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INTRODUCTION OF BILLS

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The following House Files were introduced:

Quam introduced:

H. F. No. 2513, A bill for an act relating to state government; establishing a process to select delegates to attend an amendment convention held under Article V of the United States Constitution; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 1.

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

Klevorn and Nash introduced:

H. F. No. 2514, A bill for an act relating to the legislature; modifying a provision governing joint legislative studies; amending Minnesota Statutes 2024, section 3.305, subdivision 9.

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

Klevorn and Nash introduced:

H. F. No. 2515, A bill for an act relating to the legislature; modifying the definition of joint offices; amending Minnesota Statutes 2024, section 3.305, subdivision 1.

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

Stephenson, Nadeau and Tabke introduced:

H. F. No. 2516, A bill for an act relating to education policy; restricting cell phone use in schools; appropriating money; amending Minnesota Statutes 2024, section 121A.73.

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

Schultz; Jacob; Gordon; Warwas; Lawrence; Niska; Knudsen; Mekeland; Gillman; Davis; Altendorf; Anderson, P. E., and Roach introduced:

H. F. No. 2517, A bill for an act relating to health care; restricting the use of public funds to cover abortions under MinnesotaCare; amending Minnesota Statutes 2024, section 256L.03, subdivision 1.

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

Kotyza-Witthuhn, Baker, Greene, Gillman and Kozlowski introduced:

H. F. No. 2518, A bill for an act relating to economic development; appropriating money for a grant to WomenVenture; requiring a report.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Workforce, Labor, and Economic Development Finance and Policy.

Cha, Her, Pursell and Stephenson introduced:

H. F. No. 2519, A bill for an act relating to commerce; adding motorcycles to the Digital Fair Repair Act; amending Minnesota Statutes 2024, section 325E.72, subdivisions 2, 3, 5, 7, 8.

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

Skraba introduced:

H. F. No. 2520, A bill for an act relating to higher education; appropriating money for the Minnesota Green Iron Initiative at the University of Minnesota's Natural Resources Research Institute.

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

Frazier introduced:

H. F. No. 2521, A bill for an act relating to judiciary; permitting petition to court for relief from stay of adjudication; amending Minnesota Statutes 2024, section 590.01.

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

O'Driscoll introduced:

H. F. No. 2522, A bill for an act relating to commerce; designating the commissioner of commerce to oversee the Commerce Fraud Bureau and automobile theft prevention program; amending Minnesota Statutes 2024, sections 45.0135, subdivision 2a; 65B.84, by adding a subdivision.

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

Pérez-Vega, Finke and Kozlowski introduced:

H. F. No. 2523, A bill for an act relating to human services; appropriating money for HIV/AIDS support services.

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

Harder introduced:

H. F. No. 2524, A bill for an act relating to state lands; authorizing private sale of certain tax-forfeited land that borders public water.

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

Duran, Witte and Novotny introduced:

H. F. No. 2525, A bill for an act relating to public safety; establishing a public safety officer hearing protection program; appropriating money.

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

Duran introduced:

H. F. No. 2526, A bill for an act relating to local government; expanding exceptions to prohibition against gifts to local officials under certain conditions; amending Minnesota Statutes 2024, section 471.895, subdivision 3.

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

Duran and Bliss introduced:

H. F. No. 2527, A bill for an act relating to transportation; establishing a speed limit on a segment of Beltrami County State-Aid Highway 20; amending Minnesota Statutes 2024, section 169.14, by adding a subdivision.

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

Mueller and Wolgamott introduced:

H. F. No. 2528, A bill for an act relating to education finance; appropriating money for neighborhood partnership grants.

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

Sexton introduced:

H. F. No. 2529, A bill for an act relating to transportation; appropriating money for additional State Patrol troopers.

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

Myers introduced:

H. F. No. 2530, A bill for an act relating to capital investment; appropriating money for street and utility improvements in the city of Long Lake; authorizing the sale and issuance of state bonds.

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

Myers introduced:

H. F. No. 2531, A bill for an act relating to veterans; appropriating money to the commissioner of veterans affairs for a grant to Eagle's Healing Nest.

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

Novotny introduced:

H. F. No. 2532, A bill for an act relating to public safety; eliminating the community crime and violence prevention account; transferring the unexpended amount to the general fund; repealing Laws 2023, chapter 52, article 2, sections 12; 13.

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

Schomacker and Bahner introduced:

H. F. No. 2533, A bill for an act relating to human services; expanding prior authorization mental health carve out; amending Minnesota Statutes 2024, section 256B.0625, subdivision 13f.

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

Bennett, Mueller and Quam introduced:

H. F. No. 2534, A bill for an act relating to education finance; increasing the minimum share of general education funding transferred to an area learning center; amending Minnesota Statutes 2024, sections 123A.05, subdivision 2; 127A.47, subdivision 7.

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

Bennett introduced:

H. F. No. 2535, A bill for an act relating to capital investment; appropriating money for roadway improvements in Waldorf; authorizing the sale and issuance of state bonds.

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

Mueller and Davids introduced:

H. F. No. 2536, A bill for an act relating to capital investment; appropriating money for a segment of the Shooting Star state trail; authorizing the sale and issuance of state bonds.

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

Mueller introduced:

H. F. No. 2537, A bill for an act relating to state government; increasing fiscal safeguards for state grants to nonprofit organizations; requiring a report; amending Minnesota Statutes 2024, section 16B.98, subdivision 8; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 16B.

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

Quam introduced:

H. F. No. 2538, A bill for an act relating to the legislature; modifying the prohibition on certain legislator lobbying activities; amending Minnesota Statutes 2024, section 3.084, subdivision 2.

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

Swedzinski introduced:

H. F. No. 2539, A bill for an act relating to taxation; property; increasing the shareholder limit for entity-owned agricultural property; amending Minnesota Statutes 2024, section 273.124, subdivision 8.

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

Hussein and Lee, K., introduced:

H. F. No. 2540, A bill for an act relating to arts and cultural heritage; appropriating money to Asian Economic Development Association for outdoor programs for youth.

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

Hansen, R., introduced:

H. F. No. 2541, A bill for an act relating to agriculture; abolishing the Board of Animal Health and transferring its duties to the Department of Agriculture; establishing the Animal Health Advisory Council; requiring a report; authorizing rulemaking; amending Minnesota Statutes 2024, section 35.01, by adding a subdivision; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 35; repealing Minnesota Statutes 2024, sections 35.01, subdivision 2; 35.02; 35.03.

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

Pursell introduced:

H. F. No. 2542, A bill for an act relating to capital investment; appropriating money for public infrastructure for the Bridgewater Affordable Housing Community; authorizing the sale and issuance of state bonds.

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

Reyer, Scott and Liebling introduced:

H. F. No. 2543, A bill for an act relating to commerce; modifying various statutory forms pertaining to garnishment; amending Minnesota Statutes 2024, sections 550.136, subdivisions 6, 9; 550.143, subdivisions 2, 3a, 3b, 3c; 551.05, subdivisions 1b, 1c, 1d; 551.06, subdivisions 6, 9; 571.72, subdivisions 8, 10; 571.74; 571.75, subdivision 2; 571.912; 571.914, subdivision 2; 571.925; 571.931, subdivision 6; 571.932, subdivision 2.

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

Virnig introduced:

H. F. No. 2544, A bill for an act relating to education; establishing a Dual Enrollment Task Force; requiring a report; appropriating money.

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

Finke introduced:

H. F. No. 2545, A bill for an act relating to economic development; appropriating money for a grant to Interfaith Action for workforce development.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Workforce, Labor, and Economic Development Finance and Policy.

Finke introduced:

H. F. No. 2546, A bill for an act relating to economic development; appropriating money for a grant to Interfaith Action.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Workforce, Labor, and Economic Development Finance and Policy.

Finke introduced:

H. F. No. 2547, A bill for an act relating to human services; appropriating money to Interfaith Action for shelter operations and programming.

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

Skraba; Pursell; Heintzeman; Fischer; Lee, K.; Burkel; Nelson; Gillman; Schultz; Zeleznikar; Jordan; Hussein; Falconer; Jacob and Clardy introduced:

H. F. No. 2548, A bill for an act relating to natural resources; creating Outdoor School for All grant program; appropriating money; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 84.

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

Lee, K.; Howard; Pérez-Vega; Hussein; Hollins; Cha and Fischer introduced:

H. F. No. 2549, A bill for an act relating to housing; authorizing the issuance of housing infrastructure bonds; appropriating money; amending Minnesota Statutes 2024, section 462A.37, subdivision 5, by adding a subdivision.

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

Jones, Greene, Allen, Davids and Momanyi-Hiltsley introduced:

H. F. No. 2550, A bill for an act relating to transportation; modifying requirements related to construction impacts on businesses; establishing a local business construction impacts assistance program; amending Minnesota Statutes 2024, section 160.165; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 160.

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

Kotyza-Witthuhn and West introduced:

H. F. No. 2551, A bill for an act relating to children; follow-up to 2024 children, youth, and families recodification; making technical changes; amending Minnesota Statutes 2024, sections 3.922, subdivision 1; 13.41, subdivision 1; 13.46, subdivisions 3, 4, 9, 10; 13.598, subdivision 10; 14.03, subdivision 3; 116L.881; 125A.15; 125A.744, subdivision 2; 127A.11; 127A.70, subdivision 2; 142A.607, subdivision 14; 142A.609, subdivision 21; 142B.41, subdivision 9; 144.061; 144.225, subdivision 2a; 145.895; 145.901, subdivisions 2, 4; 145.9255, subdivision 1; 145.9265; 174.285, subdivision 4; 214.104; 216C.266, subdivisions 2, 3; 241.021, subdivision 2; 242.09; 242.21; 242.32, subdivision 1; 245.697, subdivisions 1, 2a; 245.814, subdivisions 1, 2, 3, 4; 245C.02, subdivisions 7, 12, 13; 245C.031, subdivision 9; 245C.033, subdivision 2; 245C.05, subdivision 7; 245C.07; 256.88; 256.89; 256.90; 256.91; 256.92; 256G.01, subdivisions 1, 3; 256G.03, subdivision 2; 256G.04, subdivision 2; 256G.09, subdivisions 2, 3, 4, 5; 256G.10; 256G.11; 256G.12, subdivision 1; 260.762, subdivision 2a; 260B.171, subdivision 4; 260E.03, subdivision 6; 260E.11, subdivision 1; 260E.30, subdivision 4; 260E.33, subdivision 6; 261.232; 270B.14, subdivision 1, by adding a subdivision; 299C.76, subdivision 1; 299F.011, subdivision 4a; 402A.10, subdivisions 1a, 2, 4c; 402A.12; 402A.16, subdivisions 1, 2, 3, 4; 402A.18, subdivisions 2, 3, by adding a subdivision; 402A.35, subdivisions 1, 4, 5; 462A.2095, subdivision 6; 466.131; 518.165, subdivision 5; 524.5-106; 524.5-118, subdivision 2; 595.02, subdivision 2; 626.5533; repealing Minnesota Statutes 2024, sections 142A.15; 142E.50, subdivisions 2, 12; 245A.02, subdivision 6d; 256G.02, subdivisions 3, 5; 261.003.

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

Kotyza-Witthuhn, Allen and West introduced:

H. F. No. 2552, A bill for an act relating to liquor; regulating direct shippers of wine; imposing sales and use taxes, liquor gross receipts taxes, and excise taxes on direct shipments of wine; providing for licensing; providing for classification of data; requiring reports; amending Minnesota Statutes 2024, sections 13.6905, by adding a subdivision; 295.75, subdivision 4; 297A.83, subdivision 1; 297G.07, subdivision 1; 299A.706; 340A.304; 340A.417; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 340A.

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

Mekeland; Anderson, P. H.; Wiener and Sexton introduced:

H. F. No. 2553, A bill for an act relating to energy; eliminating certain incumbent electric transmission owner rights; repealing Minnesota Statutes 2024, section 216B.246.

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

Witte; Berg; Reyer; Novotny; Gordon; Niska; Duran; Backer; Stier; Clardy; Virnig; Kraft; Kotyza-Witthuhn; Tabke; Curran; Hanson, J.; Nash; Koznick; O'Driscoll; Joy; Johnson, P.; Moller; Huot and Bierman introduced:

H. F. No. 2554, A bill for an act relating to transportation; designating the Elmstrand * Finseth * Ruge Heroes Memorial Bridge in the city of Burnsville; amending Minnesota Statutes 2024, section 161.14, by adding a subdivision.

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

Nadeau, Bierman, Liebling and Backer introduced:

H. F. No. 2555, A bill for an act relating to state government; establishing a state employee group insurance program utilization review pilot program; requiring reports.

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

Frazier introduced:

H. F. No. 2556, A bill for an act relating to health; establishing an endometriosis data and biorepository program administered by the University of Minnesota; requiring a report; appropriating money; amending Minnesota Statutes 2024, section 13.3806, by adding a subdivision; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 137.

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

Nadeau, Bierman, Carroll and Backer introduced:

H. F. No. 2557, A bill for an act relating to health care; redirecting a hospital surcharge to the health care access fund; amending Minnesota Statutes 2024, section 256.9657, subdivision 2.

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

Hussein introduced:

H. F. No. 2558, A bill for an act relating to workforce development; appropriating money for a grant to Rondo Community Land Trust for culinary training.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Workforce, Labor, and Economic Development Finance and Policy.

Hussein introduced:

H. F. No. 2559, A bill for an act relating to housing; appropriating money for a grant to the Rondo Community Land Trust.

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

Hussein introduced:

H. F. No. 2560, A bill for an act relating to capital investment; appropriating money for a grant to Rondo Community Land Trust.

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

Bahner, Nash, Rarick, Wolgamott, Momanyi-Hiltsley, Cha, Noor, Elkins and Hanson, J., introduced:

H. F. No. 2561, A bill for an act relating to higher education; expanding the authority to offer applied doctoral degrees at state universities; amending Minnesota Statutes 2024, section 135A.052, subdivision 1.

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

Vang and McDonald introduced:

H. F. No. 2562, A bill for an act relating to clean water fund; requiring Clean Water Council's clean water fund recommendations to be broken out by fiscal year; amending Minnesota Statutes 2024, section 114D.30, subdivision 7.

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

Vang and McDonald introduced:

H. F. No. 2563, A bill for an act relating to legacy; appropriating money to maintain dedicated funding website.

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

Finke, Moller, Hollins, Her and Rarick introduced:

H. F. No. 2564, A bill for an act relating to consumer protection; requiring lenders to pause monthly payments on seized property; prohibiting lenders from reporting failure to make monthly payments on seized property; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 325G.

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

Lee, K.; Pérez-Vega and Hussein introduced:

H. F. No. 2565, A bill for an act relating to workforce development; appropriating money for a grant to Ramsey County for workforce development programming.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Workforce, Labor, and Economic Development Finance and Policy.

Reyer, Her, Allen, Liebling, Klevorn, Clardy and Falconer introduced:

H. F. No. 2566, A bill for an act relating to state government; establishing a process for removing fraudulent business filings; authorizing rulemaking; appropriating money; amending Minnesota Statutes 2024, sections 13.485, subdivision 1, by adding a subdivision; 609.48, subdivision 1; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 300.

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

Greenman introduced:

H. F. No. 2567, A bill for an act relating to employment; providing that stay-or-pay provisions are prohibited, unenforceable, and against public policy; amending Minnesota Statutes 2024, section 177.27, subdivision 4; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 181.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Workforce, Labor, and Economic Development Finance and Policy.

Greenman introduced:

H. F. No. 2568, A bill for an act relating to contracting; requiring tax increment financing to be included for the purposes of meeting the threshold for the responsible contractor law; amending Minnesota Statutes 2024, section 16C.285, subdivision 2.

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

Momanyi-Hiltsley, Norris and Noor introduced:

H. F. No. 2569, A bill for an act relating to facility licensing; modifying spatial separation requirement for certain residential programs; establishing spatial separation requirement for certain assisted living facilities; requiring notice to local municipalities after issuing licenses for certain residential settings; amending Minnesota Statutes 2024, sections 144G.15; 144G.16, by adding a subdivision; 144G.195, by adding a subdivision; 245A.04, subdivision 2, by adding a subdivision; 245A.11, subdivision 4; 254B.181, subdivision 1.

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

Johnson, P., introduced:

H. F. No. 2570, A bill for an act relating to capital investment; appropriating money for a community health and wellness center in the city of Duluth.

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

Noor introduced:

H. F. No. 2571, A bill for an act relating to higher education; modifying the income requirements and award formula for the North Star Promise scholarship program; amending Minnesota Statutes 2024, section 136A.1465, subdivisions 2, 3, 7.

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

Noor introduced:

H. F. No. 2572, A bill for an act relating to higher education; appropriating money to the Office of Higher Education for emergency grants to Minnesota State Colleges and Universities students.

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

Her introduced:

H. F. No. 2573, A bill for an act relating to energy; appropriating money for microgrid research and application; extending previous appropriations.

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

Hollins introduced:

H. F. No. 2574, A bill for an act relating to taxation; tax increment financing; authorizing use of certain increment to convert vacant or underused commercial or industrial buildings to residential purposes; modifying calculation of certain increment and findings required for a district converting vacant or underused property; amending Minnesota Statutes 2024, sections 469.174, subdivision 10; 469.175, subdivision 3; 469.177, subdivision 1.

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

Freiberg introduced:

H. F. No. 2575, A bill for an act relating to substance use disorder treatment; modifying continuing education requirements for licensed alcohol and drug counselors; allowing for religious objections to placements in substance use disorder treatment programs; modifying comprehensive assessment requirements; prohibiting courts or other placement authorities from compelling an individual to participate in religious elements of substance use disorder treatment; requiring a report; amending Minnesota Statutes 2024, sections 148F.075, subdivision 2; 241.415; 244.0513, by adding a subdivision; 245F.10, subdivision 1; 245G.13, by adding a subdivision; 245G.15, subdivision 1; 245I.10, subdivision 6; 253B.03, subdivisions 4, 10; 253B.04, subdivision 1; 254B.05, subdivision 1; 609.14, subdivision 2a; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 254B.

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

Hansen, R.; Falconer; Fischer and Lee, F., introduced:

H. F. No. 2576, A bill for an act relating to agriculture; prohibiting the burning of pesticide containers; amending Minnesota Statutes 2024, section 18B.07, subdivision 8.

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

Hansen, R.; Jordan and Lee, F., introduced:

H. F. No. 2577, A bill for an act relating to agriculture; modifying agricultural waste handling regulations; requiring record retention of sewage sludge transfers; amending Minnesota Statutes 2024, sections 18C.111, subdivisions 2, 4, 5; 18C.135, subdivision 1, by adding a subdivision; 18C.201, subdivisions 1, 5; 18C.61.

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

Hansen, R.; Jordan and Lee, F., introduced:

H. F. No. 2578, A bill for an act relating to local government; modifying provisions for annexing unincorporated property; clarifying property owners eligible to petition for annexation; amending Minnesota Statutes 2024, section 414.031, subdivision 1.

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

Hansen, R., and Lee, F., introduced:

H. F. No. 2579, A bill for an act relating to agriculture; appropriating money for the AGRI works and AGRI support grant programs.

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

Hansen, R.; Jordan and Lee, F., introduced:

H. F. No. 2580, A bill for an act relating to natural resources; requiring removal and disposal of abandoned boats; providing criminal and civil penalties; amending Minnesota Statutes 2024, sections 97A.223, subdivision 1; 97A.421, by adding a subdivision; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 86B.

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

Frazier introduced:

H. F. No. 2581, A bill for an act relating to economic development; requiring a report; appropriating money for a grant to Fortis Capital for a revolving loan fund.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Workforce, Labor, and Economic Development Finance and Policy.

Lee, K., and Coulter introduced:

H. F. No. 2582, A bill for an act relating to child care; appropriating money for child care improvement grants.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Workforce, Labor, and Economic Development Finance and Policy.

Her introduced:

H. F. No. 2583, A bill for an act relating to workforce development; appropriating money to the Redemption Project for workforce development services for adults leaving incarceration and justice-impacted individuals.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Workforce, Labor, and Economic Development Finance and Policy.

Lee, F., introduced:

H. F. No. 2584, A bill for an act relating to local government aid; establishing aid to local governments for emerald ash borer financial assistance; appropriating money.

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

Hollins introduced:

H. F. No. 2585, A bill for an act relating to taxation; tax increment financing; authorizing special rules for the city of St. Paul.

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

Frederick, Virnig, Keeler and Momanyi-Hiltsley introduced:

H. F. No. 2586, A bill for an act relating to state-operated services; extending cost of care exemption for certain committed persons and 48-hour rule for admissions; establishing the Priority Admission Review Panel; requiring creation of a Direct Care and Treatment admissions dashboard and a limited exemption for admissions from hospital settings; requiring a report; amending Minnesota Statutes 2024, sections 246.54, subdivisions 1a, 1b; 253B.10, subdivision 1.

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

Frederick, Virnig and Momanyi-Hiltsley introduced:

H. F. No. 2587, A bill for an act relating to capital investment; appropriating money for a new psychiatric facility at the Anoka Metro Regional Treatment Center campus; authorizing the sale and issuance of state bonds.

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

Freiberg introduced:

H. F. No. 2588, A bill for an act relating to commerce; requiring health care sharing arrangements to report annually; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 62A.

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

Freiberg introduced:

H. F. No. 2589, A bill for an act relating to state government; establishing a Minnesota Volunteerism Innovation Board; requiring rulemaking; requiring grants; requiring a report; appropriating money; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 10.

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

Norris, Perryman, Agbaje, Falconer, Reyer and Fischer introduced:

H. F. No. 2590, A bill for an act relating to health professions; establishing licensure for clinical art therapists; modifying the membership of the Board of Behavioral Health and Therapy; imposing fees and civil penalties; appropriating money; amending Minnesota Statutes 2024, sections 148B.51; 245I.04, subdivision 2; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 148B.

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

Gomez; Hicks; Long; Stephenson; Greenman; Moller; Bierman; Noor; Fischer; Frederick; Smith; Howard; Bahner; Coulter; Hemmingsen-Jaeger; Curran; Finke; Pinto; Kraft; Lee, K.; Her; Reyer; Jones; Falconer; Liebling; Kozlowski; Tabke; Gottfried; Virnig; Kotyza-Witthuhn; Berg; Vang; Elkins; Agbaje and Koegel introduced:

H. F. No. 2591, A bill for an act relating to taxation; individual income; establishing a fifth tier of the individual income tax at a rate sufficient to offset lost federal Medicaid funds; amending Minnesota Statutes 2024, section 290.06, subdivisions 2c, 2d.

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

Berg introduced:

H. F. No. 2592, A bill for an act relating to transportation; appropriating money for the interchange reconstruction project at marked Trunk Highway 13 and Nicollet Avenue in Burnsville; authorizing the sale and issuance of state bonds.

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

Norris introduced:

H. F. No. 2593, A bill for an act relating to transportation; appropriating money for local road improvements in the city of Blaine.

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

Pinto introduced:

H. F. No. 2594, A bill for an act relating to public safety; clarifying that the protections related to interviews of child abuse victims apply to all recordings; proposing changes to terms used in statutes that punish creation, distribution, and possession of sexually explicit materials involving children; making conforming changes; amending Minnesota Statutes 2024, sections 13.03, subdivision 6; 13.821; 144.296; 246B.04, subdivision 2; 609.527, subdivision 3; 611A.90; 617.246; 617.247; 634.35.

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

Freiberg introduced:

H. F. No. 2595, A bill for an act relating to elections; modifying certain election judge provisions; amending Minnesota Statutes 2024, section 204C.09, subdivision 1.

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

Freiberg introduced:

H. F. No. 2596, A bill for an act relating to elections; modifying certain special election timing; amending Minnesota Statutes 2024, section 375.20.

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

Freiberg introduced:

H. F. No. 2597, A bill for an act relating to environment; appropriating money to improve water quality in Upper Twin Lake.

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

Momanyi-Hiltsley, Pérez-Vega, Fischer, Tabke, Hicks, Bierman, Agbaje, Cha, Her, Gander and Lillie introduced:

H. F. No. 2598, A bill for an act relating to human services; appropriating money to the commissioner of human services for grants to navigator organizations.

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

Hussein introduced:

H. F. No. 2599, A bill for an act relating to arts and cultural heritage; appropriating money to establish a cultural mall in the city of Moorhead.

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

Hussein; Pérez-Vega; Jordan; Lee, F., and Her introduced:

H. F. No. 2600, A bill for an act relating to elections; modifying voter registration provisions for individuals in jail; requiring the secretary of state to make grants to sheriffs; appropriating money; amending Minnesota Statutes 2024, sections 201.061, subdivision 3; 203B.28; 387.11; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 5.

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

Huot introduced:

H. F. No. 2601, A bill for an act relating to financial institutions; modifying the maximum interest rate for certain loans and contracts for deed; amending Minnesota Statutes 2024, sections 47.20, subdivision 4a; 334.01, subdivision 2.

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

Vang; Hansen, R., and Jordan introduced:

H. F. No. 2602, A bill for an act relating to natural resources; modifying and extending an appropriation for replacement seedlings; amending Laws 2022, chapter 95, article 3, section 6.

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

Pinto, Greenman and Elkins introduced:

H. F. No. 2603, A bill for an act relating to state government; making changes to provisions in state agencies to address financial crimes and fraud; amending Minnesota Statutes 2024, sections 13.46, subdivisions 2, 3; 13.82, subdivision 1; 43A.17, subdivision 13; 45.0135, subdivisions 2b, 6, 7, 8, 9, by adding a subdivision; 60A.951, subdivision 2; 60A.952, subdivisions 2, 4, 5; 60A.954, subdivision 2; 60A.956; 65B.84; 124D.111, subdivision 2a; 124E.02; 124E.16, subdivision 1, by adding a subdivision; 124E.26, subdivisions 4, 5, by adding a subdivision; 127A.21, subdivisions 1, 1a, 4, 5, 6, 7, by adding subdivisions; 142E.16, subdivision 7; 142E.51, subdivisions 5, 6; 245.095, subdivision 5, by adding a subdivision; 245A.04, subdivision 1; 245A.05; 245A.07, subdivision 2; 245C.13, subdivision 2; 245C.14, by adding subdivisions; 245C.15, subdivisions 1, 4a; 245C.16, subdivision 1; 245G.01, by adding subdivisions; 245G.02, subdivision 2; 245G.07, subdivisions 1, 3, 4, by adding subdivisions; 245G.11, subdivisions 6, 7, by adding a subdivision; 245G.22, subdivisions 11, 15; 254B.01, subdivisions 10, 11; 254B.05, subdivisions 1, 1a; 254B.06, by adding a subdivision; 254B.181, subdivisions 1, 2, 3, by adding subdivisions; 254B.19, subdivision 1; 256.98, subdivision 1; 256.983, subdivision 4; 256B.04, subdivision 21; 256B.0625, subdivision 5m; 256B.0659, subdivision 21; 256B.0757, subdivision 4c; 256B.0949, subdivisions 2, 15, 16, by adding a subdivision; 256B.12; 256B.85, subdivision 12; 256I.04, subdivision 2a; 260E.14, subdivision 1; 268.19, subdivision 1; 268B.30; 270C.445, subdivision 3; 297I.11, subdivision 2; 299C.40, subdivision 1; 325F.725; 609.531, subdivision 1; 626.05, subdivision 2; 626.5572, subdivision 13; 626.84, subdivision 1; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapters 13; 245A; 254B; 299C; 609; repealing Minnesota Statutes 2024, sections 45.0135, subdivisions 2a, 2c, 2d, 2e, 2f, 3, 4, 5; 245G.01, subdivision 20d; 245G.07, subdivision 2; 254B.01, subdivision 5; 254B.04, subdivision 2a; 325E.21, subdivision 2b.

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

Backer introduced:

H. F. No. 2604, A bill for an act relating to human services; establishing a medical assistance capitation payment withhold related to verification of coverage; amending Minnesota Statutes 2024, section 256B.69, subdivision 5a.

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

Olson introduced:

H. F. No. 2605, A bill for an act relating to transportation; driver and vehicle services; establishing a full-service provider account; modifying fee distributions; amending Minnesota Statutes 2024, sections 168.33, subdivision 7; 171.06, subdivision 2; 299A.705, by adding a subdivision.

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

Olson introduced:

H. F. No. 2606, A bill for an act relating to transportation; exempting the delivery of liquid fuels from the retail delivery fee; amending Minnesota Statutes 2024, sections 168E.01, by adding a subdivision; 168E.05, subdivision 1.

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

Huot and Perryman introduced:

H. F. No. 2607, A bill for an act relating to commerce; requiring insurers to provide a copy of a current policy to the insured; amending Minnesota Statutes 2024, section 72A.20, by adding a subdivision.

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

Perryman and O'Driscoll introduced:

H. F. No. 2608, A bill for an act relating to commerce; prohibiting a public adjuster from appearing as an advocate in any action or proceeding; amending Minnesota Statutes 2024, section 72B.135, subdivision 4.

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

Anderson, P. H., introduced:

H. F. No. 2609, A bill for an act relating to state government; requiring that one-half of an agency's advertising expenses be paid to local news organizations; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 15.

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

Rarick and Hanson, J., introduced:

H. F. No. 2610, A bill for an act relating to higher education; permitting cybersecurity to be offered as an applied doctoral degree; amending Minnesota Statutes 2024, section 135A.052, subdivision 1.

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

Gordon introduced:

H. F. No. 2611, A bill for an act relating to capital investment; appropriating money for a regional shelter facility in the city of Cambridge.

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

Murphy introduced:

H. F. No. 2612, A bill for an act relating to transportation; appropriating money for the construction of improvements along Trunk Highway 210 in Otter Tail County; authorizing the sale and issuance of state bonds.

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

Anderson, P. H.; Harder; Burkel and Davids introduced:

H. F. No. 2613, A bill for an act relating to natural resources; allowing transfer of unused water-use permit gallons; allowing irrigators to use excess water in drought conditions; allowing additional water use for cover crops; amending Minnesota Statutes 2024, section 103G.271, subdivision 7, by adding a subdivision; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 103G.

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

Mekeland introduced:

H. F. No. 2614, A bill for an act relating to local government; prohibiting certain governing bodies from requiring or incentivizing creation of homeowners associations; prohibiting certain governing bodies from requiring terms not required under state law in homeowners association documents; amending Minnesota Statutes 2024, section 394.25, by adding a subdivision; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 462.

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

Murphy introduced:

H. F. No. 2615, A bill for an act relating to transportation; extending driver's license expiration dates to every eight years; increasing fees; amending Minnesota Statutes 2024, sections 171.02, subdivision 3; 171.06, subdivisions 2, 2a; 171.061, subdivision 4; 171.07, subdivision 4; 171.071, subdivision 4; 171.27.

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

Momanyi-Hiltsley introduced:

H. F. No. 2616, A bill for an act relating to workforce development; appropriating money for a grant to Equitable Development Action for training and support of direct support professionals.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Workforce, Labor, and Economic Development Finance and Policy.

Coulter, Nadeau and Kotyza-Witthuhn introduced:

H. F. No. 2617, A bill for an act relating to child care; modifying child care conditional license requirements; directing the commissioner to create standardized visit time lines and requirements; amending the definition of education; creating a background study liaison; appropriating money; amending Minnesota Statutes 2024, section 142B.16, subdivision 1.

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

Bahner, Mekeland, Howard, Igo, Moller, Bierman, Hemmingsen-Jaeger, Virnig, West and Jones introduced:

H. F. No. 2618, A bill for an act relating to housing; requiring plain-language explanations for condo associations and homeowners associations; appropriating money for the creation of a guide to explain the laws governing common interest communities and homeowners associations; amending Minnesota Statutes 2024, sections 515B.4-102; 515B.4-1021; 515B.4-107; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 515B.

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

Lee, K., introduced:

H. F. No. 2619, A bill for an act relating to housing; authorizing the issuance of housing infrastructure bonds to finance a grant to Face to Face Health and Counseling Services, Inc.; appropriating money; amending Minnesota Statutes 2024, section 462A.37, subdivision 5, by adding a subdivision.

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

Finke, Fischer and Jordan introduced:

H. F. No. 2620, A bill for an act relating to natural resources; appropriating money for emerald ash borer response and community tree-planting grants.

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

Finke, Pursell, Jordan, Gottfried and Hansen, R., introduced:

H. F. No. 2621, A bill for an act relating to natural resources; appropriating money for community tree-planting grants.

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

Momanyi-Hiltsley and Noor introduced:

H. F. No. 2622, A bill for an act relating to human services; repealing customized living rate phase-in under the community access for disability inclusion and the brain injury home and community-based waivers; repealing Minnesota Statutes 2024, section 256S.2101, subdivision 1.

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

Frazier introduced:

H. F. No. 2623, A bill for an act relating to workforce development; appropriating money to Bolder Options for youth programming.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Workforce, Labor, and Economic Development Finance and Policy.

Bierman introduced:

H. F. No. 2624, A bill for an act relating to state government; changing provisions in the prescription monitoring program; amending Minnesota Statutes 2024, section 152.126, subdivisions 1, 1a, 2, 4, 5, 6, 11.

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

Rehrauer introduced:

H. F. No. 2625, A bill for an act relating to public safety; specifying conditions in which a missing person may be considered to be endangered; requiring the commissioner of public safety to establish policies and protocols for issuing alerts to the public regarding missing and endangered persons; establishing the Public and Local Alert Advisory Board; amending Minnesota Statutes 2024, sections 299C.52, subdivision 1; 299C.53, by adding a subdivision; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 299C.

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

Bahner and Reyer introduced:

H. F. No. 2626, A bill for an act relating to health; appropriating money for community solutions for healthy child development grants.

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

Norris, Engen, Backer, Finke, Falconer and Curran introduced:

H. F. No. 2627, A bill for an act relating to commerce; prohibiting pet shops from selling cats and dogs; amending Minnesota Statutes 2024, sections 325F.79; 325F.791, subdivisions 1, 5; 325F.792, subdivision 2; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 325F.

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

Lillie and Fischer introduced:

H. F. No. 2628, A bill for an act relating to human services; appropriating money to Catholic Charities of St. Paul and Minneapolis for its operation of the homeless elders program.

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