FIRST READING OF SENATE BILLS

S. F. No. 1898, A bill for an act relating to contracts; regulating building and construction contracts; providing for certain progress payments and retainages; amending Minnesota Statutes 2014, section 337.10, subdivisions 3, 4.

The bill was read for the first time.

Rarick moved that S. F. No. 1898 and H. F. No. 2451, now on the General Register, be referred to the Chief Clerk for comparison. The motion prevailed.

S. F. No. 2330, A bill for an act relating to health; prohibiting the use of certain flame-retardant chemicals in certain products; amending Minnesota Statutes 2015 Supplement, section 325F.071.

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

S. F. No. 2680, A bill for an act relating to criminal justice; increasing the maximum penalty for felony-level assaults motivated by bias; 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 Crime Prevention Policy and Finance.

S. F. No. 2764, A bill for an act relating to local government; Hennepin County; amending sections related to central purchasing and energy forward pricing; establishing job order contracting authority; amending Minnesota Statutes 2014, sections 383B.142; 383B.1588, subdivision 3; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 383B.

The bill was read for the first time.

Pugh moved that S. F. No. 2764 and H. F. No. 2932, now on the General Register, be referred to the Chief Clerk for comparison. The motion prevailed.

S. F. No. 3018, A bill for an act relating to agriculture; making various policy and technical changes to agricultural-related provisions; modifying certain agricultural-related appropriations; amending Minnesota Statutes 2014, sections 17.53, subdivision 16; 18B.345; 28A.085, subdivision 1; 31.122; 31.94; Minnesota Statutes 2015 Supplement, sections 41A.14; 583.215; Laws 2015, First Special Session chapter 4, article 1, section 2, subdivision 4; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 216B; repealing Laws 2015, First Special Session chapter 4, article 2, section 81.

The bill was read for the first time.

Anderson, P., moved that S. F. No. 3018 and H. F. No. 3231, now on the General Register, be referred to the Chief Clerk for comparison. The motion prevailed.

S. F. No. 3216, A bill for an act relating to unemployment insurance; adopting recommendations of the Unemployment Insurance Advisory Council; amending Minnesota Statutes 2014, sections 268.035, subdivisions 12, 20, 23a, 29, by adding subdivisions; 268.051, subdivision 5; 268.085, subdivisions 4, 5; 268.0865, subdivisions 3, 4; 268.095, subdivisions 1, 2, 5; 268.101, subdivision 2; 268.18; 268.182, subdivision 2; Minnesota Statutes 2015 Supplement, sections 268.07, subdivision 3b; 268.085, subdivision 2; Laws 2015, First Special Session chapter 1, article 6, section 16.

The bill was read for the first time.

O'Neill moved that S. F. No. 3216 and H. F. No. 3512, now on the General Register, be referred to the Chief Clerk for comparison. The motion prevailed.

The Speaker assumed the Chair.

CALENDAR FOR THE DAY

S. F. No. 2527 was reported to the House.

Urdahl moved to amend S. F. No. 2527, the first engrossment, as follows:

Delete everything after the enacting clause and insert the following language of H. F. No. 3829, the second engrossment:

"ARTICLE 1
OUTDOOR HERITAGE FUND

Section 1. **OUTDOOR HERITAGE APPROPRIATION.**

The sums shown in the columns marked "Appropriations" are appropriated to the agencies and for the purposes specified in this article. The appropriations are from the outdoor heritage fund for the fiscal year indicated for each purpose. The figures "2016" and "2017" used in this article mean that the appropriations listed under them are available for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2016, or June 30, 2017, respectively. "The first year" is fiscal year 2016. "The second year" is fiscal year 2017. "The biennium" is fiscal years 2016 and 2017. The appropriations in this article are onetime.

	<u>APPROPRIATIONS</u>	
	<u>Available for the Year</u>	
	<u>Ending June 30</u>	
	<u>2016</u>	<u>2017</u>
Sec. 2. <u>OUTDOOR HERITAGE FUND</u>		
Subdivision 1. <u>Total Appropriation</u>	<u>\$-0-</u>	<u>\$107,777,000</u>
<u>This appropriation is from the outdoor heritage fund. The amounts that may be spent for each purpose are specified in the following subdivisions.</u>		
Subd. 2. <u>Prairies</u>	<u>-0-</u>	<u>31,000,000</u>
<u>(a) DNR Wildlife Management Area and Scientific and Natural Area Acquisition - Phase VIII</u>		

\$3,250,000 the second year is to the commissioner of natural resources to acquire land in fee for wildlife management purposes under Minnesota Statutes, section 86A.05, subdivision 8, and to acquire land in fee for scientific and natural area purposes under Minnesota Statutes, section 86A.05, subdivision 5. Subject to evaluation criteria in Minnesota Rules, part 6136.0900, priority must be given to acquisition of lands that are eligible for the native prairie bank under Minnesota Statutes, section 84.96, or lands adjacent to protected native prairie. A list of proposed land acquisitions must be provided as part of the required accomplishment plan.

(b) Accelerating Wildlife Management Area Acquisition - Phase VIII

\$5,229,000 the second year is to the commissioner of natural resources for an agreement with Pheasants Forever to acquire in fee and restore lands for wildlife management area purposes under Minnesota Statutes, section 86A.05, subdivision 8. Subject to evaluation criteria in Minnesota Rules, part 6136.0900, priority must be given to acquisition of lands that are eligible for the native prairie bank under Minnesota Statutes, section 84.96, or lands adjacent to protected native prairie. A list of proposed land acquisitions must be provided as part of the required accomplishment plan.

(c) Martin County/Fox Lake Wildlife Management Area Acquisition

\$1,000,000 the second year is to the commissioner of natural resources for an agreement with Fox Lake Conservation League, Inc. to acquire land in fee and restore strategic prairie grassland, wetland, and other wildlife habitat for wildlife management area purposes under Minnesota Statutes, section 86A.05, subdivision 8. A list of proposed acquisitions must be provided as part of the required accomplishment plan.

(d) Northern Tallgrass Prairie National Wildlife Refuge Land Acquisition - Phase VII

\$2,754,000 the second year is to the commissioner of natural resources for an agreement with The Nature Conservancy in cooperation with the United States Fish and Wildlife Service to acquire land in fee or permanent conservation easements and restore lands within the Northern Tallgrass Prairie Habitat Preservation Area in western Minnesota for addition to the Northern Tallgrass Prairie National Wildlife Refuge. Subject to evaluation criteria in Minnesota Rules, part 6136.0900, priority must be given to acquisition of lands that are eligible for the native prairie bank under Minnesota Statutes, section 84.96, or lands adjacent to protected native prairie. A list of proposed land acquisitions must be provided as part of the required accomplishment plan and must be consistent with the priorities in the Minnesota Prairie Conservation Plan.

(e) Cannon River Headwaters Habitat Complex - Phase VI

\$583,000 the second year is to the commissioner of natural resources for an agreement with The Trust for Public Land to acquire land in fee and restore lands in the Cannon River watershed for wildlife management purposes under Minnesota Statutes, section 86A.05, subdivision 8. Subject to evaluation criteria in Minnesota Rules, part 6136.0900, priority must be given

to acquisition of lands that are eligible for the native prairie bank under Minnesota Statutes, section 84.96, or lands adjacent to protected native prairie. A list of proposed land acquisitions must be provided as part of the required accomplishment plan.

(f) Accelerated Native Prairie Bank Protection - Phase V

\$2,541,000 the second year is to the commissioner of natural resources to implement the Minnesota Prairie Conservation Plan through the acquisition of permanent conservation easements to protect and restore native prairie. Of this amount, up to \$120,000 is for establishing monitoring and enforcement funds as approved in the accomplishment plan and subject to Minnesota Statutes, section 97A.056, subdivision 17. Subject to evaluation criteria in Minnesota Rules, part 6136.0900, priority must be given to acquisition of lands that are eligible for the native prairie bank under Minnesota Statutes, section 84.96, or lands adjacent to protected native prairie. A list of permanent conservation easements must be provided as part of the final report.

(g) Reinvest In Minnesota (RIM) Buffers for Wildlife and Water - Phase VI

\$6,708,000 the second year is to the Board of Water and Soil Resources to acquire permanent conservation easements and restore habitat under Minnesota Statutes, section 103F.515, to protect, restore, and enhance habitat by expanding the clean water fund riparian buffer program for at least equal wildlife benefits from buffers on private land. Of this amount, up to \$130,000 is to establish a monitoring and enforcement fund as approved in the accomplishment plan and subject to Minnesota Statutes, section 97A.056, subdivision 17. A list of permanent conservation easements must be provided as part of the final report.

(h) Prairie Chicken Habitat Partnership of the Southern Red River Valley - Phase II

\$2,269,000 the second year is to the commissioner of natural resources for an agreement with Pheasants Forever, in cooperation with the Minnesota Prairie Chicken Society, to acquire land in fee and restore and enhance lands in the southern Red River Valley for wildlife management purposes under Minnesota Statutes, section 86A.05, subdivision 8, or for designation and management as waterfowl production areas in Minnesota, in cooperation with the United States Fish and Wildlife Service. Subject to evaluation criteria in Minnesota Rules, part 6136.0900, priority must be given to acquisition of lands that are eligible for the native prairie bank under Minnesota Statutes, section 84.96, or lands adjacent to protected native prairie. A list of proposed land acquisitions must be provided as part of the required accomplishment plan.

(i) Grassland Conservation Partnership - Phase II

\$1,475,000 the second year is to the commissioner of natural resources for an agreement with The Conservation Fund, in cooperation with Minnesota Land Trust, to acquire permanent conservation easements and restore high priority grassland, prairie, and wetland habitats as follows: \$64,000 to The Conservation Fund; and \$1,411,000 to Minnesota Land Trust, of which up to \$100,000 is for establishing a monitoring and enforcement fund, as approved in the accomplishment plan and subject to Minnesota Statutes, section 97A.056, subdivision 17. Subject to evaluation criteria in Minnesota Rules, part 6136.0900, priority must be given to acquisition of lands that are eligible for the native prairie bank under Minnesota Statutes, section 84.96, or lands adjacent to protected native prairie. A list of proposed acquisitions must be provided as part of the required accomplishment plan and must be consistent with the priorities in the Minnesota Prairie Conservation Plan.

(j) Accelerated Prairie Restoration and Enhancement on DNR Lands - Phase VIII

\$3,983,000 the second year is to the commissioner of natural resources to accelerate restoration and enhancement of prairies, grasslands, and savannas on wildlife management areas, scientific and natural areas, native prairie bank land, and bluff prairies on state forest land in southeastern Minnesota. A list of proposed land restorations and enhancements must be provided as part of the required accomplishment plan.

(k) Anoka Sandplain Habitat Restoration and Enhancement - Phase IV

\$1,208,000 the second year is to the commissioner of natural resources for agreements to restore and enhance wildlife habitat on public lands, excluding state forests, in Anoka, Isanti, Morrison, Sherburne, and Todd Counties as follows: \$93,000 to Anoka Conservation District; \$25,000 to Isanti County Parks and Recreation Department; \$813,000 to Great River Greening; and \$277,000 to the National Wild Turkey Federation. A list of proposed land restorations and enhancements must be provided as part of the required accomplishment plan.

Subd. 3. **Forests**

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16,309,000

(a) Young Forest Conservation - Phase II

\$1,369,000 the second year is to the commissioner of natural resources for an agreement with the American Bird Conservancy to restore publicly owned, permanently protected forest lands for wildlife management purposes. A list of proposed forest land restorations must be provided as part of the required accomplishment plan.

(b) Jack Pine Forest/Crow Wing River Watershed Habitat Acquisition

\$1,500,000 the second year is to the commissioner of natural resources for an agreement with the Minnesota Deer Hunters Association to acquire in fee and restore and enhance forest habitat lands in Cass and Hubbard Counties for county forest purposes. A list of proposed land acquisitions must be provided as part of the required accomplishment plan.

(c) Camp Ripley Partnership - Phase VI

\$1,500,000 the second year is to the Board of Water and Soil Resources, in cooperation with the Morrison County Soil and Water Conservation District, to acquire permanent conservation easements and restore forest wildlife habitat within the boundaries of the Minnesota National Guard Camp Ripley Compatible Use Buffer. Of this amount, up to \$72,000 is to establish a monitoring and enforcement fund, as approved in the accomplishment plan and subject to Minnesota Statutes, section 97A.056, subdivision 17. A list of permanent conservation easements must be provided as part of the final report.

(d) Southeast Minnesota Protection and Restoration - Phase IV

\$5,000,000 the second year is to the commissioner of natural resources for an agreement with The Nature Conservancy, in cooperation with The Trust for Public Land and Minnesota Land Trust, to acquire land in fee for wildlife management purposes under Minnesota Statutes, section 86A.05, subdivision 8, to acquire land in fee for scientific and natural areas under Minnesota Statutes, section 86A.05, subdivision 5, to acquire land in fee for state forest purposes under Minnesota Statutes, section 86A.05, subdivision 7, to acquire permanent conservation easements, and to restore and enhance prairie, grasslands, forest, and savanna as follows: \$1,506,000 to The Nature Conservancy; \$2,930,000 to The Trust for Public Land; and \$564,000 to Minnesota Land Trust, of which up to \$80,000 to Minnesota Land Trust is to establish a monitoring and enforcement fund, as approved in the accomplishment plan and subject to Minnesota Statutes, section 97A.056, subdivision 17. Annual income statements and balance sheets for income and expenses from land acquired in fee with this appropriation and not transferred to state or local government ownership must be submitted to the Lessard-Sams Outdoor Heritage Council. A list of proposed land acquisitions must be provided as part of the required accomplishment plan.

(e) Minnesota Forests for the Future - Phase IV

\$1,840,000 the second year is to the commissioner of natural resources to acquire forest, wetland, and shoreline habitat through working forest permanent conservation easements under the

Minnesota forests for the future program pursuant to Minnesota Statutes, section 84.66. A conservation easement acquired with money appropriated under this paragraph must comply with Minnesota Statutes, section 97A.056, subdivision 13. The accomplishment plan must include an easement monitoring and enforcement plan. Of this amount, up to \$25,000 is to establish a monitoring and enforcement fund as approved in the accomplishment plan and subject to Minnesota Statutes, section 97A.056, subdivision 17. A list of permanent conservation easements must be provided as part of the final report.

(f) Protect Key Forest Lands in Cass County - Phase VII

\$500,000 the second year is to the commissioner of natural resources for an agreement with Cass County to acquire land in fee in Cass County for forest wildlife habitat or to prevent forest fragmentation. A list of proposed land acquisitions must be provided as part of the required accomplishment plan.

(g) State Forest Acquisitions - Phase III

\$1,000,000 the second year is to the commissioner of natural resources to acquire lands in fee for wildlife habitat purposes under Minnesota Statutes, section 86A.05, subdivision 7. A list of proposed land acquisitions must be provided as part of the required accomplishment plan.

(h) Forest Habitat Protection Revolving Account

\$1,000,000 the second year is to the commissioner of natural resources to acquire lands in fee and permanent conservation easements for wildlife habitat purposes, for forest consolidation and connective corridor purposes, or to prevent forest fragmentation under Minnesota Statutes, section 86A.05, subdivision 7. Proceeds from any subsequent sale of lands acquired with this appropriation must be used for the purposes of this appropriation. Any sale proceeds remaining unused upon close of the appropriation availability must be returned to the outdoor heritage fund. A list of proposed land acquisitions must be provided as part of the required accomplishment plan. Unless otherwise provided, this appropriation is available until June 30, 2022. For acquisition of real property, this appropriation is available until June 30, 2023, if a binding agreement with a landowner or purchase agreement is entered into by June 30, 2022, and closed no later than June 30, 2023. Of this amount, up to \$50,000 is to establish a monitoring and enforcement fund as approved in the accomplishment plan and subject to Minnesota Statutes, section 97A.056, subdivision 17. A list of permanent conservation easements must be provided as part of the final report.

(i) Mississippi River Floodplain Forest Enhancement - Phase II

\$412,000 the second year is to the commissioner of natural resources for an agreement with the National Audubon Society to restore and enhance floodplain forest habitat for wildlife on public lands along the Mississippi River. A list of restorations and enhancements must be provided as part of the required accomplishment plan.

(j) Protecting Forest Wildlife Habitat in the Wild Rice River Watershed

\$2,188,000 the second year is to the commissioner of natural resources to acquire lands in fee in Clearwater County to be managed as a unit of the outdoor recreation system under Minnesota Statutes, chapter 86A. A list of proposed land acquisitions must be provided as part of the required accomplishment plan.

Subd. 4. **Wetlands**

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31,055,000**(a) Accelerating the Waterfowl Production Area Acquisition - Phase VIII**

\$5,650,000 the second year is to the commissioner of natural resources for an agreement with Pheasants Forever to acquire in fee and restore and enhance wetlands and grasslands to be designated and managed as waterfowl production areas in Minnesota, in cooperation with the United States Fish and Wildlife Service. A list of proposed land acquisitions must be provided as part of the required accomplishment plan.

(b) Shallow Lake and Wetland Protection Program - Phase V

\$5,801,000 the second year is to the commissioner of natural resources for an agreement with Ducks Unlimited to acquire in fee and restore prairie lands, wetlands, and land buffering shallow lakes for wildlife management purposes under Minnesota Statutes, section 86A.05, subdivision 8. A list of proposed acquisitions must be provided as part of the required accomplishment plan.

(c) RIM Wetlands Partnership - Phase VII

\$13,808,000 the second year is to the Board of Water and Soil Resources to acquire lands in permanent conservation easements and to restore wetlands and native grassland habitat under Minnesota Statutes, section 103F.515. Of this amount, up to \$195,000 is to establish a monitoring and enforcement fund as approved in the accomplishment plan and subject to Minnesota Statutes, section 97A.056, subdivision 17. A list of permanent conservation easements must be provided as part of the final report.

(d) Wetland Habitat Protection Program - Phase II

\$1,629,000 the second year is to the commissioner of natural resources for an agreement with Minnesota Land Trust to acquire permanent conservation easements in high-priority wetland habitat complexes in the prairie and forest/prairie transition regions. Of this amount, up to \$180,000 is to establish a monitoring and enforcement fund, as approved in the accomplishment plan and subject to Minnesota Statutes, section 97A.056, subdivision 17. A list of proposed easement acquisitions must be provided as part of the final report.

(e) Accelerated Shallow Lakes and Wetlands Enhancement - Phase VIII

\$2,167,000 the second year is to the commissioner of natural resources to enhance and restore shallow lakes and wetland habitat statewide. A list of proposed land restorations and enhancements must be provided as part of the required accomplishment plan.

(f) Marsh Lake - Phase II

\$2,000,000 the second year is to the commissioner of natural resources to modify the dam at Marsh Lake for improved habitat management and to return the historic outlet of the Pomme de Terre River to Lac Qui Parle.

Subd. 5. **Habitats**

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29,138,000

(a) DNR Aquatic Habitat Protection - Phase VIII

\$1,578,000 the second year is to the commissioner of natural resources to acquire land in fee and permanent conservation easements for aquatic management purposes under Minnesota Statutes, sections 86A.05, subdivision 14, and 97C.02, to acquire permanent conservation easements under the Minnesota forests for the future program pursuant to Minnesota Statutes, section 84.66, and to restore and enhance aquatic and adjacent upland habitat. Of this amount, up to \$153,000 is to establish a monitoring and enforcement fund as approved in the accomplishment plan and subject to Minnesota Statutes, section 97A.056, subdivision 17. A list of proposed land acquisitions, conservation easements, restorations, and enhancements must be provided as part of the required accomplishment plan.

(b) Metro Big Rivers Habitat - Phase VII

\$4,000,000 the second year is to the commissioner of natural resources for agreements to acquire land in fee and permanent conservation easements and to restore and enhance natural systems associated with the Mississippi, Minnesota, and St. Croix Rivers

within the metropolitan area as follows: \$500,000 to Minnesota Valley National Wildlife Refuge Trust, Inc.; \$430,000 to Friends of the Mississippi River; \$1,170,000 to Great River Greening; \$800,000 to The Trust for Public Land; and \$1,100,000 to Minnesota Land Trust, of which up to \$60,000 to Minnesota Land Trust is to establish a monitoring and enforcement fund as approved in the accomplishment plan and subject to Minnesota Statutes, section 97A.056, subdivision 17. A list of proposed land acquisitions and permanent conservation easements must be provided as part of the required accomplishment plan.

(c) Mississippi Headwaters Habitat Corridor Partnership - Phase II

\$2,105,000 the second year is to the commissioner of natural resources for agreements to acquire lands in fee in the Mississippi Headwaters and for agreements as follows: \$76,000 to the Mississippi Headwaters Board; and \$2,029,000 to The Trust for Public Land. \$1,045,000 the second year is to the Board of Water and Soil Resources to acquire permanent conservation easements and to restore wildlife habitat, of which up to \$78,000 is to establish a monitoring and enforcement fund as approved in the accomplishment plan and subject to Minnesota Statutes, section 97A.056, subdivision 17. A list of proposed acquisitions must be included as part of the required accomplishment plan.

(d) Fisheries Habitat Protection on Strategic North Central Minnesota Lakes - Phase II

\$1,425,000 the second year is to the commissioner of natural resources for agreements with the Leech Lake Area Watershed Foundation and Minnesota Land Trust to acquire land in fee and permanent conservation easements to sustain healthy fish habitat on cold water lakes in Aitkin, Cass, Crow Wing, and Hubbard Counties as follows: \$480,000 to Leech Lake Area Watershed Foundation; and \$945,000 to Minnesota Land Trust, of which up to \$180,000 to Minnesota Land Trust is to establish a monitoring and enforcement fund as approved in the accomplishment plan and subject to Minnesota Statutes, section 97A.056, subdivision 17. A list of proposed land acquisitions must be provided as part of the required accomplishment plan.

(e) Minnesota Trout Unlimited Coldwater Fish Habitat Enhancement and Restoration - Phase VIII

\$1,975,000 the second year is to the commissioner of natural resources for an agreement with Minnesota Trout Unlimited to restore or enhance habitat for trout and other species in and along cold water rivers, lakes, and streams in Minnesota. A list of proposed restorations and enhancements must be provided as part of the required accomplishment plan.

(f) DNR Stream Habitat

\$2,074,000 the second year is to the commissioner of natural resources to restore and enhance habitat to facilitate fish passage, degraded streams, and critical aquatic species habitat. A list of proposed land restorations and enhancements must be provided as part of the required accomplishment plan.

(g) St. Louis River Restoration Initiative - Phase III

\$2,707,000 the second year is to the commissioner of natural resources to restore aquatic habitats in the St. Louis River estuary. A list of proposed restorations must be provided as part of the required accomplishment plan.

(h) Sand Hill River Fish Passage - Phase II

\$828,000 the second year is to the commissioner of natural resources for an agreement with the Sand Hill River Watershed District, in cooperation with the Department of Natural Resources and Army Corps of Engineers, to restore and enhance fish passage and habitat in the Sand Hill River watershed. A list of proposed restorations must be provided as part of the required accomplishment plan.

(i) Shell Rock River Watershed Habitat Restoration Program - Phase V

\$1,200,000 the second year is to the commissioner of natural resources for an agreement with the Shell Rock River Watershed District to acquire in fee, restore, and enhance aquatic habitat in the Shell Rock River watershed. A list of proposed acquisitions, restorations, and enhancements must be provided as part of the required accomplishment plan.

(j) Roseau Lake Rehabilitation

\$2,763,000 the second year is to the commissioner of natural resources to acquire land in fee and permanent conservation easements for wildlife management purposes in Roseau County under Minnesota Statutes, section 86A.05, subdivision 8, to restore and enhance wildlife habitat. A list of proposed land acquisitions and restorations and enhancements must be provided as part of the required accomplishment plan.

(k) Conservation Partners Legacy Grant Program: Statewide and Metro Habitat - Phase VIII

\$7,438,000 the second year is to the commissioner of natural resources for a program to provide competitive, matching grants of up to \$400,000 to local, regional, state, and national organizations

for enhancing, restoring, or protecting forests, wetlands, prairies, or habitat for fish, game, or wildlife in Minnesota. Of this amount, up to \$2,500,000 is for grants in the seven-county metropolitan area and cities with a population of 50,000 or greater. Grants shall not be made for activities required to fulfill the duties of owners of lands subject to conservation easements. Grants shall not be made from the appropriation in this paragraph for projects that have a total project cost exceeding \$575,000. Of the total appropriation, \$588,000 may be spent for personnel costs and other direct and necessary administrative costs. Grantees may acquire land or interests in land. Easements must be permanent. Grants may not be used to establish easement stewardship accounts. Land acquired in fee must be open to hunting and fishing during the open season unless otherwise provided by law. The program must require a match of at least ten percent from nonstate sources for all grants. The match may be cash or in-kind resources. For grant applications of \$25,000 or less, the commissioner shall provide a separate, simplified application process. Subject to Minnesota Statutes, the commissioner of natural resources shall, when evaluating projects of equal value, give priority to organizations that have a history of receiving or a charter to receive private contributions for local conservation or habitat projects. If acquiring land in fee or a conservation easement, priority must be given to projects associated with or within one mile of existing wildlife management areas under Minnesota Statutes, section 86A.05, subdivision 8; scientific and natural areas under Minnesota Statutes, sections 84.033 and 86A.05, subdivision 5; or aquatic management areas under Minnesota Statutes, sections 86A.05, subdivision 14, and 97C.02. All restoration or enhancement projects must be on land permanently protected by a permanent covenant ensuring perpetual maintenance and protection of restored and enhanced habitat, by a conservation easement, by public ownership, or in public waters as defined in Minnesota Statutes, section 103G.005, subdivision 15. Priority must be given to restoration and enhancement projects on public lands. Minnesota Statutes, section 97A.056, subdivision 13, applies to grants awarded under this paragraph. This appropriation is available until June 30, 2020. No less than five percent of the amount of each grant must be held back from reimbursement until the grant recipient has completed a grant accomplishment report by the deadline and in the form prescribed by and satisfactory to the Lessard-Sams Outdoor Heritage Council. The commissioner shall provide notice of the grant program in the game and fish law summary prepared under Minnesota Statutes, section 97A.051, subdivision 2.

Subd. 6. **Administration**

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(a) Contract Management

\$150,000 the second year is to the commissioner of natural resources for contract management duties assigned in this section. The commissioner shall provide an accomplishment plan in the form specified by the Lessard-Sams Outdoor Heritage Council on the expenditure of this appropriation. The accomplishment plan must include a copy of the grant contract template and reimbursement manual. No money may be expended prior to Lessard-Sams Outdoor Heritage Council approval of the accomplishment plan.

(b) Technical Evaluation Panel

\$125,000 the second year is to the commissioner of natural resources for a technical evaluation panel to conduct up to 15 restoration and enhancement evaluations under Minnesota Statutes, section 97A.056, subdivision 10.

Subd. 7. Availability of Appropriation

Money appropriated in this section may not be spent on activities unless they are directly related to and necessary for a specific appropriation and are specified in the accomplishment plan approved by the Lessard-Sams Outdoor Heritage Council. Money appropriated in this section must not be spent on indirect costs or other institutional overhead charges that are not directly related to and necessary for a specific appropriation. Unless otherwise provided, the amounts in this section are available until June 30, 2019. For acquisition of real property, the amounts in this section are available until June 30, 2020, if a binding agreement with a landowner or purchase agreement is entered into by June 30, 2019, and closed no later than June 30, 2020. Funds for restoration or enhancement are available until June 30, 2021, or five years after acquisition, whichever is later, in order to complete initial restoration or enhancement work. If a project receives at least 15 percent of its funding from federal funds, the time period of the appropriation may be extended to equal the availability of federal funding to a maximum of six years, provided the federal funding was confirmed and included in the first draft accomplishment plan. Money appropriated for fee title acquisition of land may be used to restore, enhance, and provide for public use of the land acquired with the appropriation. Public use facilities must have a minimal impact on habitat in acquired lands.

Subd. 8. Payment Conditions and Capital Equipment Expenditures

All agreements referred to in this section must be administered on a reimbursement basis unless otherwise provided in this section. Notwithstanding Minnesota Statutes, section 16A.41, expenditures directly related to each appropriation's purpose made on or after July 1, 2016, or the date of accomplishment plan approval, whichever is later, are eligible for reimbursement unless otherwise provided in this section. For the purposes of administering

appropriations and legislatively authorized agreements paid out of the outdoor heritage fund, an expense must be considered reimbursable by the administering agency when the recipient presents the agency with an invoice, or binding agreement with the landowner, and the recipient attests that the goods have been received or the landowner agreement is binding. Periodic reimbursement must be made upon receiving documentation that the items articulated in the accomplishment plan approved by the Lessard-Sams Outdoor Heritage Council have been achieved, including partial achievements as evidenced by progress reports approved by the Lessard-Sams Outdoor Heritage Council. Reasonable amounts may be advanced to projects to accommodate cash flow needs, support future management of acquired lands, or match a federal share. The advances must be approved as part of the accomplishment plan. Capital equipment expenditures for specific items in excess of \$10,000 must be itemized in and approved as part of the accomplishment plan.

Subd. 9. Mapping

Each direct recipient of money appropriated in this section, as well as each recipient of a grant awarded pursuant to this section, must provide geographic information to the Lessard-Sams Outdoor Heritage Council for mapping of any lands acquired in fee with funds appropriated in this section and open to public taking of fish and game. The commissioner of natural resources shall include the lands acquired in fee with money appropriated in this section on maps showing public recreation opportunities. Maps must include information on and acknowledgment of the outdoor heritage fund, including a notation of any restrictions.

Subd. 10. RIM Buffers for Wildlife and Water Restorations

The following appropriations to the Board of Water and Soil Resources for the RIM buffers for wildlife and water program may be used for restoration of lands acquired by conservation easement with the appropriations:

(1) Laws 2015, First Special Session chapter 2, article 1, section 2, subdivision 2, paragraph (f);

(2) Laws 2014, chapter 256, article 1, section 2, subdivision 2, paragraph (f);

(3) Laws 2013, chapter 137, article 1, section 2, subdivision 2, paragraph (e);

(4) Laws 2012, chapter 264, article 1, section 2, subdivision 2, paragraph (a); and

(5) Laws 2011, First Special Session chapter 6, article 1, section 2, subdivision 2, paragraph (c).

Subd. 11. Appropriations Contingent Upon Audit

The appropriations in this section are not available until the Office of the Legislative Auditor completes its next financial audit of the outdoor heritage fund, anticipated to be completed in 2016, and the legislative auditor has submitted the report required under Minnesota Statutes, section 97A.056, subdivision 11, paragraph (c), listing noncompliant recipients. A recipient listed in the report may not receive money appropriated in this section until the legislative auditor has removed the recipient from the list as provided under Minnesota Statutes, section 97A.056, subdivision 11, paragraph (c).

Sec. 3. Minnesota Statutes 2014, section 97A.056, subdivision 2, is amended to read:

Subd. 2. Lessard-Sams Outdoor Heritage Council. (a) The Lessard-Sams Outdoor Heritage Council of 12 members is created in the legislative branch, consisting of:

(1) two public members appointed by the senate Subcommittee on Committees of the Committee on Rules and Administration;

(2) two public members appointed by the speaker of the house;

(3) four public members appointed by the governor;

(4) two members of the senate appointed by the senate Subcommittee on Committees of the Committee on Rules and Administration; and

(5) two members of the house of representatives appointed by the speaker of the house.

(b) Members appointed under paragraph (a) must not be registered lobbyists. In making appointments, the governor, senate Subcommittee on Committees of the Committee on Rules and Administration, and the speaker of the house shall consider geographic balance, gender, age, ethnicity, and varying interests including hunting and fishing. The governor's appointments to the council are subject to the advice and consent of the senate.

(c) Public members appointed under paragraph (a) shall have practical experience or expertise or demonstrated knowledge in the science, policy, or practice of restoring, protecting, and enhancing wetlands, prairies, forests, and habitat for fish, game, and wildlife.

(d) Legislative members appointed under paragraph (a) shall include the chairs of the legislative committees with jurisdiction over environment and natural resources finance or their designee, one member from the minority party of the senate, and one member from the minority party of the house of representatives.

(e) Public members serve four-year terms. Appointed legislative members serve at the pleasure of the appointing authority. Public and legislative members continue to serve until their successors are appointed. Public members shall be initially appointed according to the following schedule of terms:

(1) two public members appointed by the governor for a term ending the first Monday in January 2011;

(2) one public member appointed by the senate Subcommittee on Committees of the Committee on Rules and Administration for a term ending the first Monday in January 2011;

(3) one public member appointed by the speaker of the house for a term ending the first Monday in January 2011;

(4) two public members appointed by the governor for a term ending the first Monday in January 2013;

(5) one public member appointed by the senate Subcommittee on Committees of the Committee on Rules and Administration for a term ending the first Monday in January 2013; and

(6) one public member appointed by the speaker of the house for a term ending the first Monday in January 2013.

(f) Terms, compensation, and removal of public members are as provided in section 15.0575. A vacancy on the council may be filled by the appointing authority for the remainder of the unexpired term.

(g) ~~The first meeting of the council shall be convened by the chair of the Legislative Coordinating Commission no later than December 1, 2008.~~ Members shall elect a chair, vice-chair, secretary, and other officers as determined by the council. The chair may convene meetings as necessary to conduct the duties prescribed by this section.

(h) ~~Upon coordination with The Legislative Coordinating Commission, the council~~ may appoint nonpartisan staff and contract with consultants as necessary to ~~carry out~~ support the functions of the council. Up to one percent of the money appropriated from the fund may be used to pay for administrative expenses of the council and for compensation and expense reimbursement of council members.

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

Sec. 4. Minnesota Statutes 2014, section 97A.056, subdivision 10, is amended to read:

Subd. 10. **Restoration and enhancements evaluations.** The commissioner of natural resources and the Board of Water and Soil Resources ~~may~~ must convene a technical evaluation panel comprised of five members, including one technical representative from the Board of Water and Soil Resources, one technical representative from the Department of Natural Resources, one technical expert from the University of Minnesota or the Minnesota State Colleges and Universities, and two representatives with expertise in the project being evaluated. The board and the commissioner may add a technical representative from a unit of federal or local government. The members of the technical evaluation panel may not be associated with the restoration or enhancement, may vary depending upon the projects being reviewed, and shall avoid any potential conflicts of interest. Each year, the board and the commissioner may assign a coordinator to identify ~~a sample of up to ten~~ habitat restoration or enhancement projects completed with outdoor heritage funding. The coordinator shall secure the ~~restoration~~ plans for the projects specified and direct the technical evaluation panel to evaluate the restorations and enhancements relative to the law, current science, and the stated goals and standards in the ~~restoration project~~ plan and, when applicable, to the Board of Water and Soil Resources' native vegetation establishment and enhancement guidelines. The coordinator shall summarize the findings of the panel and provide a report to the chair of the Lessard-Sams Outdoor Heritage Council and the chairs of the respective house of representatives and senate policy and finance committees with jurisdiction over natural resources and spending from the outdoor heritage fund. The report shall determine if the restorations and enhancements are meeting planned goals, any problems with the implementation of restorations and enhancements, and, if necessary, recommendations on improving restorations and enhancements. The report shall be focused on improving future restorations and enhancements. At least one-tenth of one percent of forecasted receipts from the outdoor heritage fund must be used for restoration and enhancements evaluations under this section.

Sec. 5. Minnesota Statutes 2014, section 97A.056, is amended by adding a subdivision to read:

Subd. 22. **Local approval of land acquisitions.** A recipient of money appropriated from the outdoor heritage fund that acquires land in fee title with the appropriation must receive county approval prior to acquiring the land. The recipient must follow the process for obtaining county approval under section 97A.145, subdivision 2, paragraph (b).

EFFECTIVE DATE. This section is effective July 1, 2016, and applies to land acquired with money appropriated on or after that date.

Sec. 6. Laws 2015, First Special Session chapter 2, article 1, section 2, subdivision 2, is amended to read:

Subd. 2. **Prairies**

40,948,000

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(a) DNR Wildlife Management Area and Scientific and Natural Area Acquisition - Phase VII

\$4,570,000 in the first year is to the commissioner of natural resources to acquire land in fee for wildlife management purposes under Minnesota Statutes, section 86A.05, subdivision 8, and to acquire land in fee for scientific and natural area purposes under Minnesota Statutes, section 86A.05, subdivision 5. Subject to evaluation criteria in Minnesota Rules, part 6136.0900, priority must be given to acquisition of lands that are eligible for the native prairie bank under Minnesota Statutes, section 84.96, or lands adjacent to protected native prairie. A list of proposed land and permanent conservation easement acquisitions must be provided as part of the required accomplishment plan.

(b) Accelerating Wildlife Management Area Acquisition - Phase VII

\$7,452,000 in the first year is to the commissioner of natural resources for an agreement with Pheasants Forever to acquire land in fee for wildlife management area purposes under Minnesota Statutes, section 86A.05, subdivision 8. Subject to evaluation criteria in Minnesota Rules, part 6136.0900, priority must be given to acquisition of lands that are eligible for the native prairie bank under Minnesota Statutes, section 84.96, or lands adjacent to protected native prairie. A list of proposed land acquisitions must be provided as part of the required accomplishment plan.

(c) Minnesota Prairie Recovery Project - Phase VI

\$4,032,000 in the first year is to the commissioner of natural resources for an agreement with The Nature Conservancy to acquire native prairie, wetlands, and savanna and restore and enhance grasslands, wetlands, and savanna. Subject to evaluation criteria in Minnesota Rules, part 6136.0900, priority must be given to acquisition of lands that are eligible for the native prairie bank under Minnesota Statutes, section 84.96, or lands adjacent to protected native prairie. Annual income statements and balance sheets for income and expenses from land acquired with this appropriation must be submitted to the Lessard-Sams Outdoor Heritage Council no later than 180 days following the close of The Nature Conservancy's fiscal year. A list of proposed land acquisitions must be provided as part of the required accomplishment plan and must be consistent with the priorities identified in the Minnesota Prairie Conservation Plan.

(d) Northern Tallgrass Prairie National Wildlife Refuge Land Acquisition - Phase V VI

\$3,430,000 in the first year is to the commissioner of natural resources for an agreement with The Nature Conservancy in cooperation with the United States Fish and Wildlife Service to acquire land in fee or permanent conservation easements within the Northern Tallgrass Prairie Habitat Preservation Area in western Minnesota for addition to the Northern Tallgrass Prairie National Wildlife Refuge. Subject to evaluation criteria in Minnesota Rules, part 6136.0900, priority must be given to acquisition of lands that are eligible for the native prairie bank under Minnesota Statutes, section 84.96, or lands adjacent to protected native prairie. A list of proposed land acquisitions must be provided as part of the required accomplishment plan and must be consistent with the priorities in the Minnesota Prairie Conservation Plan.

(e) Accelerated Native Prairie Bank Protection - Phase IV

\$3,740,000 in the first year is to the commissioner of natural resources to implement the Minnesota Prairie Conservation Plan through the acquisition of permanent conservation easements to protect native prairie and grasslands. Up to \$165,000 is for establishing monitoring and enforcement funds as approved in the accomplishment plan and subject to Minnesota Statutes, section 97A.056, subdivision 17. Subject to evaluation criteria in Minnesota Rules, part 6136.0900, priority must be given to acquisition of lands that are eligible for the native prairie bank under Minnesota Statutes, section 84.96, or lands adjacent to protected native prairie. A list of permanent conservation easements must be provided as part of the final report.

(f) Minnesota Buffers for Wildlife and Water - Phase V

\$4,544,000 in the first year is to the Board of Water and Soil Resources to acquire permanent conservation easements to protect and enhance habitat by expanding the clean water fund riparian buffer program for at least equal wildlife benefits from buffers on private land. Up to \$72,500 is for establishing a monitoring and enforcement fund as approved in the accomplishment plan and subject to Minnesota Statutes, section 97A.056, subdivision 17. A list of permanent conservation easements must be provided as part of the final report.

(g) Cannon River Headwaters Habitat Complex - Phase V

\$1,380,000 in the first year is to the commissioner of natural resources for an agreement with The Trust for Public Land to acquire and restore lands in the Cannon River watershed for wildlife management purposes under Minnesota Statutes, section 86A.05, subdivision 8. Subject to evaluation criteria in Minnesota

Rules, part 6136.0900, priority must be given to acquisition of lands that are eligible for the native prairie bank under Minnesota Statutes, section 84.96, or lands adjacent to protected native prairie. A list of proposed land acquisitions must be provided as part of the required accomplishment plan.

(h) Prairie Chicken Habitat Partnership of the Southern Red River Valley

\$1,800,000 in the first year is to the commissioner of natural resources for an agreement with Pheasants Forever in cooperation with the Minnesota Prairie Chicken Society to acquire and restore lands in the southern Red River Valley for wildlife management purposes under Minnesota Statutes, section 86A.05, subdivision 8, or for designation and management as waterfowl production areas in Minnesota, in cooperation with the United States Fish and Wildlife Service. A list of proposed land acquisitions must be provided as part of the required accomplishment plan.

(i) Protecting and Restoring Minnesota's Important Bird Areas

\$1,730,000 in the first year is to the commissioner of natural resources for agreements to acquire conservation easements within important bird areas identified in the Minnesota Prairie Conservation Plan, to be used as follows: \$408,000 is to Audubon Minnesota and \$1,322,000 is to Minnesota Land Trust, of which up to \$100,000 is for establishing monitoring and enforcement funds as approved in the accomplishment plan and subject to Minnesota Statutes, section 97A.056, subdivision 17. A list of permanent conservation easements must be provided as part of the final report.

(j) Wild Rice River Corridor Habitat Restoration

\$2,270,000 in the first year is to the commissioner of natural resources for an agreement with the Wild Rice Watershed District to acquire land in fee and permanent conservation easement and to restore river and related habitat in the Wild Rice River corridor. A list of proposed acquisitions and restorations must be provided as part of the required accomplishment plan.

(k) Accelerated Prairie Restoration and Enhancement on DNR Lands - Phase VII

\$4,880,000 in the first year is to the commissioner of natural resources to accelerate the restoration and enhancement of prairie communities on wildlife management areas, scientific and natural areas, state forest land, and land under native prairie bank easements. A list of proposed land restorations and enhancements must be provided as part of the required accomplishment plan.

(l) Enhanced Public Land Grasslands - Phase II

\$1,120,000 in the first year is to the commissioner of natural resources for an agreement with Pheasants Forever to enhance and restore habitat on public lands. A list of proposed land restorations and enhancements must be provided as part of the final report.

Sec. 7. Laws 2015, First Special Session chapter 2, article 1, section 2, subdivision 3, is amended to read:

Subd. 3. Forests	12,634,000	-0-
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(a) Camp Ripley Partnership - Phase V

\$1,500,000 in the first year is to the Board of Water and Soil Resources in cooperation with the Morrison County Soil and Water Conservation District to acquire permanent conservation easements within the boundaries of the Minnesota National Guard Compatible Use Buffer to protect forest wildlife habitat. Up to \$55,000 is for establishing a monitoring and enforcement fund, as approved in the accomplishment plan and subject to Minnesota Statutes, section 97A.056, subdivision 17. A list of permanent conservation easements must be provided as part of the final report.

(b) Southeast Minnesota Protection and Restoration - Phase III

\$2,910,000 in the first year is to the commissioner of natural resources for an agreement with The Nature Conservancy to acquire land in fee for wildlife management purposes under Minnesota Statutes, section 86A.05, subdivision 8; to acquire land in fee for scientific and natural areas under Minnesota Statutes, section 86A.05, subdivision 5; for state forest purposes under Minnesota Statutes, section 86A.05, subdivision 7; and to enhance grasslands, forest, and savanna. A list of proposed acquisitions must be provided as part of the required accomplishment plan.

(c) Protecting Pinelands Sands Aquifer Forestlands - Phase II

\$2,180,000 in the first year is to the commissioner of natural resources to acquire forest lands in Cass, Hubbard, and Wadena Counties for wildlife management purposes under Minnesota Statutes, section 86A.05, subdivision 8, and to acquire land in fee for state forests under Minnesota Statutes, section 86A.05, subdivision 7. A list of proposed land acquisitions must be provided as part of the required accomplishment plan.

(d) Protect Key Forest Lands in Cass County - Phase VI

\$442,000 in the first year is to the commissioner of natural resources for an agreement with Cass County to acquire land in fee in Cass County for forest wildlife habitat or to prevent forest fragmentation. A list of proposed land acquisitions must be provided as part of the required accomplishment plan.

(e) Critical Shoreland Protection Program - Phase III

\$1,690,000 in the first year is to the commissioner of natural resources for an agreement with Minnesota Land Trust to acquire permanent conservation easements along rivers and lakes in the northern forest region. Up to \$220,000 is for establishing a monitoring and enforcement fund, as approved in the accomplishment plan and subject to Minnesota Statutes, section 97A.056, subdivision 17. A list of proposed permanent conservation easements must be provided as part of the required accomplishment plan.

(f) Mississippi Headwaters Habitat Partnership

\$3,002,000 in the first year is to the commissioner of natural resources to acquire lands in fee and for permanent conservation easements in the Mississippi Headwaters and for agreements as follows: \$1,217,000 to The Trust for Public Land; and \$824,000 to Minnesota Land Trust, of which up to \$80,000 is for establishing a monitoring and enforcement fund as approved in the accomplishment plan and subject to Minnesota Statutes, section 97A.056, subdivision 17. A list of proposed acquisitions must be included as part of the required accomplishment plan.

(g) Southeast Forest Habitat Enhancement

\$910,000 in the first year is to the commissioner of natural resources to enhance forests in southeastern Minnesota. A list of proposed land enhancements must be provided as part of the required accomplishment plan.

EFFECTIVE DATE. This section is effective retroactively from July 1, 2015.

Sec. 8. Laws 2015, First Special Session chapter 2, article 1, section 2, subdivision 5, is amended to read:

Subd. 5. **Habitats**

22,368,000

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(a) DNR Aquatic Habitat - Phase VII

\$4,540,000 in the first year is to the commissioner of natural resources to acquire interests in land in fee and permanent conservation easements for aquatic management purposes under Minnesota Statutes, sections 86A.05, subdivision 14, and 97C.02, to acquire interests in land in permanent conservation easements for fish and wildlife habitat under Minnesota Statutes, section 84.66, and to restore and enhance aquatic habitat. Up to \$130,000 is for establishing a monitoring and enforcement fund as approved in the accomplishment plan and subject to Minnesota Statutes, section 97A.056, subdivision 17. A list of proposed land acquisitions and restorations and enhancements must be provided as part of the required accomplishment plan.

(b) Metro Big Rivers - Phase VI

\$2,000,000 in the first year is to the commissioner of natural resources for agreements to acquire land in fee and in permanent conservation easements and to restore and enhance natural systems associated with the Mississippi, Minnesota, and St. Croix Rivers as follows: \$475,000 to Minnesota Valley National Wildlife Refuge Trust, Inc.; \$275,000 to Friends of the Mississippi River; \$400,000 to Great River Greening; \$375,000 to Minnesota Land Trust; and \$475,000 to The Trust for Public Land. Up to \$60,000 to Minnesota Land Trust is for establishing a monitoring and enforcement fund as approved in the accomplishment plan and subject to Minnesota Statutes, section 97A.056, subdivision 17. A list of proposed land acquisitions and permanent conservation easements must be provided as part of the required accomplishment plan.

(c) Minnesota Trout Unlimited Coldwater Fish Habitat Enhancement and Restoration - Phase VII

\$1,890,000 in the first year is to the commissioner of natural resources for an agreement with Minnesota Trout Unlimited to restore and enhance habitat for trout and other species in and along coldwater rivers and streams in Minnesota. A list of proposed restorations and enhancements must be provided as part of the required accomplishment plan.

(d) Lake Bemidji South Shore Restoration and Enhancement

\$1,650,000 in the first year is to the commissioner of natural resources for an agreement with the city of Bemidji to restore and enhance fish habitat on Lake Bemidji. A list of proposed restorations and enhancements must be provided as part of the required accomplishment plan.

(e) Sand Hill River Fish Passage

\$990,000 in the first year is to the commissioner of natural resources for an agreement with the Sand Hill River Watershed District to restore fish habitat in the Sand Hill River watershed. A list of proposed restorations must be provided as part of the required accomplishment plan.

(f) Shell Rock River Watershed Habitat Restoration Program - Phase IV

\$2,414,000 in the first year is to the commissioner of natural resources for an agreement with the Shell Rock River Watershed District to protect, restore, and enhance aquatic habitat in the Shell Rock River watershed. A list of proposed acquisitions, restorations, and enhancements must be provided as part of the required accomplishment plan.

(g) Lake Nokomis Integrated Habitat Enhancement

\$444,000 in the first year is to the commissioner of natural resources for an agreement with the Minneapolis Park and Recreation Board to enhance aquatic habitat on Lake Nokomis. A list of proposed enhancements must be provided as part of the required accomplishment plan.

(h) Conservation Partners Legacy Grant Program: Statewide and Metro Habitat - Phase VII

\$8,440,000 in the first year is to the commissioner of natural resources for a program to provide competitive, matching grants of up to \$400,000 to local, regional, state, and national organizations for enhancing, restoring, or protecting forests, wetlands, prairies, or habitat for fish, game, or wildlife in Minnesota. Of this amount, \$3,692,000 is for grants in the seven-county metropolitan area and cities with a population of 50,000 or greater. Grants shall not be made for activities required to fulfill the duties of owners of lands subject to conservation easements. Grants shall not be made from the appropriation in this paragraph for projects that have a total project cost exceeding \$575,000. Of this appropriation, \$596,000 may be spent for personnel costs and other direct and necessary administrative costs. Grantees may acquire land or interests in land. Easements must be permanent. Grants may not be used to establish easement stewardship accounts. Land acquired in fee must be open to hunting and fishing during the open season unless otherwise provided by law. The program must require a match of at least ten percent from nonstate sources for all grants. The match may be cash or in-kind resources. For grant applications of \$25,000 or less, the commissioner shall provide a separate, simplified application process. Subject to Minnesota Statutes, the commissioner of natural resources shall, when evaluating projects of equal value, give priority to organizations that have a history of receiving or a charter to receive private contributions for local conservation or habitat projects. If acquiring land or a conservation easement, priority must be given to projects associated with or within one mile of existing wildlife management areas under Minnesota Statutes, section 86A.05, subdivision 8; scientific and natural areas under Minnesota Statutes, sections 84.033 and 86A.05, subdivision 5; or aquatic management areas under Minnesota Statutes, sections 86A.05, subdivision 14, and 97C.02. All restoration or enhancement projects must be on land permanently protected by a permanent covenant ensuring perpetual maintenance and protection of restored and enhanced habitat, by a conservation easement, or by public ownership or in public waters as defined in Minnesota Statutes, section 103G.005, subdivision 15. Priority must be given to restoration and enhancement projects on public lands. Minnesota Statutes, section 97A.056, subdivision 13, applies to grants awarded under this paragraph. This appropriation is available until June 30, ~~2018~~ 2019. No less than

five percent of the amount of each grant must be held back from reimbursement until the grant recipient has completed a grant accomplishment report by the deadline and in the form prescribed by and satisfactory to the Lessard-Sams Outdoor Heritage Council. The commissioner shall provide notice of the grant program in the game and fish law summary prepared under Minnesota Statutes, section 97A.051, subdivision 2.

ARTICLE 2 PARKS AND TRAILS FUND

Section 1. Minnesota Statutes 2015 Supplement, section 85.53, subdivision 2, is amended to read:

Subd. 2. **Expenditures; accountability.** (a) A project or program receiving funding from the parks and trails fund must meet or exceed the constitutional requirement to support parks and trails of regional or statewide significance. A project or program receiving funding from the parks and trails fund must include measurable outcomes, as defined in section 3.303, subdivision 10, and a plan for measuring and evaluating the results. A project or program must be consistent with current science and incorporate state-of-the-art technology, except when the project or program is a portrayal or restoration of historical significance.

(b) Money from the parks and trails fund shall be expended to balance the benefits across all regions and residents of the state.

(c) A state agency or other recipient of a direct appropriation from the parks and trails fund must compile and submit all information for funded projects or programs, including the proposed measurable outcomes and all other items required under section 3.303, subdivision 10, to the Legislative Coordinating Commission as soon as practicable or by January 15 of the applicable fiscal year, whichever comes first. The Legislative Coordinating Commission must post submitted information on the Web site required under section 3.303, subdivision 10, as soon as it becomes available.

(d) Grants funded by the parks and trails fund must be implemented according to section 16B.98 and must account for all expenditures. Proposals must specify a process for any regranting envisioned. Priority for grant proposals must be given to proposals involving grants that will be competitively awarded.

(e) Money from the parks and trails fund may only be spent on projects located in Minnesota.

(f) When practicable, a direct recipient of an appropriation from the parks and trails fund shall prominently display on the recipient's Web site home page the legacy logo required under Laws 2009, chapter 172, article 5, section 10, as amended by Laws 2010, chapter 361, article 3, section 5, accompanied by the phrase "Click here for more information." When a person clicks on the legacy logo image, the Web site must direct the person to a Web page that includes both the contact information that a person may use to obtain additional information, as well as a link to the Legislative Coordinating Commission Web site required under section 3.303, subdivision 10.

(g) Future eligibility for money from the parks and trails fund is contingent upon a state agency or other recipient satisfying all applicable requirements in this section, as well as any additional requirements contained in applicable session law. If the Office of the Legislative Auditor, in the course of an audit or investigation, publicly reports that a recipient of money from the parks and trails fund has not complied with the laws, rules, or regulations in this section or other laws applicable to the recipient, the recipient must be listed in an annual report to the legislative committees with jurisdiction over the legacy funds. The list must be publicly available. The legislative auditor shall remove a recipient from the list upon determination that the recipient is in compliance. A recipient on the list is not eligible for future funding from the parks and trails fund until the recipient demonstrates compliance to the legislative auditor.

(h) Any entity requesting funding from the legislature for an appropriation from the parks and trails fund must inform the legislature if the entity funded the same project or program after 2006 and how the previous project or program was funded.

ARTICLE 3
ARTS AND CULTURAL HERITAGE FUND

Section 1. Minnesota Statutes 2015 Supplement, section 129D.17, subdivision 2, is amended to read:

Subd. 2. **Expenditures; accountability.** (a) Funding from the arts and cultural heritage fund may be spent only for arts, arts education, and arts access, and to preserve Minnesota's history and cultural heritage. A project or program receiving funding from the arts and cultural heritage fund must include measurable outcomes, and a plan for measuring and evaluating the results. A project or program must be consistent with current scholarship, or best practices, when appropriate and must incorporate state-of-the-art technology when appropriate.

(b) Funding from the arts and cultural heritage fund may be granted for an entire project or for part of a project so long as the recipient provides a description and cost for the entire project and can demonstrate that it has adequate resources to ensure that the entire project will be completed.

(c) Money from the arts and cultural heritage fund shall be expended for benefits across all regions and residents of the state.

(d) A state agency or other recipient of a direct appropriation from the arts and cultural heritage fund must compile and submit all information for funded projects or programs, including the proposed measurable outcomes and all other items required under section 3.303, subdivision 10, to the Legislative Coordinating Commission as soon as practicable or by January 15 of the applicable fiscal year, whichever comes first. The Legislative Coordinating Commission must post submitted information on the Web site required under section 3.303, subdivision 10, as soon as it becomes available.

(e) Grants funded by the arts and cultural heritage fund must be implemented according to section 16B.98 and must account for all expenditures of funds. Priority for grant proposals must be given to proposals involving grants that will be competitively awarded.

(f) All money from the arts and cultural heritage fund must be for projects located in Minnesota.

(g) When practicable, a direct recipient of an appropriation from the arts and cultural heritage fund shall prominently display on the recipient's Web site home page the legacy logo required under Laws 2009, chapter 172, article 5, section 10, as amended by Laws 2010, chapter 361, article 3, section 5, accompanied by the phrase "Click here for more information." When a person clicks on the legacy logo image, the Web site must direct the person to a Web page that includes both the contact information that a person may use to obtain additional information, as well as a link to the Legislative Coordinating Commission Web site required under section 3.303, subdivision 10.

(h) Future eligibility for money from the arts and cultural heritage fund is contingent upon a state agency or other recipient satisfying all applicable requirements in this section, as well as any additional requirements contained in applicable session law. If the Office of the Legislative Auditor, in the course of an audit or investigation, publicly reports that a recipient of money from the arts and cultural heritage fund has not complied with the laws, rules, or regulations in this section or other laws applicable to the recipient, the recipient must be listed in an annual report to the legislative committees with jurisdiction over the legacy funds. The list must be publicly available. The legislative auditor shall remove a recipient from the list upon determination that the recipient is in compliance. A recipient on the list is not eligible for future funding from the arts and cultural heritage fund until the recipient demonstrates compliance to the legislative auditor.

(i) Any entity requesting funding from the legislature for an appropriation from the arts and cultural heritage fund must inform the legislature if the entity funded the same project or program after 2006 and how the previous project or program was funded.

Sec. 2. Laws 2015, First Special Session chapter 2, article 4, section 2, subdivision 3, is amended to read:

Subd. 3. Minnesota State Arts Board	26,819,000	31,312,000
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(a) These amounts are appropriated to the Minnesota State Arts Board for arts, arts education, arts preservation, and arts access. Grant agreements entered into by the Minnesota State Arts Board and other recipients of appropriations in this subdivision must ensure that these funds are used to supplement and not substitute for traditional sources of funding. Each grant program established within this appropriation must be separately administered from other state appropriations for program planning and outcome measurements, but may take into consideration other state resources awarded in the selection of applicants and grant award size.

(b) Arts and Arts Access Initiatives

\$21,155,000 the first year and \$25,350,000 the second year are to support Minnesota artists and arts organizations in creating, producing, preserving, and presenting high-quality arts activities; to overcome barriers to accessing high-quality arts activities; for the preservation and conservation of art and artifacts; and to instill the arts into the community and public life in this state.

(c) Arts Education

\$4,248,000 the first year and \$4,472,000 the second year are for high-quality, age-appropriate arts education for Minnesotans of all ages to develop knowledge, skills, and understanding of the arts.

(d) Arts and Cultural Heritage

\$1,416,000 the first year and \$1,490,000 the second year are for events and activities that represent the diverse cultural arts traditions, including folk and traditional artists and art organizations, represented in this state.

(e) Up to 4.5 percent of the funds appropriated in paragraphs (b) to (d) may be used by the board for administering grant programs, delivering technical services, providing fiscal oversight for the statewide system, and ensuring accountability.

(f) Up to thirty percent of the remaining total appropriation to each of the categories listed in paragraphs (b) to (d) is for grants to the regional arts councils. Notwithstanding any other provision of law, regional arts council grants or other arts council grants for touring programs, projects, or exhibits must ensure the programs, projects, or exhibits are able to tour in their own region as well as all other regions of the state.

(g) Any unencumbered balance remaining under this section in the first year does not cancel, but is available for the second year of the biennium.

(h) When making grants under this appropriation, the Minnesota State Arts Board and the regional arts council must consider grants to organizations who preserve and maintain art and artifacts, or who provide support, education, or training for the preservation and conservation of art and artifacts, including grants to the Midwest Art Conservation Center."

Delete the title and insert:

"A bill for an act relating to state government; appropriating money from outdoor heritage fund; modifying Lessard-Sams Outdoor Heritage Council provisions; modifying legacy funds provisions; modifying prior appropriations; amending Minnesota Statutes 2014, section 97A.056, subdivisions 2, 10, by adding a subdivision; Minnesota Statutes 2015 Supplement, sections 85.53, subdivision 2; 129D.17, subdivision 2; Laws 2015, First Special Session chapter 2, article 1, section 2, subdivisions 2, 3, 5; article 4, section 2, subdivision 3."

The motion prevailed and the amendment was adopted.

Urdahl moved to amend S. F. No. 2527, the first engrossment, as amended, as follows:

Page 41, line 22, delete everything after "Any" and insert "state agency or organization requesting a direct appropriation from the parks and trails fund must inform the house and senate committees having jurisdiction over the parks and trails fund at the time the request for funding is made, if the same project or program has been previously funded by a state appropriation, and how the project or program was funded."

Page 41, delete lines 23 and 24

Page 43, line 3, delete everything after "Any" and insert "state agency or organization requesting a direct appropriation from the arts and cultural heritage fund must inform the house and senate committees having jurisdiction over the arts and cultural fund at the time the request for funding is made, if the same project or program has been previously funded by a state appropriation, and how the project or program was funded."

Page 43, delete lines 4 and 5

The motion prevailed and the amendment was adopted.

Kahn moved to amend S. F. No. 2527, the first engrossment, as amended, as follows:

Page 40, after line 9, insert:

"Sec. 9. **EVALUATION RECOMMENDATIONS.**

By January 15, 2017, the Lessard-Sams Outdoor Heritage Council must submit recommendations to the chairs and ranking minority members of the house of representatives and senate committees and divisions with jurisdiction over the environment and natural resources and the outdoor heritage fund on methods to evaluate the outcomes and

effectiveness of projects funded by the outdoor heritage fund in achieving the purposes under article XI, section 15, of the Minnesota Constitution, including recommendations on the amount of funds that should be spent annually on evaluation."

Page 40, before line 10, insert:

"ARTICLE 2
CLEAN WATER FUND

Section 1. **EVALUATION RECOMMENDATIONS.**

By January 15, 2017, the Clean Water Council must submit recommendations to the chairs and ranking minority members of the house of representatives and senate committees and divisions with jurisdiction over the environment and natural resources and the clean water fund on methods to evaluate the outcomes and effectiveness of projects funded by the clean water fund in achieving the purposes under article XI, section 15, of the Minnesota Constitution, including recommendations on the amount of funds that should be spent annually on evaluation."

Page 41, after line 24, insert:

"Sec. 2. **EVALUATION RECOMMENDATIONS.**

By January 15, 2017, the commissioner of natural resources, in cooperation with the Metropolitan Council and the Greater Minnesota Regional Parks and Trails Commission, must submit recommendations to the chairs and ranking minority members of the house of representatives and senate committees and divisions with jurisdiction over the environment and natural resources and the parks and trails fund on methods to evaluate the outcomes and effectiveness of projects funded by the parks and trails fund in achieving the purposes under article XI, section 15, of the Minnesota Constitution, including recommendations on the amount of funds that should be spent annually on evaluation."

Page 45, after line 11, insert:

"Sec. 2. **EVALUATION RECOMMENDATIONS.**

By January 15, 2017, the Minnesota State Arts Board, in cooperation with the Minnesota Historical Society, regional arts councils, and other recipients of money from the arts and cultural heritage fund, must submit recommendations to the chairs and ranking minority members of the house of representatives and senate committees and divisions with jurisdiction over the arts and cultural heritage fund on methods to evaluate the outcomes and effectiveness of projects funded by the arts and cultural heritage fund in achieving the purposes under article XI, section 15, of the Minnesota Constitution, including recommendations on the amount of funds that should be spent annually on evaluation."

ReNUMBER the sections in sequence and correct the internal references

Amend the title accordingly

The motion prevailed and the amendment was adopted.

Green moved to amend S. F. No. 2527, the first engrossment, as amended, as follows:

Page 24, after line 22, insert:

"Subd. 12. Notice and Hearing Before Acquiring Land

(a) Before the commissioner of natural resources signs a purchase agreement to purchase land in fee with money appropriated in this section, the commissioner must provide public notice that the commissioner intends to purchase the land. The notice must be made at least 30 days, but not more than 60 days, before the hearing required in paragraph (b). The notice must be published in a newspaper of general circulation in the area and on the department's Web site. In addition, the commissioner must electronically notify any person who has requested notice of land acquisition by the commissioner, and mail notice to the governing bodies of the towns, home rule charter and statutory cities, and county in which the land to be purchased is located, and all owners and residents of land adjacent to the land the commissioner intends to purchase.

(b) The commissioner must hold a public hearing at a convenient location in the county in which the land to be purchased is located or, if none is available, in an adjacent county. Any interested person must be allowed reasonable time to present relevant testimony or ask questions at the public hearing. The proceedings of the hearing must be recorded and available to the public for review on the department's Web site. The commissioner must accept written comments and questions from the time the notice under paragraph (a) is given until ten days after the public hearing. Within 30 days after the public hearing, the commissioner must post written responses to the comments made and questions raised at the public hearing and those submitted in writing on the department's Web site.

(c) The commissioner must use existing resources to satisfy the requirements of this subdivision."

The motion prevailed and the amendment was adopted.

Freiberg moved to amend S. F. No. 2527, the first engrossment, as amended, as follows:

Page 27, delete section 5

Renumber the sections in sequence and correct the internal references

Amend the title accordingly

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

Dean, M., moved to amend S. F. No. 2527, the first engrossment, as amended, as follows:

Page 40, after line 9, insert:

"ARTICLE 2
CLEAN WATER FUND

Section 1. **WHITE BEAR LAKE AUGMENTATION.**

\$150,000 in fiscal year 2017 is appropriated from the clean water fund to the commissioner of natural resources for development of three design-build proposals. The commissioner shall request design-build qualifications and select three qualified entities to develop design-build proposals. The proposals must address increasing the water level in White Bear Lake by piping water from Vadnais Lake to White Bear Lake. The design work must ensure that the water in White Bear Lake and Vadnais Lake will remain at least as clean and clear as before the augmentation project is implemented. Among any other issues to be addressed, the design work must ensure that the project does not allow the spread of any invasive species or increase phosphorus levels. The commissioner must develop the design-build request for proposals in consultation with the commissioner of administration with regard to procedures, and in consultation with the Metropolitan Council and its water supply policy and technical advisory committees and the Minnesota Pollution Control Agency with regard to water quality and environmental issues. Any limitations in law on the number or value of design-build contracts do not apply to this project."

Renumber the sections in sequence and correct the internal references

Amend the title accordingly

The motion prevailed and the amendment was adopted.

Kahn moved to amend S. F. No. 2527, the first engrossment, as amended, as follows:

Page 41, after line 26, insert:

"Section 1. Minnesota Statutes 2014, section 3.9741, subdivision 3, is amended to read:

Subd. 3. **Legacy funds.** ~~The outdoor heritage fund, the clean water fund, the parks and trails fund, and the arts and cultural heritage fund must each reimburse the general fund, in the manner prescribed in section 16A.127, are~~ liable for costs incurred by the legislative auditor in examining financial activities relating to each fund. At the conclusion of each examination, the legislative auditor shall certify the costs of the examination to the commissioner of management and budget. The amount requested is appropriated from the appropriate legacy fund to the commissioner of management and budget who shall transfer the appropriation to the legislative auditor to recover the cost of the audit from each fund.

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

Renumber the sections in sequence and correct the internal references

Amend the title accordingly

A roll call was requested and properly seconded.

The question was taken on the Kahn amendment and the roll was called. There were 55 yeas and 74 nays as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Allen	Drazkowski	Hornstein	Lillie	Murphy, M.	Slocum
Anzelc	Ecklund	Hortman	Loeffler	Nelson	Sundin
Applebaum	Erhardt	Isaacson	Mahoney	Newton	Wagenius
Atkins	Fischer	Johnson, C.	Mariani	Norton	Yarusso
Bernardy	Flanagan	Johnson, S.	Marquart	Persell	Youakim
Bly	Freiberg	Kahn	Masin	Pinto	
Carlson	Halverson	Laine	Metsa	Rosenthal	
Considine	Hansen	Lesch	Moran	Schoen	
Davnie	Hausman	Liebling	Mullery	Selcer	
Dehn, R.	Hilstrom	Lien	Murphy, E.	Simonson	

Those who voted in the negative were:

Albright	Dean, M.	Heintzeman	Lucero	Petersburg	Theis
Anderson, C.	Dettmer	Hertaus	Lueck	Peterson	Torkelson
Anderson, M.	Erickson	Hoppe	Mack	Pierson	Uglen
Anderson, P.	Fabian	Howe	McDonald	Poppe	Urdahl
Anderson, S.	Fenton	Johnson, B.	McNamara	Pugh	Vogel
Backer	Franson	Kelly	Miller	Quam	Whelan
Baker	Garofalo	Kiel	Nash	Rarick	Wills
Barrett	Green	Knoblach	Newberger	Runbeck	Zerwas
Bennett	Gruenhagen	Koznick	Nornes	Sanders	Spk. Daudt
Christensen	Gunther	Kresha	O'Driscoll	Schomacker	
Cornish	Hackbarth	Lohmer	O'Neill	Scott	
Daniels	Hamilton	Loon	Pelowski	Smith	
Davids	Hancock	Loonan	Peppin	Swedzinski	

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

Kahn moved to amend S. F. No. 2527, the first engrossment, as amended, as follows:

Page 20, after line 16, insert:

"(a) Legislative Coordinating Commission

\$100,000 in the second year is to the Legislative Coordinating Commission for the Lessard-Sams Outdoor Heritage Council to prepare a report on the demographics of outdoor heritage fund recipients, the use of minority-owned and female-owned contractors by recipients, and to develop a plan and recommendations to ensure diversity, inclusion, and equity when making outdoor heritage fund recommendations and implementing outdoor heritage fund projects. The council must submit the report to the chairs and ranking minority members of the house of

representatives and senate committees and divisions with jurisdiction over the environment and natural resources and the outdoor heritage fund by January 15, 2017."

Reletter the paragraphs in sequence

Adjust amounts accordingly

A roll call was requested and properly seconded.

The question was taken on the Kahn amendment and the roll was called. There were 54 yeas and 76 nays as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Allen	Dehn, R.	Hornstein	Lien	Mullery	Schoen
Anderson, C.	Erhardt	Hortman	Lillie	Murphy, E.	Selcer
Applebaum	Fischer	Isaacson	Loeffler	Murphy, M.	Simonson
Atkins	Flanagan	Johnson, C.	Mahoney	Nelson	Slocum
Bernardy	Freiberg	Johnson, S.	Mariani	Newton	Sundin
Bly	Halverson	Kahn	Marquart	Persell	Thissen
Carlson	Hansen	Laine	Masin	Pinto	Wagenius
Considine	Hausman	Lesch	Metsa	Poppe	Yarusso
Davnie	Hilstrom	Liebling	Moran	Rosenthal	Youakim

Those who voted in the negative were:

Albright	Dean, M.	Hamilton	Loon	O'Neill	Smith
Anderson, M.	Dettmer	Hancock	Loonan	Pelowski	Swedzinski
Anderson, P.	Drazkowski	Heintzeman	Lucero	Peppin	Theis
Anderson, S.	Ecklund	Hertaus	Lueck	Petersburg	Torkelson
Anzelc	Erickson	Hoppe	Mack	Peterson	Uglen
Backer	Fabian	Howe	McDonald	Pierson	Urdahl
Baker	Fenton	Johnson, B.	McNamara	Pugh	Vogel
Barrett	Franson	Kelly	Miller	Quam	Whelan
Bennett	Garofalo	Kiel	Nash	Rarick	Wills
Christensen	Green	Knoblach	Newberger	Runbeck	Zerwas
Cornish	Gruenhagen	Koznick	Nornes	Sanders	Spk. Daudt
Daniels	Gunther	Kresha	Norton	Schomacker	
Davids	Hackbarth	Lohmer	O'Driscoll	Scott	

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

Persell moved to amend S. F. No. 2527, the first engrossment, as amended, as follows:

Page 12, delete lines 3 to 12 and insert:

"(j) Protecting Forest Wildlife Habitat in the Wild Rice River Watershed

\$2,188,000 the second year is to the commissioner of natural resources for an agreement with the White Earth Nation to acquire lands in fee in Clearwater County to be managed for wildlife habitat purposes. A list of proposed land acquisitions must be provided as part of the required accomplishment plan."

A roll call was requested and properly seconded.

The question was taken on the Persell amendment and the roll was called. There were 57 yeas and 73 nays as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Allen	Ecklund	Hortman	Loeffler	Nelson	Simonson
Anzelc	Erhardt	Isaacson	Mahoney	Newton	Slocum
Applebaum	Fischer	Johnson, C.	Mariani	Norton	Sundin
Atkins	Flanagan	Johnson, S.	Marquart	Pelowski	Thissen
Bernardy	Freiberg	Kahn	Masin	Persell	Wagenius
Bly	Halverson	Laine	Metsa	Pinto	Yarusso
Carlson	Hansen	Lesch	Moran	Poppe	Youakim
Considine	Hausman	Liebling	Mullery	Rosenthal	
Davnie	Hilstrom	Lien	Murphy, E.	Schoen	
Dehn, R.	Hornstein	Lillie	Murphy, M.	Selcer	

Those who voted in the negative were:

Albright	Dean, M.	Hancock	Loonan	Petersburg	Torkelson
Anderson, C.	Dettmer	Heintzeman	Lucero	Peterson	Uglen
Anderson, M.	Drazkowski	Hertaus	Lueck	Pierson	Urdahl
Anderson, P.	Erickson	Hoppe	Mack	Pugh	Vogel
Anderson, S.	Fabian	Howe	McDonald	Quam	Whelan
Backer	Fenton	Johnson, B.	McNamara	Rarick	Wills
Baker	Franson	Kelly	Miller	Runbeck	Zerwas
Barrett	Garofalo	Kiel	Nash	Sanders	Spk. Daudt
Bennett	Green	Knoblach	Newberger	Schomacker	
Christensen	Gruenhagen	Koznick	Nornes	Scott	
Cornish	Gunther	Kresha	O'Driscoll	Smith	
Daniels	Hackbarth	Lohmer	O'Neill	Swedzinski	
Davids	Hamilton	Loon	Peppin	Theis	

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

Hansen moved to amend S. F. No. 2527, the first engrossment, as amended, as follows:

Page 24, after line 22, insert:

"Subd. 12. Reallocation of Appropriation

(a) The unspent balance of the appropriation in Laws 2013, chapter 137, article 1, section 2, subdivision 5, paragraph (b), for Habitat Protection in Dakota County - Phase IV is canceled June 30, 2016.

(b) An amount equal to the unspent balance from the appropriation canceled under paragraph (a) is appropriated in fiscal year 2017 from the outdoor heritage fund to the Board of Water and Soil Resources for the purposes of the RIM Wetland Partnership under subdivision 4, paragraph (c)."

The motion prevailed and the amendment was adopted.

S. F. No. 2527, A bill for an act relating to natural resources; appropriating money from outdoor heritage fund; modifying evaluation provisions; modifying prior appropriations; amending Minnesota Statutes 2014, section 97A.056, subdivision 10; Laws 2015, First Special Session chapter 2, article 1, section 2, subdivisions 2, 3, 5.

The bill was read for the third time, as amended, and placed upon its final passage.

The question was taken on the passage of the bill and the roll was called. There were 87 yeas and 42 nays as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Albright	Dean, M.	Heintzeman	Loon	O'Driscoll	Simonson
Anderson, C.	Dettmer	Hertaus	Loonan	Pelowski	Smith
Anderson, M.	Ecklund	Hoppe	Lucero	Peppin	Sundin
Anderson, S.	Erhardt	Howe	Lueck	Petersburg	Swedzinski
Anzelc	Erickson	Johnson, B.	Mack	Peterson	Theis
Atkins	Fabian	Johnson, C.	Marquart	Pierson	Torkelson
Backer	Fenton	Kahn	McDonald	Poppe	Uglen
Baker	Fischer	Kelly	McNamara	Pugh	Urdahl
Barrett	Franson	Kiel	Metsa	Rarick	Vogel
Bennett	Garofalo	Knoblach	Miller	Runbeck	Whelan
Carlson	Green	Koznick	Murphy, M.	Sanders	Wills
Christensen	Gunther	Kresha	Nash	Schoen	Spk. Daudt
Cornish	Hackbarth	Lien	Newberger	Schomacker	
Daniels	Halverson	Lillie	Newton	Scott	
Davids	Hamilton	Lohmer	Nornes	Selcer	

Those who voted in the negative were:

Allen	Dehn, R.	Hausman	Liebling	Murphy, E.	Rosenthal
Anderson, P.	Drazkowski	Hilstrom	Loeffler	Nelson	Slocum
Applebaum	Flanagan	Hornstein	Mahoney	Norton	Thissen
Bernardy	Freiberg	Hortman	Mariani	O'Neill	Wagenius
Bly	Gruenhagen	Isaacson	Masin	Persell	Yarusso
Considine	Hancock	Johnson, S.	Moran	Pinto	Youakim
Davnie	Hansen	Lesch	Mullery	Quam	Zerwas

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

REQUEST PURSUANT TO RULE 4.31

Pursuant to rule 4.31, Halverson gave notice that she is requesting the return to the House of H. F. No. 2727 from the Committee on Government Operations and Elections Policy.

Dehn, R., and Hackbarth were excused for the remainder of today's session.

The Speaker called Davids to the Chair.

CALENDAR FOR THE DAY, Continued

S. F. No. 3272 was reported to the House.

Hansen moved to amend S. F. No. 3272, the first engrossment, as follows:

Page 2, delete subdivision 3 and insert:

"Subd. 3. **Sunset.** A completed application for regulatory certainty must be submitted to the commissioner by August 1, 2020."

A roll call was requested and properly seconded.

The question was taken on the Hansen amendment and the roll was called. There were 50 yeas and 78 nays as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Allen	Ecklund	Hornstein	Loeffler	Newton	Sundin
Anzelc	Erhardt	Hortman	Mahoney	Norton	Thissen
Applebaum	Fischer	Isaacson	Mariani	Persell	Wagenius
Atkins	Flanagan	Johnson, S.	Masin	Pinto	Yarusso
Bernardy	Freiberg	Kahn	Moran	Rosenthal	Youakim
Bly	Halverson	Laine	Mullery	Schoen	
Carlson	Hansen	Lesch	Murphy, E.	Selcer	
Considine	Hausman	Liebling	Murphy, M.	Simonson	
Davnie	Hilstrom	Lillie	Nelson	Slocum	

Those who voted in the negative were:

Albright	Dean, M.	Heintzeman	Loon	O'Driscoll	Schomacker
Anderson, C.	Dettmer	Hertaus	Loonan	O'Neill	Scott
Anderson, M.	Drazkowski	Hoppe	Lucero	Pelowski	Smith
Anderson, P.	Erickson	Howe	Lueck	Peppin	Swedzinski
Anderson, S.	Fabian	Johnson, B.	Mack	Petersburg	Theis
Backer	Fenton	Johnson, C.	Marquart	Peterson	Torkelson
Baker	Franson	Kelly	McDonald	Pierson	Uglen
Barrett	Garofalo	Kiel	McNamara	Poppe	Urdahl
Bennett	Green	Knoblach	Metsa	Pugh	Vogel
Christensen	Gruenhagen	Koznick	Miller	Quam	Whelan
Cornish	Gunther	Kresha	Nash	Rarick	Wills
Daniels	Hamilton	Lien	Newberger	Runbeck	Zerwas
Davids	Hancock	Lohmer	Nornes	Sanders	Spk. Daudt

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

S. F. No. 3272, A bill for an act relating to environment; providing incentive for certain wastewater treatment technology; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 115.

The bill was read for the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question was taken on the passage of the bill and the roll was called. There were 105 yeas and 23 nays as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Albright	Dean, M.	Hancock	Loon	O'Neill	Smith
Anderson, C.	Dettmer	Heintzeman	Loonan	Pelowski	Sundin
Anderson, M.	Drazkowski	Hertaus	Lucero	Peppin	Swedzinski
Anderson, P.	Ecklund	Hilstrom	Lueck	Persell	Theis
Anderson, S.	Erhardt	Hoppe	Mack	Petersburg	Thissen
Anzelc	Erickson	Hortman	Marquart	Peterson	Torkelson
Applebaum	Fabian	Howe	McDonald	Pierson	Uglen
Atkins	Fenton	Isaacson	McNamara	Poppe	Urdahl
Backer	Fischer	Johnson, B.	Metsa	Pugh	Vogel
Baker	Flanagan	Johnson, C.	Miller	Quam	Whelan
Barrett	Franson	Kelly	Murphy, E.	Rarick	Wills
Bennett	Freiberg	Kiel	Murphy, M.	Rosenthal	Yarusso
Carlson	Garofalo	Knoblach	Nash	Runbeck	Youakim
Christensen	Green	Koznick	Newberger	Sanders	Zerwas
Considine	Gruenhagen	Kresha	Newton	Schoen	Spk. Daudt
Cornish	Gunther	Lien	Nornes	Schomacker	
Daniels	Halverson	Lillie	Norton	Scott	
Davids	Hamilton	Lohmer	O'Driscoll	Selcer	

Those who voted in the negative were:

Allen	Hansen	Kahn	Loeffler	Moran	Simonson
Bernardy	Hausman	Laine	Loehoney	Mullery	Slocum
Bly	Hornstein	Lesch	Mariani	Nelson	Wagenius
Davnie	Johnson, S.	Liebling	Masin	Pinto	

The bill was passed and its title agreed to.

Nash was excused for the remainder of today's session.

H. F. No. 2014 was reported to the House.

Petersburg moved to amend H. F. No. 2014, the first engrossment, as follows:

Page 1, line 11, delete "clear and convincing" and insert "a preponderance of the"

The motion prevailed and the amendment was adopted.

H. F. No. 2014, A bill for an act relating to transportation; providing for appeal process for denial or revocation of driveway permit by commissioner of transportation; amending Minnesota Statutes 2014, section 160.18, by adding a subdivision.

The bill was read for the third time, as amended, and placed upon its final passage.

The question was taken on the passage of the bill and the roll was called. There were 90 yeas and 37 nays as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Albright	Daniels	Halverson	Lesch	Murphy, M.	Runbeck
Anderson, C.	Davids	Hamilton	Lillie	Newberger	Sanders
Anderson, M.	Dean, M.	Hancock	Lohmer	Nornes	Schomacker
Anderson, P.	Dettmer	Hansen	Loon	O'Driscoll	Scott
Anderson, S.	Drazkowski	Heintzeman	Loonan	O'Neill	Smith
Anzelc	Ecklund	Hertaus	Lucero	Pelowski	Swedzinski
Atkins	Erhardt	Hilstrom	Lueck	Peppin	Theis
Backer	Erickson	Hoppe	Mack	Petersburg	Torkelson
Baker	Fabian	Howe	Mahoney	Peterson	Uglen
Barrett	Fenton	Johnson, B.	Mariani	Pierson	Urdahl
Bennett	Franson	Kelly	Marquart	Poppe	Vogel
Bly	Garofalo	Kiel	McDonald	Pugh	Whelan
Christensen	Green	Knoblach	McNamara	Quam	Wills
Considine	Gruenhagen	Koznick	Metsa	Rarick	Zerwas
Cornish	Gunther	Kresha	Miller	Rosenthal	Spk. Daudt

Those who voted in the negative were:

Allen	Freiberg	Kahn	Mullery	Schoen	Yarusso
Applebaum	Hausman	Laine	Murphy, E.	Selcer	Youakim
Bernardy	Hornstein	Liebling	Nelson	Simonson	
Carlson	Hortman	Lien	Newton	Slocum	
Davnie	Isaacson	Loeffler	Norton	Sundin	
Fischer	Johnson, C.	Masin	Persell	Thissen	
Flanagan	Johnson, S.	Moran	Pinto	Wagenius	

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

H. F. No. 2955 was reported to the House.

Smith moved to amend H. F. No. 2955, the first engrossment, as follows:

Page 3, line 4, delete "A" and insert "Before bringing a civil action under section 363A.33, an attorney representing a person who alleges that an entity required to comply with section 363A.11, subdivision 3, has violated accessibility requirements under state law must provide a demand letter consistent with subdivision 4. A demand letter sent pursuant to this section is not invalidated if a good faith attempt to comply with the requirements of subdivision 4 are made. The demand letter must provide a reasonable time to respond which must be no less than 30 days."

Page 3, delete lines 5 to 14 and insert:

"(b) A person who is not represented by an attorney, may, but is not required to, send a demand letter. A person who elects to send the demand letter under this section must comply with the requirements of this section.

(c) A person who sends a demand letter is entitled to a civil penalty of \$250 to be paid by the entity required to comply with section 363A.11, subdivision 3, if the alleged architectural barrier or barriers are found to be a violation of accessibility requirements in a barrier removal audit, administrative proceeding under section 363A.28, or a court of law. Payment of the civil penalty does not relieve the entity required to comply with section 363A.11, subdivision 3, from the obligation to remove the architectural barrier."

Page 3, line 15, delete "(b)" and insert "(d)"

Page 3, line 32, delete "(c)" and insert "(e)"

Page 4, line 3, delete "(d)" and insert "(f)"

Page 4, after line 4, insert:

"Subd. 4. **Statutory short form; demand letter for removal of an architectural barrier.** The demand letter required under subdivision 3 must be in the following, or substantially similar form:

"This demand letter is to advise you of your rights under Minnesota law in connection with a claim that you or your business has engaged in an unfair discriminatory practice. The undersigned attorney represents [Individual/Organization], who alleges that there are architectural barriers that limit the accessibility of persons with disabilities at [Place of Public Accommodation/Business], located at [Address, City, State, Zip].

[Individual/Organization] alleges that [Place of Public Accommodation] is in violation of [Specific Laws] because [Detailed Description of Architectural Barrier] is limiting access to persons with disabilities. Before filing a lawsuit against you under Minnesota Statutes, section 363A.33, [Individual/Organization] are required under Minnesota Statutes, section 363A.331, subdivision 3, to submit this demand letter seeking removal of the alleged architectural barriers. [Individual/Organization] demands that [Place of Public Accommodation] remove the described architectural barriers on or before [Deadline of at Least 30 Days], or [Individual/Organization] may file a lawsuit against you under Minnesota Statutes, section 363A.33.

A lawsuit may not be filed against you for failure to remove the above-described architectural barriers if, within the response period provided above, [Place of Public Accommodation] does one of the following, as required by Minnesota Statutes, section 363A.331, subdivision 3:

(1) removes the architectural barrier in a manner that complies with accessibility requirements under law and provides proof of the removal to the undersigned attorney; or

(2) produces a barrier removal audit report prepared or developed by a certified accessibility specialist or other certified professional with demonstrated knowledge of accessibility requirements that:

(i) contains a remedial plan, with a reasonable timetable for completion for removal of the architectural barrier and compliance with accessibility requirements under law;

(ii) finds that the alleged architectural barrier does not violate accessibility requirements under law or that compliance with accessibility requirements is not readily achievable or cannot be accomplished by alternative means; or

(iii) demonstrates that [Place of Public Accommodation] has scheduled a barrier removal audit to be conducted at the earliest time that a certified professional is available and agrees to produce the audit report as soon as practicable after it is completed and, if the report contains a remedial plan, comply with the plan.

Under Minnesota law, if the alleged architectural barrier is a violation of accessibility requirements under law, you will be required to pay a civil penalty of \$250 to [Individual/Organization], in addition to removing the architectural barrier. Failure to comply with Minnesota law may result in a lawsuit being filed against you."

Amend the title accordingly

A roll call was requested and properly seconded.

Atkins moved to amend the Smith amendment to H. F. No. 2955, the first engrossment, as follows:

Page 1, after line 22, insert:

"(g) A business that receives a demand letter pursuant to this subdivision must prominently and conspicuously display a notice to the public stating:

"This establishment has received notice that it may not be in compliance with the access and safety requirements of the Americans with Disabilities Act. Individuals with disabilities may need to seek services at a different location."

(1) "Prominently" means readily visible and within four feet laterally of the entrance with the bottom of the sign at a height of four to six feet above the floor.

(2) "Conspicuous" means lettering in black Arial typeface at least 1-1/2 inches in height against a bright contrasting background that is at least 187 square inches in area."

A roll call was requested and properly seconded.

The question was taken on the Atkins amendment to the Smith amendment and the roll was called. There were 50 yeas and 77 nays as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Allen	Ecklund	Hortman	Lillie	Murphy, M.	Sundin
Anzelc	Erhardt	Isaacson	Mahoney	Nelson	Thissen
Applebaum	Flanagan	Johnson, C.	Mariani	Newton	Wagenius
Atkins	Freiberg	Johnson, S.	Marquart	Persell	Yarusso
Bernardy	Halverson	Kahn	Masin	Pinto	Youakim
Bly	Hansen	Laine	Metsa	Schoen	
Carlson	Hausman	Lesch	Moran	Selcer	
Considine	Hilstrom	Liebling	Mullery	Simonson	
Davnie	Hornstein	Lien	Murphy, E.	Slocum	

Those who voted in the negative were:

Albright	Anderson, P.	Baker	Christensen	Dauids	Drazkowski
Anderson, C.	Anderson, S.	Barrett	Cornish	Dean, M.	Erickson
Anderson, M.	Backer	Bennett	Daniels	Dettmer	Fabian

Fenton	Hertaus	Lohmer	Nornes	Pugh	Theis
Fischer	Hoppe	Loon	Norton	Quam	Torkelson
Franson	Howe	Loonan	O'Driscoll	Rarick	Uglem
Garofalo	Johnson, B.	Lucero	O'Neill	Rosenthal	Urdahl
Green	Kelly	Lueck	Pelowski	Runbeck	Vogel
Gruenhagen	Kiel	Mack	Peppin	Sanders	Whelan
Gunther	Knoblach	McDonald	Petersburg	Schomacker	Wills
Hamilton	Koznick	McNamara	Peterson	Scott	Zerwas
Hancock	Kresha	Miller	Pierson	Smith	Spk. Daudt
Heintzeman	Loeffler	Newberger	Poppe	Swedzinski	

The motion did not prevail and the amendment to the amendment was not adopted.

Dettmer was excused for the remainder of today's session.

The question recurred on the Smith amendment and the roll was called. There were 74 yeas and 52 nays as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Albright	Dean, M.	Hansen	Loonan	Petersburg	Theis
Anderson, C.	Drazkowski	Heintzeman	Lucero	Peterson	Torkelson
Anderson, M.	Erickson	Hertaus	Lueck	Pierson	Uglem
Anderson, P.	Fabian	Hoppe	Mack	Poppe	Urdahl
Anderson, S.	Fenton	Howe	Marquart	Pugh	Vogel
Backer	Fischer	Johnson, B.	McDonald	Quam	Whelan
Baker	Franson	Kelly	McNamara	Rarick	Wills
Barrett	Garofalo	Kiel	Miller	Runbeck	Zerwas
Bennett	Green	Knoblach	Nornes	Sanders	Spk. Daudt
Christensen	Gruenhagen	Koznick	O'Driscoll	Schomacker	
Cornish	Gunther	Kresha	O'Neill	Scott	
Daniels	Hamilton	Lohmer	Pelowski	Smith	
Davids	Hancock	Loon	Peppin	Swedzinski	

Those who voted in the negative were:

Allen	Davnie	Hortman	Lillie	Murphy, M.	Simonson
Anzelc	Ecklund	Isacson	Loeffler	Nelson	Slocum
Applebaum	Erhardt	Johnson, C.	Mahoney	Newton	Sundin
Atkins	Flanagan	Johnson, S.	Mariani	Norton	Thissen
Bernardy	Freiberg	Kahn	Masin	Persell	Wagenius
Bly	Halverson	Laine	Metsa	Pinto	Yarusso
Carlson	Hausman	Lesch	Moran	Rosenthal	Youakim
Clark	Hilstrom	Liebling	Mullery	Schoen	
Considine	Hornstein	Lien	Murphy, E.	Selcer	

The motion prevailed and the amendment was adopted.

Hilstrom moved to amend H. F. No. 2955, the first engrossment, as amended, as follows:

Page 2, delete lines 27 to 31 and insert:

"(3) demonstrates that the alleged architectural barrier does not violate accessibility standards under law."

The motion prevailed and the amendment was adopted.

Lesch moved to amend H. F. No. 2955, the first engrossment, as amended, as follows:

Delete everything after the enacting clause and insert:

"Section 1. Minnesota Statutes 2014, section 326B.16, is amended by adding a subdivision to read:

Subd. 5. Notice of scope of compliance assessment. If compliance with accessibility requirements under law, as defined in section 363A.331, subdivision 1, is not included as part of a state or local building inspection report issued to a place of public accommodation, the report must:

(1) inform the recipient that the report does not contain an assessment of compliance with those requirements; and

(2) refer the recipient to the Web site of the State Council on Disability for information and resources regarding accessibility requirements.

EFFECTIVE DATE. This section is effective August 1, 2017.

Sec. 2. Minnesota Statutes 2014, section 363A.28, subdivision 3, is amended to read:

Subd. 3. **For filing claim; filing options.** (a) A claim of an unfair discriminatory practice must be brought as a civil action pursuant to section 363A.33, subdivision 1, filed in a charge with a local commission pursuant to section 363A.07, subdivision 3, or filed in a charge with the commissioner within one year after the occurrence of the practice.

(b) The running of the one-year limitation period is suspended during the time a potential charging party and respondent are voluntarily engaged in a dispute resolution process involving a claim of unlawful discrimination under this chapter, including arbitration, conciliation, mediation or grievance procedures pursuant to a collective bargaining agreement or statutory, charter, ordinance provisions for a civil service or other employment system or a school board sexual harassment or sexual violence policy. A potential respondent who participates in such a process with a potential charging party before a charge is filed or a civil action is brought shall notify the department and the charging party in writing of the participation in the process and the date the process commenced and shall also notify the department and the charging party of the ending date of the process. A respondent who fails to provide this notification is barred from raising the defense that the statute of limitations has run unless one year plus a period of time equal to the suspension period has passed.

(c) The running of the one-year limitation period is suspended during the time period provided for in the notice under section 363A.331, subdivision 2.

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

Sec. 3. **[363A.331] ACTIONS INVOLVING ARCHITECTURAL BARRIERS THAT LIMIT ACCESSIBILITY.**

Subdivision 1. **Definitions.** (a) The definitions in this subdivision apply to this section.

(b) "Accessibility requirements under law" means requirements governing removal of architectural barriers that limit access to public accommodations by persons with disabilities under the following laws or rules:

(1) section 363A.11, subdivision 3, clause (4) or (5);

(2) United States Code, title 42, section 12182, paragraph (b), clause (2), subparagraph (A), subclause (iv) or (v); or

(3) Code of Federal Regulations, title 28, section 36.304 or 36.305.

(c) "Certified professional" means:

(1) an individual who is certified under section 326B.133, subdivision 3a, paragraph (d); or

(2) a licensed, registered, or otherwise certified professional with demonstrated knowledge of accessibility requirements under law.

(d) "Easily accomplishable" means the types of barriers that are enumerated in Code of Federal Regulations, title 28, section 36.304, paragraph (b).

Subd. 2. Notice of architectural barrier. (a) A notice sent before filing a civil action with the court by an attorney representing a person who alleges that a person required to comply with section 363A.11, subdivision 3, has violated an accessibility requirement under law when a remedy is easily accomplishable must:

(1) specify the architectural barrier that is the subject of the alleged violation and its location on the premises;

(2) cite the law alleged to be violated; and

(3) provide a reasonable time to respond, which must be no less than 30 days.

(b) A notice described in paragraph (a) must not include a request or demand for money or an offer or agreement to accept money, but may offer to engage in settlement negotiations before litigation.

(c) This subdivision does not apply to:

(1) a person who is not represented by an attorney; or

(2) attorneys representing the state or a political subdivision of the state.

Subd. 3. When civil action may be filed or pursued. (a) If a notice has been sent under subdivision 2, a civil action may not be filed or pursued by the person alleging the violation if, within 60 days of receipt of the notice, the person required to comply with section 363A.11, subdivision 3:

(1) produces a barrier removal audit report prepared by a certified professional finding that the alleged architectural barrier does not violate accessibility requirements under law or that compliance with accessibility requirements under law is not readily achievable or cannot be accomplished by alternative means; or

(2) removes the architectural barrier in a manner that complies with accessibility requirements under law and provides reasonable proof of the removal to the attorney representing the person alleging the violation. If extenuating circumstances make it impossible to remove the barrier within 60 days of receipt of the notice, the plaintiff and the defendant may agree on a deadline for removal of the barrier. If the plaintiff and the defendant cannot agree, the civil action may proceed.

(b) The plaintiff is entitled to reasonable attorney fees for the provision of the notice and investigation of the validity of the claim.

(c) Nothing in this subdivision or subdivision 2 bars a person from bringing an action if:

(1) a plaintiff believes a potential defendant has failed to comply with a timetable for completion of a plan to remove an architectural barrier;

(2) a person is challenging a finding contained in an audit prepared by a certified professional;

(3) a person has a claim for damages resulting from an injury; or

(4) a person is filing charges pursuant to section 363A.28.

Subd. 4. Affirmative defense; challenging audit. (a) In a civil action brought against a person required to comply with section 363A.11, subdivision 3, for the failure to remove an architectural barrier that can be removed in an easily accomplishable manner, the defendant has an affirmative defense to the action if the defendant demonstrates that:

(1) the architectural barrier has been removed in a manner that complies with accessibility requirements under law;

(2) compliance with the accessibility requirements under law is not readily achievable or cannot be accomplished by alternative means; or

(3) the alleged architectural barrier does not violate accessibility requirements under law.

(b) In a civil action brought against a person required to comply with section 363A.11, subdivision 3, a plaintiff challenging a finding in an audit, performed by a certified professional, that an alleged architectural barrier complies with accessibility requirements under law, or that compliance is not readily achievable or alternative means cannot be employed, has the burden to show that the architectural barrier does not comply with those accessibility requirements or that compliance is readily achievable or can be accomplished by alternative means.

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

Delete the title and insert:

"A bill for an act relating to human rights; establishing requirements for disability discrimination claims related to architectural barriers; requiring certain notices in building inspection reports; amending Minnesota Statutes 2014, sections 326B.16, by adding a subdivision; 363A.28, subdivision 3; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 363A."

A roll call was requested and properly seconded.

The question was taken on the Lesch amendment and the roll was called. There were 53 yeas and 74 nays as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Allen	Davnie	Hornstein	Lien	Murphy, E.	Selcer
Anzelc	Ecklund	Hortman	Lillie	Murphy, M.	Simonson
Applebaum	Erhardt	Isaacson	Loeffler	Nelson	Slocum
Atkins	Flanagan	Johnson, C.	Mahoney	Newton	Sundin
Bernardy	Freiberg	Johnson, S.	Mariani	Norton	Thissen
Bly	Halverson	Kahn	Masin	Persell	Wagenius
Carlson	Hansen	Laine	Metsa	Pinto	Yarusso
Clark	Hausman	Lesch	Moran	Rosenthal	Youakim
Considine	Hilstrom	Liebling	Mullery	Schoen	

Those who voted in the negative were:

Albright	Dean, M.	Heintzeman	Lucero	Petersburg	Theis
Anderson, C.	Drazkowski	Hertaus	Lueck	Peterson	Torkelson
Anderson, M.	Erickson	Hoppe	Mack	Pierson	Uglen
Anderson, P.	Fabian	Howe	Marquart	Poppe	Urdahl
Anderson, S.	Fenton	Johnson, B.	McDonald	Pugh	Vogel
Backer	Fischer	Kelly	McNamara	Quam	Whelan
Baker	Franson	Kiel	Miller	Rarick	Wills
Barrett	Garofalo	Knoblach	Newberger	Runbeck	Zerwas
Bennett	Green	Koznick	Nornes	Sanders	Spk. Daudt
Christensen	Gruenhagen	Kresha	O'Driscoll	Schomacker	
Cornish	Gunther	Lohmer	O'Neill	Scott	
Daniels	Hamilton	Loon	Pelowski	Smith	
Davids	Hancock	Loonan	Peppin	Swedzinski	

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

H. F. No. 2955, A bill for an act relating to human rights; establishing requirement for demand letter involving architectural barriers limiting accessibility; providing for accessibility audits; amending Minnesota Statutes 2014, section 363A.28, subdivision 3; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 363A.

The bill was read for the third time, as amended, and placed upon its final passage.

The question was taken on the passage of the bill and the roll was called. There were 82 yeas and 45 nays as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Albright	Davids	Hamilton	Lohmer	Pelowski	Selcer
Anderson, C.	Dean, M.	Hancock	Loon	Peppin	Smith
Anderson, M.	Drazkowski	Hansen	Loonan	Petersburg	Swedzinski
Anderson, P.	Ecklund	Heintzeman	Lucero	Peterson	Theis
Anderson, S.	Erhardt	Hertaus	Lueck	Pierson	Torkelson
Anzelc	Erickson	Hoppe	Mack	Poppe	Uglen
Backer	Fabian	Howe	Marquart	Pugh	Urdahl
Baker	Fenton	Johnson, B.	McDonald	Quam	Vogel
Barrett	Fischer	Kelly	McNamara	Rarick	Whelan
Bennett	Franson	Kiel	Miller	Rosenthal	Wills
Christensen	Garofalo	Knoblach	Newberger	Runbeck	Zerwas
Considine	Green	Koznick	Nornes	Sanders	Spk. Daudt
Cornish	Gruenhagen	Kresha	O'Driscoll	Schomacker	
Daniels	Gunther	Lien	O'Neill	Scott	

Those who voted in the negative were:

Allen	Flanagan	Johnson, C.	Mahoney	Nelson	Sundin
Applebaum	Freiberg	Johnson, S.	Mariani	Newton	Thissen
Atkins	Halverson	Kahn	Masin	Norton	Wagenius
Bernardy	Hausman	Laine	Metsa	Persell	Yarusso
Bly	Hilstrom	Lesch	Moran	Pinto	Youakim
Carlson	Hornstein	Liebling	Mullery	Schoen	
Clark	Hortman	Lillie	Murphy, E.	Simonson	
Davnie	Isaacson	Loeffler	Murphy, M.	Slocum	

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

S. F. No. 2430, A bill for an act relating to human services; making technical corrections to the median total care-related per diem; amending Minnesota Statutes 2015 Supplement, section 256B.441, subdivision 30.

The bill was read for the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question was taken on the passage of the bill and the roll was called. There were 127 yeas and 0 nays as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Albright	Davnie	Hertaus	Lohmer	Norton	Slocum
Allen	Dean, M.	Hilstrom	Loon	O'Driscoll	Smith
Anderson, C.	Drazkowski	Hoppe	Loonan	O'Neill	Sundin
Anderson, M.	Ecklund	Hornstein	Lucero	Pelowski	Swedzinski
Anderson, P.	Erhardt	Hortman	Lueck	Peppin	Theis
Anderson, S.	Erickson	Howe	Mack	Persell	Thissen
Anzelc	Fabian	Isaacson	Mahoney	Petersburg	Torkelson
Applebaum	Fenton	Johnson, B.	Mariani	Peterson	Uglem
Atkins	Fischer	Johnson, C.	Marquart	Pierson	Urdahl
Backer	Flanagan	Johnson, S.	Masin	Pinto	Vogel
Baker	Franson	Kahn	McDonald	Poppe	Wagenius
Barrett	Freiberg	Kelly	McNamara	Pugh	Whelan
Bennett	Garofalo	Kiel	Metsa	Quam	Wills
Bernardy	Green	Knoblach	Miller	Rarick	Yarusso
Bly	Gruenhagen	Koznick	Moran	Rosenthal	Youakim
Carlson	Gunther	Kresha	Mullery	Runbeck	Zerwas
Christensen	Halverson	Laine	Murphy, E.	Sanders	Spk. Daudt
Clark	Hamilton	Lesch	Murphy, M.	Schoen	
Considine	Hancock	Liebling	Nelson	Schomacker	
Cornish	Hansen	Lien	Newberger	Scott	
Daniels	Hausman	Lillie	Newton	Selcer	
Davids	Heintzeman	Loeffler	Nornes	Simonson	

The bill was passed and its title agreed to.

S. F. No. 2498, A bill for an act relating to human services; modifying screening requirements for co-occurring mental health and chemical dependency disorders; amending Minnesota Statutes 2014, section 245.4863.

The bill was read for the third time and placed upon its final passage.

The question was taken on the passage of the bill and the roll was called. There were 127 yeas and 0 nays as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Albright	Anzelc	Bennett	Considine	Drazkowski	Fischer
Allen	Applebaum	Bernardy	Cornish	Ecklund	Flanagan
Anderson, C.	Atkins	Bly	Daniels	Erhardt	Franson
Anderson, M.	Backer	Carlson	Davids	Erickson	Freiberg
Anderson, P.	Baker	Christensen	Davnie	Fabian	Garofalo
Anderson, S.	Barrett	Clark	Dean, M.	Fenton	Green

Gruenhagen	Johnson, C.	Loonan	Nelson	Quam	Torkelson
Gunther	Johnson, S.	Lucero	Newberger	Rarick	Uglem
Halverson	Kahn	Lueck	Newton	Rosenthal	Urdahl
Hamilton	Kelly	Mack	Nornes	Runbeck	Vogel
Hancock	Kiel	Mahoney	Norton	Sanders	Wagenius
Hansen	Knoblach	Mariani	O'Driscoll	Schoen	Whelan
Hausman	Koznick	Marquart	O'Neill	Schomacker	Wills
Heintzeman	Kresha	Masin	Pelowski	Scott	Yarusso
Hertaus	Laine	McDonald	Peppin	Selcer	Youakim
Hilstrom	Lesch	McNamara	Persell	Simonson	Zerwas
Hoppe	Liebling	Metsa	Petersburg	Slocum	Spk. Daudt
Hornstein	Lien	Miller	Peterson	Smith	
Hortman	Lillie	Moran	Pierson	Sundin	
Howe	Loeffler	Mullery	Pinto	Swedzinski	
Isaacson	Lohmer	Murphy, E.	Poppe	Theis	
Johnson, B.	Loon	Murphy, M.	Pugh	Thissen	

The bill was passed and its title agreed to.

H. F. No. 3328 was reported to the House.

Quam moved to amend H. F. No. 3328, the first engrossment, as follows:

Page 1, line 20, after "2017" insert a comma

Page 2, line 7, delete "of" and insert "or"

The motion prevailed and the amendment was adopted.

H. F. No. 3328, A bill for an act relating to claims against the state; providing for payment of awards under the Imprisonment and Exoneration Remedies Act; providing for payment of injury and medical claims against the Department of Corrections; appropriating money; providing for claims for loss, damage, or destruction of property of patients or inmates of a state institution; establishing a claim limit of \$7,000 for settlement by the commissioners of human services, veterans affairs, or corrections for property claims made by patients or inmates and medical claims made by conditionally released offenders; increasing claims filing fee; amending Minnesota Statutes 2014, sections 3.736, subdivision 3; 3.739, subdivision 2; 3.749; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 3.

The bill was read for the third time, as amended, and placed upon its final passage.

The question was taken on the passage of the bill and the roll was called. There were 127 yeas and 0 nays as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Albright	Anderson, M.	Anzalc	Backer	Bennett	Carlson
Allen	Anderson, P.	Applebaum	Baker	Bernardy	Christensen
Anderson, C.	Anderson, S.	Atkins	Barrett	Bly	Clark

Considine	Gunther	Kiel	Masin	Petersburg	Swedzinski
Cornish	Halverson	Knoblach	McDonald	Peterson	Theis
Daniels	Hamilton	Koznick	McNamara	Pierson	Thissen
Davids	Hancock	Kresha	Metsa	Pinto	Torkelson
Davnie	Hansen	Laine	Miller	Poppe	Uglem
Dean, M.	Hausman	Lesch	Moran	Pugh	Urdahl
Drazkowski	Heintzeman	Liebling	Mullery	Quam	Vogel
Ecklund	Hertaus	Lien	Murphy, E.	Rarick	Wagenius
Erhardt	Hilstrom	Lillie	Murphy, M.	Rosenthal	Whelan
Erickson	Hoppe	Loeffler	Nelson	Runbeck	Wills
Fabian	Hornstein	Lohmer	Newberger	Sanders	Yarusso
Fenton	Hortman	Loon	Newton	Schoen	Youakim
Fischer	Howe	Loonan	Nornes	Schomacker	Zerwas
Flanagan	Isaacson	Lucero	Norton	Scott	Spk. Daudt
Franson	Johnson, B.	Lueck	O'Driscoll	Selcer	
Freiberg	Johnson, C.	Mack	O'Neill	Simonson	
Garofalo	Johnson, S.	Mahoney	Pelowski	Slocum	
Green	Kahn	Mariani	Peppin	Smith	
Gruenhagen	Kelly	Marquart	Persell	Sundin	

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

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 Wednesday, May 11, 2016 and established a prefiling requirement for amendments offered to the following bills:

H. F. Nos. 1333, 2528, 2552, 2553, 2585, 2625, 3135, 3160 and 3590; and S. F. Nos. 1111, 2426, 2555 and 2760.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS

Kresha moved that the name of Knoblach be added as an author on H. F. No. 1369. The motion prevailed.

Hausman moved that the name of Flanagan be added as an author on H. F. No. 2045. The motion prevailed.

Atkins moved that the name of Hertaus be added as an author on H. F. No. 2427. The motion prevailed.

Scott moved that the name of Mariani be added as an author on H. F. No. 2704. The motion prevailed.

Dean, M., moved that the name of Clark be added as an author on H. F. No. 3248. The motion prevailed.

Peterson moved that the name of Pugh be added as an author on H. F. No. 3289. The motion prevailed.

Howe moved that his name be stricken as an author on H. F. No. 3395. The motion prevailed.

Fabian moved that the name of Theis be added as an author on H. F. No. 3409. The motion prevailed.

Lesch moved that his name be stricken as an author on H. F. No. 3960. The motion prevailed.

Kahn moved that the name of Masin be added as an author on H. F. No. 3961. The motion prevailed.

Kahn moved that the name of Sundin be added as an author on H. F. No. 3981. The motion prevailed.

Kahn moved that the names of Slocum; Johnson, C., and Laine be added as authors on H. F. No. 3990. The motion prevailed.

ADJOURNMENT

Peppin moved that when the House adjourns today it adjourn until 9:00 a.m., Wednesday, May 11, 2016. The motion prevailed.

Peppin moved that the House adjourn. The motion prevailed, and Speaker pro tempore Davids declared the House stands adjourned until 9:00 a.m., Wednesday, May 11, 2016.

PATRICK D. MURPHY, Chief Clerk, House of Representatives