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Senate Chambers  
State Capitol

Senate convened at 1:01 p.m. President Essmann presiding. Invocation by Father Jerry Lowney. Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag.

Roll Call. All members present. Quorum present.

Correctly printed: **SB 260, SB 396, SB 397, SB 398, SB 399, SR 14, SR 20, SR 26, HB 168, HB 189, HB 274, HB 314, HB 323, HB 562, HJR 12.**

Correctly engrossed: **HB 187.**

Correctly enrolled: **SB 24, SB 67, SB 76, SB 103, SB 105, SB 181, SB 189.**

Transmitted to the House: **HB 72, HB 79, HB 91, HB 105, HB 125, HB 247.**

Signed by the Secretary of the Senate at 10:25 a.m., March 22, 2013: **SB 33, SB 57, SB 63, SB 70, SB 99, SB 132, SB 267, SB 326, SR 21.**

Signed by the President at 12:11 p.m., March 22, 2013: **SB 33, SB 57, SB 63, SB 70, SB 99, SB 132, SB 267, SB 326, SR 21.**

Signed by the Speaker at 7:45 a.m., March 22, 2013: **SB 2, SB 34, SB 40, SB 49, SB 93, SB 146, SB 225, SB 266, SB 291, SB 343, SB 356.**

Delivered to the Governor at 11:16 a.m., March 22, 2013: **SB 2, SB 34, SB 40, SB 49, SB 93, SB 146, SB 225, SB 266, SB 291, SB 343, SB 356.**

Delivered to the Secretary of State at 9:12 a.m., March 22, 2013: **SR 8, SR 15, SR 16.**

Delivered to the Secretary of State at 4:15 p.m., March 22, 2013: **SR 21.**

**REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES**

**AGRICULTURE, LIVESTOCK AND IRRIGATION** (T. Brown, Chair): 3/21/2013  
**HB 322**, be concurred in. Report adopted.  
**HB 502**, be concurred in. Report adopted.

**BUSINESS, LABOR, AND ECONOMIC AFFAIRS** (Sonju, Chair): 3/21/2013  
**HB 455**, be concurred in. Report adopted.

**BUSINESS, LABOR, AND ECONOMIC AFFAIRS** (Sonju, Chair): 3/22/2013  
**SR 35, preliminary report**, be adopted. Report adopted.  
**SR 36, preliminary report**, be adopted. Report adopted.  
**SR 37, preliminary report**, be adopted. Report adopted.  
**SR 38, preliminary report**, be adopted. Report adopted.  
**SR 39, preliminary report**, be adopted. Report adopted.  
**HB 127**, be concurred in. Report adopted.  
**HB 402**, be concurred in. Report adopted.

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**HB 462**, be concurred in. Report adopted.

**FISH AND GAME** (Brenden, Chair): 3/21/2013  
**SR 28**, be adopted. Report adopted.

**HIGHWAYS AND TRANSPORTATION** (Arntzen, Chair): 3/21/2013  
**HB 508**, be concurred in. Report adopted.

**MESSAGES FROM THE OTHER HOUSE**

**Senate bills** concurred in and returned to the Senate: 3/21/2013

**SB 24**, introduced by Rosendale  
**SB 67**, introduced by Van Dyk  
**SB 76**, introduced by Vincent  
**SB 103**, introduced by Webb  
**SB 105**, introduced by T. Brown  
**SB 181**, introduced by Caferro

**Senate bills** concurred in as amended and returned to the Senate for concurrence in House amendments: 3/21/2013

**SB 26**, introduced by Jergeson  
**SB 148**, introduced by L. Jones

**MOTIONS**

Senator Keane rose on a point of personal privilege to inquire about bills not moving forward in anticipation of approaching deadlines. President Essmann reported he will shortly be assigning bills to committee.

Senator Jergeson rose to clarify that Senator Keane's question related to bills that have been reported out of committee but not yet scheduled for second reading.

Senator Wittich moved **HB 129** be re-referred to the Judiciary committee. Motion **failed** as follows:

Yeas: Arntzen, Arthun, Barrett Debby, Boulanger, Brenden, D. Brown, Fielder, Jackson, Lewis, Moore, Murphy, Olson, Priest, Ripley, Rosendale, Sales, Sonju, Taylor, Thomas, Tutvedt, Vincent, Walker, Webb, Wittich, Mr. President.  
Total 25

Nays: Augare, Barrett Dick, Blewett, T. Brown, Buttrey, Caferro, Driscoll, Facey, Hamlett, Jent, Jergeson, Jones, Kaufmann, Keane, Larsen, Malek, Peterson, Phillips, Sesso, Stewart-Peregoy, Tropila, Van Dyk, Vuckovich, Wanzenried, Windy Boy.

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Total 25

Absent or not voting: None.

Total 0

Excused: None.

Total 0

Senator Peterson moved that **SB 375** be taken from Judiciary and brought before the Committee of the Whole on Monday, March 25, 2013, the sixty-fourth legislative day. Motion carried as follows:

Yeas: Arthun, Augare, Barrett Dick, Blewett, T. Brown, Buttrey, Caferro, Driscoll, Facey, Hamlett, Jent, Jergeson, Jones, Kaufmann, Keane, Larsen, Malek, Olson, Peterson, Phillips, Ripley, Sesso, Stewart-Peregoy, Tropila, Tutvedt, Van Dyk, Vuckovich, Wanzenried, Windy Boy.

Total 29

Nays: Arntzen, Barrett Debby, Boulanger, Brenden, D. Brown, Fielder, Jackson, Lewis, Moore, Murphy, Priest, Rosendale, Sales, Sonju, Taylor, Thomas, Vincent, Walker, Webb, Wittich, Mr. President.

Total 21

Absent or not voting: None.

Total 0

Excused: None.

Total 0

Senator Keane moved that **HB 210** be taken from Finance and Claims and brought before the Committee of the Whole on Monday, March 25, 2013, the sixty-fourth legislative day. Senator Wittich informed the body that **HB 210** was scheduled for second reading tomorrow, Saturday, March 23, 2013. Senator Keane withdrew his motion.

**FIRST READING AND COMMITMENT OF BILLS**

The following Senate bills were introduced, read first time, and referred to committees:

**SB 400**, introduced by Arntzen, referred to Business, Labor, and Economic Affairs.

**SB 401**, introduced by Sesso, referred to Natural Resources.

**SB 402**, introduced by Van Dyk, T. Brown, F. Moore, referred to Fish and Game.

The following Senate resolutions were introduced, read first time, and referred to committees:

**SR 40**, introduced by Vincent (by request of the Senate Natural Resources Standing Committee), referred to Natural Resources.

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**SR 41**, introduced by Vincent (by request of the Senate Natural Resources Standing Committee), referred to Natural Resources.

The following House joint resolution was introduced, read first time, and referred to committee:

**HJR 17**, introduced by Gibson, referred to State Administration.

**SECOND READING OF BILLS  
(COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE)**

Senator Wittich moved the Senate resolve itself into a Committee of the Whole for consideration of business on second reading. Motion carried. Senator Thomas in the chair.

Mr. President: We, your Committee of the Whole, having had under consideration business on second reading, recommend as follows:

Senator Olson excused at this time.

**HB 162** - Senator F. Moore moved consideration of **HB 162** be passed for the day. Without objection, so ordered.

**HB 510** - Senator Murphy moved **HB 510** be concurred in. Motion carried as follows:

Yeas: Arntzen, Arthun, Augare, Barrett Debby, Barrett Dick, Blewett, Boulanger, Brenden, D. Brown, T. Brown, Buttrey, Caferro, Driscoll, Facey, Fielder, Hamlett, Jackson, Jent, Jergeson, Jones, Kaufmann, Keane, Larsen, Lewis, Malek, Moore, Murphy, Peterson, Phillips, Priest, Ripley, Rosendale, Sales, Sesso, Sonju, Stewart-Peregoy, Taylor, Thomas, Tropila, Tutvedt, Van Dyk, Vincent, Vuckovich, Walker, Wanzenried, Webb, Windy Boy, Wittich, Mr. President.  
Total 49

Nays: None.  
Total 0

Absent or not voting: None.  
Total 0

Excused: Olson.  
Total 1

**HB 184** - Senator Arntzen moved consideration of **HB 184** be passed for the day. Without objection, so ordered.

**HB 7** - Senator Sesso moved **HB 7** be concurred in. Motion carried as follows:

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Yeas: Arntzen, Arthun, Augare, Barrett Debby, Barrett Dick, Blewett, Brenden, D. Brown, T. Brown, Buttrey, Caferro, Driscoll, Facey, Fielder, Hamlett, Jackson, Jent, Jergeson, Jones, Kaufmann, Keane, Larsen, Lewis, Malek, Moore, Murphy, Peterson, Phillips, Priest, Ripley, Rosendale, Sesso, Stewart-Peregoy, Taylor, Thomas, Tropila, Tutvedt, Van Dyk, Vincent, Vuckovich, Walker, Wanzenried, Windy Boy.  
Total 43

Nays: Boulanger, Sales, Sonju, Webb, Wittich, Mr. President.  
Total 6

Absent or not voting: None.  
Total 0

Excused: Olson.  
Total 1

**HB 8** - Senator Brenden moved **HB 8** be concurred in. Motion carried as follows:

Yeas: Arntzen, Arthun, Augare, Barrett Debby, Barrett Dick, Blewett, Boulanger, Brenden, D. Brown, T. Brown, Buttrey, Caferro, Driscoll, Facey, Fielder, Hamlett, Jackson, Jent, Jergeson, Jones, Kaufmann, Keane, Larsen, Lewis, Malek, Moore, Murphy, Peterson, Phillips, Priest, Ripley, Rosendale, Sesso, Sonju, Stewart-Peregoy, Taylor, Thomas, Tropila, Tutvedt, Van Dyk, Vincent, Vuckovich, Wanzenried, Webb, Windy Boy, Mr. President.  
Total 46

Nays: Sales, Walker, Wittich.  
Total 3

Absent or not voting: None.  
Total 0

Excused: Olson.  
Total 1

**HB 304** - Senator Vincent moved **HB 304** be concurred in. Motion carried as follows:

Yeas: Arntzen, Arthun, Barrett Debby, Boulanger, Brenden, D. Brown, T. Brown, Buttrey, Fielder, Hamlett, Jackson, Jones, Lewis, Moore, Murphy, Peterson, Priest, Ripley, Rosendale, Sales, Sonju, Taylor, Thomas, Vincent, Walker, Webb, Wittich, Mr. President.  
Total 28

Nays: Augare, Barrett Dick, Blewett, Caferro, Driscoll, Facey, Jent, Jergeson, Kaufmann, Keane, Larsen, Malek, Phillips, Sesso, Stewart-Peregoy, Tropila, Tutvedt, Van Dyk, Vuckovich, Wanzenried, Windy Boy.  
Total 21

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Absent or not voting: None.

Total 0

Excused: Olson.

Total 1

Senator Olson present at this time.

**HB 335** - Senator Jent moved **HB 335** be concurred in. Motion carried as follows:

Yeas: Arntzen, Arthun, Augare, Barrett Debby, Barrett Dick, Blewett, Boulanger, Brenden, D. Brown, T. Brown, Buttrey, Caferro, Driscoll, Facey, Fielder, Hamlett, Jackson, Jent, Jergeson, Jones, Kaufmann, Keane, Larsen, Lewis, Malek, Moore, Murphy, Olson, Peterson, Phillips, Priest, Ripley, Rosendale, Sales, Sesso, Sonju, Stewart-Peregoy, Taylor, Thomas, Tropila, Tutvedt, Van Dyk, Vincent, Vuckovich, Walker, Wanzenried, Webb, Windy Boy, Wittich, Mr. President.

Total 50

Nays: None.

Total 0

Absent or not voting: None.

Total 0

Excused: None.

Total 0

**HB 485** - Senator Blewett moved consideration of **HB 485** be placed at the bottom of the second reading board. Without objection, so ordered.

**HB 146** - Senator Tutvedt moved consideration of **HB 146** be placed at the bottom of the second reading board. Without objection, so ordered.

**HB 37** - Senator Keane moved **HB 37** be concurred in. Motion carried as follows:

Yeas: Arntzen, Barrett Debby, Boulanger, Brenden, D. Brown, T. Brown, Buttrey, Fielder, Jackson, Jent, Jergeson, Jones, Keane, Larsen, Lewis, Moore, Murphy, Olson, Peterson, Priest, Ripley, Rosendale, Sales, Sesso, Sonju, Taylor, Thomas, Tutvedt, Vincent, Vuckovich, Walker, Webb, Wittich, Mr. President.

Total 34

Nays: Arthun, Augare, Barrett Dick, Blewett, Caferro, Driscoll, Facey, Hamlett, Kaufmann, Malek, Phillips, Stewart-Peregoy, Tropila, Van Dyk, Wanzenried, Windy Boy.

Total 16

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Absent or not voting: None.

Total 0

Excused: None.

Total 0

**HJR 3** - Senator Jackson moved **HJR 3** be concurred in. Motion carried as follows:

Yeas: Arntzen, Arthun, Barrett Debby, Boulanger, D. Brown, T. Brown, Fielder, Jackson, Jones, Lewis, Moore, Murphy, Olson, Peterson, Priest, Ripley, Rosendale, Sales, Sonju, Taylor, Thomas, Tutvedt, Vincent, Walker, Webb, Wittich, Mr. President.

Total 27

Nays: Augare, Barrett Dick, Blewett, Brenden, Buttrey, Caferro, Driscoll, Facey, Hamlett, Jent, Jergeson, Kaufmann, Keane, Larsen, Malek, Phillips, Sesso, Stewart-Peregoy, Tropila, Van Dyk, Vuckovich, Wanzenried, Windy Boy.

Total 23

Absent or not voting: None.

Total 0

Excused: None.

Total 0

**HB 277** - Senator Sales moved **HB 277** be concurred in.

**HB 277** - Senator Blewett moved **HB 277**, second reading copy, be amended as follows:

1. Page 1, line 25 through line 26.

**Strike:** subsection (b) in its entirety

**Insert:** "(b) 16 or more years in any 24-year period as a state legislator, whether as a state representative or as a state senator, or both;"

Amendment **not** adopted as follows:

Yeas: Blewett, Facey, Jent, Jergeson, Kaufmann, Larsen, Malek, Tropila, Van Dyk, Wanzenried.

Total 10

Nays: Arntzen, Arthun, Augare, Barrett Debby, Barrett Dick, Boulanger, Brenden, D. Brown, T. Brown, Buttrey, Caferro, Driscoll, Fielder, Hamlett, Jackson, Jones, Keane, Lewis, Moore, Murphy, Olson, Peterson, Phillips, Priest, Ripley, Rosendale, Sales, Sesso, Sonju, Stewart-Peregoy, Taylor, Thomas, Tutvedt, Vincent, Vuckovich, Walker, Webb, Windy Boy, Wittich, Mr. President.

Total 40

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Absent or not voting: None.

Total 0

Excused: None.

Total 0

**HB 277** - Thereupon, the Senate reverted to the original motion of Senator Sales which passed as follows:

Yeas: Arntzen, Arthun, Augare, Barrett Debby, Barrett Dick, Blewett, Boulanger, Brenden, D. Brown, T. Brown, Buttrey, Caferro, Driscoll, Facey, Hamlett, Jackson, Keane, Larsen, Lewis, Moore, Murphy, Olson, Peterson, Phillips, Ripley, Sales, Sesso, Sonju, Stewart-Peregoy, Taylor, Tutvedt, Van Dyk, Vincent, Vuckovich, Webb, Windy Boy, Mr. President.

Total 37

Nays: Fielder, Jent, Jergeson, Jones, Kaufmann, Malek, Priest, Rosendale, Thomas, Tropila, Walker, Wanzenried, Wittich.

Total 13

Absent or not voting: None.

Total 0

Excused: None.

Total 0

Senator Wittich moved the committee **rise and report**. Motion carried. Committee arose. Senate resumed. President Essmann presiding. Chair Thomas moved the Committee of the Whole report be adopted. Report adopted as follows:

Yeas: Arntzen, Arthun, Augare, Barrett Debby, Barrett Dick, Blewett, Boulanger, Brenden, D. Brown, T. Brown, Buttrey, Caferro, Driscoll, Facey, Fielder, Hamlett, Jackson, Jent, Jergeson, Jones, Kaufmann, Keane, Larsen, Lewis, Malek, Moore, Murphy, Olson, Peterson, Priest, Ripley, Sales, Sesso, Sonju, Stewart-Peregoy, Taylor, Thomas, Tutvedt, Van Dyk, Vincent, Vuckovich, Walker, Windy Boy, Wittich, Mr. President.

Total 45

Nays: Phillips, Rosendale, Tropila, Wanzenried, Webb.

Total 5

Absent or not voting: None.

Total 0

Excused: None.

Total 0



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**THIRD READING OF BILLS**

The following bills having been read three several times, title and history agreed to, were disposed of in the following manner:

**HJR 12** concurred in as follows:

Yeas: Arntzen, Arthun, Augare, Barrett Debby, Barrett Dick, Blewett, Boulanger, Brenden, D. Brown, T. Brown, Buttrey, Caferro, Driscoll, Facey, Fielder, Hamlett, Jackson, Jent, Jergeson, Jones, Kaufmann, Keane, Larsen, Lewis, Malek, Moore, Murphy, Olson, Peterson, Phillips, Priest, Ripley, Rosendale, Sales, Sesso, Sonju, Stewart-Peregoy, Taylor, Thomas, Tropila, Tutvedt, Van Dyk, Vincent, Vuckovich, Walker, Wanzenried, Webb, Windy Boy, Wittich, Mr. President.

Total 50

Nays: None.

Total 0

Absent or not voting: None.

Total 0

Excused: None.

Total 0

**HB 274** concurred in as follows:

Yeas: Arntzen, Arthun, Barrett Debby, Boulanger, Brenden, D. Brown, T. Brown, Buttrey, Fielder, Hamlett, Jackson, Jent, Lewis, Malek, Moore, Murphy, Olson, Peterson, Phillips, Priest, Ripley, Rosendale, Sales, Sonju, Taylor, Thomas, Tutvedt, Vincent, Walker, Webb, Windy Boy, Wittich, Mr. President.

Total 33

Nays: Augare, Barrett Dick, Blewett, Caferro, Driscoll, Facey, Jergeson, Jones, Kaufmann, Keane, Larsen, Sesso, Stewart-Peregoy, Tropila, Van Dyk, Vuckovich, Wanzenried.

Total 17

Absent or not voting: None.

Total 0

Excused: None.

Total 0

**SB 260** passed as follows:

Yeas: Arntzen, Arthun, Barrett Debby, Boulanger, Brenden, D. Brown, T. Brown, Buttrey,

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Fielder, Jackson, Jent, Jergeson, Jones, Lewis, Moore, Murphy, Olson, Peterson, Priest, Ripley, Rosendale, Sales, Sonju, Taylor, Thomas, Tutvedt, Vincent, Walker, Webb, Windy Boy, Wittich, Mr. President.

Total 32

Nays: Augare, Barrett Dick, Blewett, Caferro, Driscoll, Facey, Hamlett, Kaufmann, Keane, Larsen, Malek, Phillips, Sesso, Stewart-Peregoy, Tropila, Van Dyk, Vuckovich, Wanzenried.

Total 18

Absent or not voting: None.

Total 0

Excused: None.

Total 0

**HB 168** concurred in as follows:

Yeas: Arntzen, Arthun, Augare, Barrett Debby, Barrett Dick, Blewett, Boulanger, Brenden, D. Brown, T. Brown, Buttrey, Caferro, Facey, Fielder, Hamlett, Jackson, Jent, Jergeson, Jones, Kaufmann, Keane, Larsen, Lewis, Malek, Moore, Murphy, Olson, Peterson, Phillips, Priest, Ripley, Rosendale, Sales, Sesso, Sonju, Taylor, Thomas, Tropila, Tutvedt, Van Dyk, Vincent, Vuckovich, Walker, Wanzenried, Webb, Windy Boy, Wittich, Mr. President.

Total 48

Nays: Driscoll, Stewart-Peregoy.

Total 2

Absent or not voting: None.

Total 0

Excused: None.

Total 0

**SB 139, as amended by the House**, passed as follows:

Yeas: Arntzen, Arthun, Augare, Barrett Debby, Boulanger, Brenden, D. Brown, T. Brown, Buttrey, Caferro, Driscoll, Facey, Fielder, Hamlett, Jackson, Jent, Jergeson, Jones, Keane, Larsen, Lewis, Malek, Moore, Murphy, Olson, Peterson, Priest, Ripley, Rosendale, Sales, Sesso, Sonju, Stewart-Peregoy, Taylor, Thomas, Tropila, Tutvedt, Van Dyk, Vincent, Vuckovich, Walker, Wanzenried, Webb, Windy Boy, Wittich, Mr. President.

Total 46

Nays: Barrett Dick, Blewett, Kaufmann, Phillips.

Total 4

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Absent or not voting: None.

Total 0

Excused: None.

Total 0

**SB 319, as amended by the House**, passed as follows:

Yeas: Arntzen, Arthun, Augare, Barrett Debby, Barrett Dick, Blewett, Boulanger, Brenden, D. Brown, T. Brown, Buttrey, Caferro, Driscoll, Facey, Fielder, Hamlett, Jackson, Jent, Jergeson, Jones, Kaufmann, Keane, Larsen, Lewis, Malek, Moore, Murphy, Olson, Peterson, Phillips, Priest, Ripley, Rosendale, Sales, Sesso, Sonju, Stewart-Peregoy, Taylor, Thomas, Tropila, Tutvedt, Van Dyk, Vincent, Vuckovich, Walker, Wanzonried, Webb, Windy Boy, Wittich, Mr. President.

Total 50

Nays: None.

Total 0

Absent or not voting: None.

Total 0

Excused: None.

Total 0

**SPECIAL ORDERS OF THE DAY**

Senator Taylor thanked this week's pages for their service.

**SR 14** - Senator Taylor Brown moved that the nomination transmitted by the Governor be confirmed by the Senate in accordance with **SR 14**. Motion carried as follows:

Yeas: Arntzen, Arthun, Augare, Barrett Debby, Barrett Dick, Blewett, Boulanger, Brenden, D. Brown, T. Brown, Buttrey, Caferro, Driscoll, Facey, Fielder, Hamlett, Jackson, Jent, Jergeson, Jones, Kaufmann, Keane, Larsen, Lewis, Malek, Moore, Murphy, Olson, Peterson, Phillips, Priest, Ripley, Rosendale, Sales, Sesso, Sonju, Stewart-Peregoy, Taylor, Thomas, Tropila, Tutvedt, Van Dyk, Vincent, Vuckovich, Walker, Wanzonried, Webb, Windy Boy, Wittich, Mr. President.

Total 50

Nays: None.

Total 0

Absent or not voting: None.

Total 0

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Excused: None.

Total 0

**SR 20** - Senator Tutvedt moved that the nomination transmitted by the Governor be confirmed by the Senate in accordance with **SR 20**. Motion carried as follows:

Yeas: Arntzen, Arthun, Augare, Barrett Debby, Barrett Dick, Blewett, Boulanger, Brenden, D. Brown, T. Brown, Buttrey, Caferro, Driscoll, Facey, Fielder, Hamlett, Jackson, Jent, Jergeson, Jones, Kaufmann, Keane, Larsen, Lewis, Malek, Moore, Murphy, Olson, Peterson, Phillips, Priest, Ripley, Rosendale, Sales, Sesso, Sonju, Stewart-Peregoy, Taylor, Thomas, Tropila, Tutvedt, Van Dyk, Vincent, Vuckovich, Walker, Wanzenried, Webb, Windy Boy, Wittich, Mr. President.

Total 50

Nays: None.

Total 0

Absent or not voting: None.

Total 0

Excused: None.

Total 0

**SR 26** - Senator Ripley moved that the nomination transmitted by the Governor be confirmed by the Senate in accordance with **SR 26**. Motion carried as follows:

Yeas: Arntzen, Arthun, Augare, Barrett Debby, Barrett Dick, Blewett, Boulanger, Brenden, D. Brown, T. Brown, Buttrey, Caferro, Driscoll, Facey, Fielder, Hamlett, Jackson, Jent, Jergeson, Jones, Kaufmann, Keane, Larsen, Lewis, Malek, Moore, Murphy, Olson, Peterson, Phillips, Priest, Ripley, Rosendale, Sales, Sesso, Sonju, Stewart-Peregoy, Taylor, Thomas, Tropila, Tutvedt, Van Dyk, Vincent, Vuckovich, Walker, Wanzenried, Webb, Windy Boy, Wittich, Mr. President.

Total 50

Nays: None.

Total 0

Absent or not voting: None.

Total 0

Excused: None.

Total 0

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**MOTIONS**

Senator Caferro moved the Senate reconsider its action to indefinitely postpone **SB 254**.

Motion **failed** as follows:

Yeas: Arntzen, Augare, Boulanger, Brenden, D. Brown, T. Brown, Buttrey, Caferro, Fielder, Jones, Kaufmann, Ripley, Rosendale, Sales, Sonju, Stewart-Peregoy, Taylor, Thomas, Webb, Windy Boy, Wittich, Mr. President.

Total 22

Nays: Arthun, Barrett Debby, Barrett Dick, Blewett, Driscoll, Facey, Hamlett, Jackson, Jent, Jergeson, Keane, Larsen, Lewis, Malek, Moore, Murphy, Olson, Peterson, Phillips, Priest, Sesso, Tropila, Tutvedt, Van Dyk, Vincent, Vuckovich, Walker, Wanzneried.

Total 28

Absent or not voting: None.

Total 0

Excused: None.

Total 0

**ANNOUNCEMENTS**

Committee meetings were announced by the committee chairs.

Majority Leader Wittich moved that the Senate adjourn until 8:00 a.m., Saturday, March 23, 2013, the sixty-third legislative day. Motion carried.

Senate adjourned at 3:40 p.m.

MARILYN MILLER  
Secretary of the Senate

JEFF ESSMANN  
President of the Senate