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AROUND THE CAPITOL

The House and Senate both debated short calendars today and passed out most of the bills on a unanimous basis. The House introduced bills throughout the day and introduced 20 files and nine study bills after only introducing four bills yesterday. The Senate introduced sixteen files and study bills.

The House approved [HJR 3](#) **GUBERNATORIAL SUCCESSION** on an 81-18 vote because some representatives wanted more details on the succession process for Lieutenant Governor.

The Senate passed [SF 181](#) **RESIDENTIAL VALUATIONS/TAX MATTERS** on a 49-0 vote, with an amendment from Senator Dawson. The bill will exclude some properties from being valued as residential property in order to reduce the rollback 54.65%. Without the bill, local property taxes could go up by \$130 million or more. Senator Dawson added language to the bill to delay the deadline for certifying local budgets to April 30.

The Senate rejected an amendment from Senator Jochum and Senator Boulton on a 32-17 vote. The amendment directed the DOR to pay a supplement to local governments, based on the amount of revenue they will forgo due to the lower rollback. Senator De Witt voted with the Democrats in support of the amendment.

Senator Jochum said that the problems were created by state government and amendment was needed to protect local governments. She said her amendment protects public safety spending because that is the biggest line item for local governments. Senator Dawson said that local governments will have time to adjust their spending and said that they can find other areas to cut than public safety if cuts are needed.

The Senate also approved [SF 153](#) **SINGLE TRIP EXEMPTIONS** and [SF 154](#) **HYDRO EXCAVATION EQUIPMENT**. The House Transportation Committee approved companion bills today ([HSB 46](#) and [HSB 36](#)); those bills should be out as successors later this week, or early next week.

The Senate Education Committee approved [SF 192](#) **3% SSA/CATEGORICAL RATE** and amended the bill to now set an SSA and a Categorical Growth rate of 3% for the 2023-24 school year. The full Senate is scheduled to take the bill up for debate on Thursday. The House put out a longer debate calendar but has not included [HF 171](#) **3% SSA/CATEGORICAL RATE** among the bills to be debated on Thursday. The House Appropriations Committee approved the bill today on a 16-9 vote, after the bill was approved last night by the House Education Committee.

The Volunteer Firefighters held their annual Chili cook-off contest at the Capitol today, a fine cold day for hot chili. This year's winner was cooked by volunteers from the Dunkerton and Jesup fire departments.

TODAY IN THE LEGISLATURE

Bills to the House: (3)

Bills to the Senate: (6)

House Files: 20 (HF 164 - HF 183)

House Study Bills: 8 (HSB 120 - HSB 127)

Resolutions ADOPTED by the House: (1)

HJR 3 GUBERNATORIAL SUCCESSION

Proposes a constitutional amendment to establish the process for the succession of a governor in the case of death or disability. Deems the position of lieutenant governor to be vacant for the rest of the term if the lieutenant governor becomes governor due to death or resignation of the governor.

The **House ADOPTED** the Resolution 81-18; it now GOEs to the **Senate**

Senate Files: 11 (SF 183 - SF 193)

Senate Study Bills: 5 (SSB 1118 - SSB 1122)

Resolutions ADOPTED by the Senate: (2)

SCR 3 LOBBYIST RULES

Adopts the joint rules for lobbyists for the 90th General Assembly.

SR 1 ETHICS RULES

Adopts the Ethics rules for the Senate for the 90th General Assembly.

HOUSE FLOOR ACTION

Bills to the Senate: (6)

HF 35 RECREATIONAL LAND & USES

Defines bicycle and includes bicycle riding as a recreational use on private land available for public recreation. Includes a privately-owned RR right-of-way that is part of a trail as private land for public recreation.

The **House PASSED** the bill 99-0; it now GOES to the **Senate**

HF 128 CONTROLLED SUBSTANCES

Makes changes to the controlled substance schedules under the Uniform Controlled Substance Act. Effective on enactment.

The **House PASSED** the bill 99-0; it now GOES to the **Senate**

HF 133 VOLUNTARY DEBT CANCELLATION NOTICE

Deems that the only obligation of a financial institution which purchases a car payment contract with voluntary debt cancellation is to notify the vehicle dealer within 30 days of the payment in full of the contract. Requires the dealer to determine whether the consumer is entitled to a refund and to issue it within 60 days.

The **House PASSED** the bill 99-0; it now GOES to the **Senate**

HOUSE FLOOR ACTION (CONTINUED)

Bills to the **Senate**: (continued)

HF 137 MOVEABLE SALONS

Expands the definition of salon to include locations that are readily mobile.

The **House PASSED** the bill 99-0; it now GOES to the **Senate**

HF 138 PROTECTION OCCUPATION WORKERS

Adds additional peace officers and fire fighters to the protection occupation category of IPERS. Reclassifies prior service. Effective on enactment.

The **House PASSED** the bill 99-0; it now GOES to the **Senate**

HF 142 VETERANS TRUST SPENDING

Increases the amount that can be used from the Veterans Trust to \$800,000 when the balance in the trust is below \$50 million.

The **House PASSED** the bill 99-0; it now GOES to the **Senate**

SENATE FLOOR ACTION

Bills to the **House**: (3)

SF 153 SINGLE TRIP EXEMPTIONS

Allows the DOT or the authority that issues a single-trip permit to include exemptions for per-axle load limits.

The **Senate PASSED** the bill 49-0; it now GOES to the **House**

SF 154 HYDRO EXCAVATION EQUIPMENT

Adds specified hydro-excavation equipment to the list of vehicles exempt from size, weight, load and permit requirements.

The **Senate PASSED** the bill 48-1; it now GOES to the **House**

SF 181 RESIDENTIAL VALUATIONS/TAX MATTERS

Excludes various properties (mobile/manufactured home parks and communities, assisted living facilities and portions of commercial properties including room for three or more dwelling units) from assessment limitations related to residential and agricultural property. Includes implementing provisions for the DOR certifying various information to auditors and for auditors to make revisions. **Childcare Credit**: Specifies that the employer childcare credit can be used against the individual or corporate income tax, franchise/money and credits tax and insurance premiums tax. **Withholding**: Specifies that withholding is not required for retirement income that is not taxed.

S 3008 by **Jochum & Boulton** - Appropriates a supplement to cover any lost revenue to local governments. **FAILED**, 32-17

S 3007 by **Dawson** - Extends the deadline for budget certification to April 30. **ADOPTED**

The **Senate PASSED** the bill as amended 49-0; it now GOES to the **House**

HOUSE COMMITTEE ACTION

House Appropriations Committee: Voted Out (1)

[HF 171](#) 3% SSA/CATEGORICAL RATE

Establishes an SSA and a Categorical Growth rate of 3% for the 2023-24 school year. **PASSED** 16-9

FM: *Johnson*

House Economic Growth & Technology Committee: Voted Out (1)

[HF 30](#) INNOVATIVE BUTCHERY ELIGIBILITY

Increases the number of employees a company can have and still be eligible for Innovative Butcher grants to 75 employees. **PASSED** 18-0; FM: *Ingels*

House Local Government Committee: Voted Out (1)

[HSB 19](#) VOLUNTEER LENGTH OF SERVICE

Authorizes various municipal entities that offer volunteer fire or EM services or with reserve peace officers to establish a length of service program for those providers. Requires the municipality and the head of the department to set eligibility requirements and to handle other matters. Establishes a fund under the State Fire Service & Emergency Response Council for matching grants. Requires the council to submit rules to the State Fire Marshal. Requires the Council to consult with a Firefighter association on the program. **AMENDED & PASSED** 21-0; FM: *Latham*

House Public Safety Committee: Voted Out (2)

[HF 76](#) UNLAWFUL SUBSTANCE REPORTING

Strikes certain reporting requirements for law enforcement officers to the DPH (now HHS) related to arrests for substance abuse. **PASSED** 13-8; FM: *Fisher*

[HSB 79](#) BOMBS & EXPLOSIVES

Makes it a serious misdemeanor to use fire, destructive devices or explosives recklessly to endanger property or safety. Defines detonators, explosive material, blasting agents and destructive devices. **PASSED** 21-0; FM: *Rinker*

House Transportation Committee: Voted Out (5)

[HSB 26](#) DRIVING TESTS

Allows persons who are qualified to give behind-the-wheel driving instruction but who are not licensed teachers to administer a final field driving test. **PASSED** 20-0; FM: *Wood*

[HSB 36](#) HYDRO EXCAVATION EQUIPMENT EXEMPTION

Adds specified hydro-excavation equipment to the list of vehicles exempt from size, weight, load and permit requirements. **PASSED** 20-0; FM: *Siegrist*

[HSB 46](#) SINGLE TRIP EXEMPTIONS

Allows the DOT or the authority that issues a single-trip permit to include exemptions for per-axle load limits. **PASSED** 20-0; FM: *Latham*

[HSB 84](#) RR CROSSING FINES

Doubles the fine for illegally crossing RR tracks in a quiet zone to \$520. Allows the fine to be waived if the driver successfully completes a DOT-approved driver improvement course at the driver's expense. Requires the driver to notify the clerk of courts of the intent to attend the course prior to the court date and to complete the course within 90 days of the violation to avoid the fine. **PASSED** 20-0; FM: *Wulf*

HOUSE COMMITTEE ACTION (CONTINUED)

House Transportation Committee: Voted Out (continued)

[HSB 87](#) SCENIC BYWAY FUND

Establishes a Scenic Byway enhancement fund for various improvements on scenic byways. Requires treasurers to request donations to the fund when renewing licenses. **PASSED** 20-0; *FM: Henderson*

House Ways & Means Committee: Voted Out (3)

[HSB 64](#) DRAINAGE SYSTEM EXEMPTION

Establishes a property tax exemption for a piped sewage and stormwater drainage system that is owned or operated by a public utility and offered to the public for compensation. **AMENDED & PASSED** 25-0; *FM: Harris*

[HSB 67](#) ABOVE GROUND STRUCTURES

Taxes above-ground storage tanks for flammable/combustible liquids that can be removed as real property. **AMENDED & PASSED** 19-6; *FM: Sexton*

[HSB 71](#) BEER BARREL TAX

Moves the barrel tax receipts for beer brewed at a brewpub for retail sale to the barrel tax fund. **PASSED** 25-0; *FM: Sexton*

SENATE COMMITTEE ACTION

Senate Commerce Committee: Voted Out (4)

[SSB 1021](#) BANKING POWERS

Makes changes related to the power of the Banking Superintendent to consider certain Iowa bank plans, to notice requirements and to investments in tax equity financing. **PASSED** 18-0; *FM: Rowley*

[SSB 1043](#) POWER PLANT EMISSION PLANS

Allows coal-fired power plants in Iowa to develop a multi-year, reasonably cost-effective plans on managing emissions. Strikes the current requirement for such plans and updates. Allows for the advanced review and approval of pollution and emission projects and requires rate-regulated utilities to seek such review. Effective on enactment. **PASSED** 18-0; *FM: Busselot*

[SSB 1054](#) AMUSEMENT CONCESSION PAYMENTS (now [SF 189](#))

Allows amusement concessions at a park or arcade to accept payments by credit card. **PASSED** 18-0; *FM: Busselot*

[SSB 1057](#) GROUP CAPITAL CALCULATIONS (now [SF 190](#))

Moves the filing deadline for group capital calculations by certain insurers to June 30 and strikes other filing deadlines. **PASSED** 18-0; *FM: De Witt*

Senate Education Committee: Voted Out (1)

[SSB 1081](#) 2% SSA/CATEGORICAL RATE (now [SF 192](#))

Establishes an SSA and a Categorical Growth rate of 2% for the 2023-24 school year. **AMENDED & PASSED** 11-5; *FM: Kraayenbrink* (Raises the rate to 3%.)

SENATE COMMITTEE ACTION (CONTINUED)

Senate State Government Committee: Voted Out (6)

SF 21 MOVEABLE SALONS

Expands the definition of salon to include locations that are readily mobile. **PASSED** 18-0; *FM: Cournoyer*

SF 26 OPTOMETRIST SHOTS

Allows an optometrist to give local anesthetic shots before administering other injections. **AMENDED & PASSED** 18-0; *FM: Cournoyer*

SSB 1036 PUBLIC RECORD REQUESTS

Requires the custodian of a public record, in response to a request, to promptly give contact information, a date for the record release and an estimate of reasonable costs. **AMENDED & PASSED** 18-0; *FM: Koelker*

SSB 1058 TRANSPORTING BODIES (now **SF 193**)

Requires the Board of Mortuary Science to convene a workgroup to make recommendations on allowing a funeral director to delegate the authority to an employee to transport bodies, including any needed training requirements. Requires findings by December 2023 and for the BMS to adopt rules. **AMENDED & PASSED** 18-0; *FM: Salmon* (*Strike & Replace*: Requires the Board of Mortuary Science to adopt rules to allow a funeral director to designate a person as a removal specialist who can transport a dead body without the director being present. Requires the board to consider any needed training and registration.)

SSB 1079 LAND SURVEYOR LICENSING

Retains requirements for land surveyors to have practical experience for licensing but strikes the 6-year requirement. Strikes outdated licensing provisions and updates references. Strikes the requirements for a candidate to demonstrate necessary practical experience before a licensing exam. **PASSED** 18-0; *FM: Brown*

SSB 1080 ALTERNATING PROPRIETORSHIPS (now **SF 191**)

Allows a brewer to share space with another brewer in an alternating proprietorship that if federally approved and to one Class C retail alcohol license. **PASSED** 18-0; *FM: Koelker*

Senate Technology Committee: Voted Out (3)

SF 46 CYBER SECURITY

Includes cyber security protections as an essential corporate/county purpose. Defines cyber security events. **PASSED** 12-0; *FM: Webster*

SSB 1070 TECHNOLOGICAL STALKING

Makes all stalking offenses using technological devices a Class C felony. Makes definitions. Establishes a rebuttable presumption that a person convicted on stalking with a technological device should not be released on bail while awaiting judgement. **PASSED** 12-0; *FM: Cournoyer*

SSB 1072 RANSOMWARE ATTACKS

Establishes penalties for ransomware attacks: Aggravated Misdemeanor (under \$10,000 in damages); Class D Felony (\$10,000 to \$50,000); Class C (over \$50,000). Defines ransomware and what constitutes such attacks. **PASSED** 12-0; *FM: Cournoyer*

HOUSE & SENATE AGENDA

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 2, 2023

7-9 AM	<i>Department of Corrections Legislative Breakfast</i>	<i>Rotunda, East & North Wings</i>
	<i>Iowa Automotive Recyclers Association Legislative Breakfast</i>	<i>Legislative Dining Room 15</i>
7-10:30 AM	<i>Habitat for Humanity Day at the Capitol</i>	<i>Rotunda, West & South Wings</i>
8:30 AM	HOUSE CONVENES	<i>House Chamber</i>
9 AM	SENATE CONVENES	<i>Senate Chamber</i>
10 AM	House Judiciary Committee HF 27 PRESIDENTIAL EXECUTIVE ORDERS: Holt (C) HSB 5 ESTABLISHING PATERNITY: Wheeler (C) HSB 114 TRUCK ACCIDENT LIABILITY: Gustoff (C)	<i>Room 103</i>
	Senate Transportation Committee SF 16 CRIMES AGAINST BICYCLISTS: Lofgren (C) SF 60 NO ELECTRONICS WHILE DRIVING: Lofgren (C)	<i>Room 116</i>
10 AM-2 PM	<i>Community Support Advocates Legislative Day</i>	<i>Rotunda North Wing</i>
10:30 AM-1:30 PM	<i>IARSVPD Taste of Iowa Legislative Appreciation</i>	<i>Rotunda, West Wing</i>
	<i>Volunteer Iowa Day at the Capitol</i>	<i>Rotunda, South Wing</i>
11 AM	Senate Natural Resources & Environment Committee SF 109 YOUTH DEER HUNTING: De Witt (C) SF 175 BOW HUNTING: Green (C)	<i>Room 116</i>
11 AM-2 PM	<i>Decoding Dyslexia Iowa Lobby Day</i>	<i>Rotunda East Wing</i>
1 PM	Senate Health & Human Services Committee SF 75 RURAL EMERGENCY HOSPITALS (w/amend): Costello (C) SSB 1046 DIAGNOSTIC IMAGING (w/amend): Edler (C) SSB 1078 BRAIN ILLNESS: Salmon (C)	<i>Room 116</i>

SUBCOMMITTEE MEETINGS

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 2, 2023

8 AM	House Education Subcommittee HF 100 BEE LICENSING AGE: T Moore (C), Ingels , Buck	Room 19
	House Judiciary Subcommittee HSB 109 GUARDIANSHIPS & CONSERVATORSHIPS: Gustoff (C), Scheetz , C Thomson	House Lounge
	House Judiciary Subcommittee HSB 110 CHINA PROCEEDINGS: Kaufmann (C), Collins , James	House Lounge 2
8:30 AM	Senate Judiciary Subcommittee SSB 1082 BOMBS & EXPLOSIVES: Bousselot (C), Boulton , Evans	Room 315
	Senate Local Government Subcommittee SSB 1089 TAX PROTEST DEADLINES: Lofgren (C), Webster , Weiner	Room 217
9 AM	House Commerce Subcommittee HF 56 WATER SYSTEM PURCHASES: Vondran (C), G Mohr , Scholten	House Lounge
	House Veterans Affairs Subcommittee HSB 103 VETERAN PROGRAMS: Andrews (C), Carlson , Levin	House Lounge 2
	House Ways & Means Subcommittee HSB 60 AMUSEMENT DEVICE EXEMPTION: Lundgren (C), Judge , Siegrist	Room 304.1
9:30 AM	Senate Appropriations Subcommittee SF 151 SCENIC BYWAY FUND: Zumbach (C), Koelker , T Taylor	Senate Lounge
9:45 AM	House Education Subcommittee HF 39 CHARTER SPORTS: Bradley (C), Madison , T Moore	House Lounge
11 AM	House State Government Subcommittee HSB 127 NATIVE WINE LICENSES: Siegrist (C), Cooling , Harris	House Lounge
	Senate Commerce Subcommittee SSB 1087 ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT CHANGES: Dawson (C), Jochum , Koelker	Room G15
	Senate Judiciary Subcommittee SSB 1096 GOVERNORS FENTANYL PROPOSALS: Reichman (C), Bisignano , Webster	Room 217
	Senate Veterans Affairs Subcommittee SF 90 VETERAN LICENSE DECALS: Salmon (C), Costello , Dotzler	Senate Lounge
11:30 AM	House Appropriations Subcommittee HF 139 CYBER SECURITY CENTER: Sorensen (C), Nordman , Wessel-Kroeschell	Room 304
	House Ways & Means Subcommittee HF 67 ADOPTION TAX CREDIT: Jones (C), Judge , Kniff McCulla	House Lounge
	Senate Health & Human Services Subcommittee SSB 1044 DIRECT HEALTH CARE SERVICES: Costello (C), Jochum , Rowley	Room 217
	Senate Judiciary Subcommittee SSB 1048 CONTINUOUS SEXUAL ABUSE: Garrett (C), Petersen , Reichman	Senate Lounge

SUBCOMMITTEE MEETINGS (CONTINUED)

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 2, 2023		
NOON	House Agriculture Subcommittee HSB 113 DAL'S BILL: Hora (C), Ingels , B Meyer	Room 304
	House Judiciary Subcommittee HJR 2 HUNTING & FISHING AMENDMENT: Collins (C), James , Stone	Room 19
	House State Government Subcommittee HF 52 NATURAL REDUCTION METHODS: Dunwell (C), Golding , Srinivas	House Lounge 2
	House Ways & Means Subcommittee HSB 98 PLUMBING MATTERS: Jones (C), Harris , Nielsen	House Lounge
	Senate Judiciary Subcommittee SSB 1068 SECOND ELUDING OFFENS: Garrett (C), Boulton , Evans	Room 217
12:15 PM	House Judiciary Subcommittee HF 114 ADOPTIVE PARENTS: Lohse (C), Jones , Scheetz	House Lounge 2
12:30 PM	House Judiciary Subcommittee HF 60 BIRTH CERTIFICATE INFORMATION: Lohse (C), Jones , Srinivas	House Lounge 2
	House Local Government Subcommittee HF 75 COUNTY COMPENSATION BOARDS III: Dunwell (C), Gehlbach , Nielsen	House Lounge
1 PM	Senate Judiciary Subcommittee SSB 1114 TRUCK ACCIDENT LIABILITY: Bousselot (C), Boulton , Zaun	Room 217

HOUSE DEBATE CALENDAR

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 2, 2023			
HF 111	JU	TRANSFER TAX EXEMPTION (sim/comp to SF 150)	A Meyer
HF 112	JU	DOMESTIC ABUSE LOOKBACK (sim/comp to SF 142)	Jones
HF 113	JU	CHILD WELFARE REPRESENTATION (sim/comp to SF 143)	A Meyer
HF 143	EG	RANSOMWARE ATTACKS	Wood
HF 150	JU	CONDEMNATION AWARD REDUCTION	Stone
HF 158	SG	ALCOHOL PLACEMENTS & INCENTIVES	Golding

SENATE DEBATE CALENDAR

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 2, 2023

[SF 192](#)

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2% SSA/CATEGORICAL RATE (sim/comp to [HF 171](#))

Kraayenbrink

HOUSE SUBCOMMITTEE ASSIGNMENTS

PUBLIC SAFETY

[HF 155](#)

FELON FIREARM SENTENCES

Rinker (C), **Gustoff**, Olson

STATE GOVERNMENT

[HF 52](#)

NATURAL REDUCTION METHODS

Dunwell (C), **Golding**, Srinivas

TRANSPORTATION

[HSB 27](#)

RESTRICTED FARM CDLS

Best (C), **Madison**, **Wulf** (*reassigned*)

WAYS & MEANS

[HF 1](#)

BONDS, SCHOOL TAXES & ASSESSMENTS

Kaufmann (C), **Bloomingtondale**, **Forbes**, **Harris**,
Jacoby

[HF 21](#)

NICOTINE SOLUTION TAX

Siegrist (C), **Jones**, Nielsen

[HF 67](#)

ADOPTION TAX CREDIT

Jones (C), **Judge**, **Kniff McCulla**

SENATE SUBCOMMITTEE ASSIGNMENTS

EDUCATION

[SF 38](#)

EDUCATIONAL ACHIEVEMENT GAP

J Taylor (C), **Evans**, **Trone Garriott** (*reassigned*)

[SF 159](#)

GENDER IDENTITY EDUCATION

Sinclair (C), **Kraayenbrink**, **Trone Garriott**

WORKFORCE

[SF 116](#)

SKILLED TRADES

Driscoll (C), **Donahue**, **Guth**

[SF 120](#)

EMPLOYMENT APPLICATION DISCRIMINATION

Driscoll (C), **Boulton**, **Kraayenbrink**

[SF 122](#)

WAGE PAYMENT REQUIREMENTS & PROTECTIONS

Driscoll (C), **Donahue**, **Rowley**

HOUSE FILES (HF 164 – HF 175)

[HF 164](#) **CAFO PROHIBITION** (Staed, 9 D's) (Agriculture)

Includes partially roofed structures. Prohibits building or expanding CAFOs except for small animal confinement operations. Effective on enactment. See [SF 124](#)

[HF 165](#) **STUDENT VOTER REGISTRATION** (Staed, 18 D's) (Education)

Requires school boards to allow 17-year olds to register to vote on the fourth Tuesday in September and on one other day. Requires the county auditor (commissioner) or a designee to conduct the registration. Requires schools to report on voter registration activities with the DOE.

[HF 166](#) **STUDENT VACCINATIONS** (Hayes) (Health & Human Services)

Strikes the ability of a minor to consent to vaccinations. Strikes the requirement that Human Growth & Development (sex ed) courses include information on HPV vaccinations.

[HF 167](#) **FOOD BANK FUNDING** (Staed, 18 D's) (Health & Human Services)

Appropriates \$1 million to HHS to assist a food bank or emergency feeding organization with the purchase of food. Requires a 1:1 match. Rolls unused funds into the next year. Sunsets in 2028.

[HF 168](#) **LOST GUNS** (Staed, 16 D's) (Public Safety)

Requires a person to report a lost or stolen firearm within 48 hours of discovering that the firearm is lost or stolen. Makes violations a simple misdemeanor.

[HF 169](#) **ABSENTEE BALLOT DEADLINES** (Golding) (State Government)

Moves up the deadline for the receipt of absentee ballots to the day before the election. Excludes ballots from confined persons. Does not allow the canvassing of more ballots than reported received the day before the election, except for military ballots and persons in the address confidentiality program.

[HF 170](#) **LEFT TURNS** (Gjerde) (Transportation)

Requires a driver making a turn from a laned highway onto another laned highway to stay in the corresponding lane.

[HF 171](#) **3% SSA/CATEGORICAL RATE** (Education; Successor to [HSB 117](#)) FM: *Johnson*

Establishes an SSA and a Categorical Growth rate of 3% for the 2023-24 school year.

[HF 172](#) **BABY FORMULA FOR WIC** (Wheeler) (Health & Human Services)

Requires the HHS to request a waiver to allow additional infant formulas to qualify under WIC.

[HF 173](#) **ATE RESTRICTIONS** (Rinker) (Public Safety)

Prohibits cities from using automated traffic enforcement devices on primary and secondary roads. Limits the charges for ATE violations to 5% more than the scheduled fine and excludes court costs from the calculation.

[HF 174](#) **DIAGNOSTIC IMAGING** (Health & Human Services; Successor to [HSB 11](#)) FM: *Best*

Allows a Physical Therapist to order diagnostic imaging as part of the treatment for a patient. Requires the results to be given to the patient's primary care doctor if the patient has one. Includes MRIs, X-rays, ultrasound and CAT scans as diagnostic imaging.

[HF 175](#) **BLACK BEAR HUNTING** (Natural Resources; Successor to [HF 89](#)) FM: *Sherman*

Designates the black bear as a fur-bearing animal. Authorizes the NRC to allow hunting or trapping. Establishes penalties.

HOUSE FILES (HF 176 – HF 183)

[HF 176](#) CONTINUOUS SEXUAL ABUSE (**Judiciary**; Successor to [HSB 75](#)) FM: **C Thomson**

Defines continuous sexual abuse of a child as being at least three acts of abuse with at least 30 days in-between the first and last act. Requires an offender to serve at least 70% of the sentence before being eligible for parole/work release.

[HF 177](#) PUBLIC EXPRESSION PROTECTIONS (**Judiciary**; Successor to [HSB 42](#)) FM: **Holt**

Creates the Public Expression Act. Creates a special motion for expedited action in free speech cases, including the rights of free press and the right to association. Excludes causes of action against a governmental employee acting in an official capacity to protect against imminent danger or against business for specified reasons. Makes definitions and sets timelines for expedited actions. Allows for reasonable attorney fees and costs.

[HF 178](#) VEHICLE PROTECTION ORDERS (**Boden**) (Public Safety)

Requires a defendant or respondent, as applicable, in various harassing/stalking cases to give vehicle information for the protective order and to update the information as needed. Requires the information to be filed with the clerk of courts. Requires the clerk to notify the court if the information is not filed. Requires a defendant or respondent who does not do so to be held in contempt of court.

[HF 179](#) OPTOMETRIST SHOTS (**Bossman**) (State Government)

Allows an optometrist to give local anesthetic shots before administering other injections. See [SF 26](#)

[HF 180](#) GENDER IDENTITY PROHIBITIONS (**Education**; Successor to [HF 9](#)) FM: **Wheeler**

Prohibits schools from any accommodation for a student's gender identity if differs from the identity on the student's birth certificate without written permission from the parent. Prohibits withholding information related to a student's gender identity or an intention to transition from a parent. Prohibits encouraging students to transition their gender identity.

[HF 181](#) REGENT INVESTMENT IN CHINA (**Education**; Successor to [HSB 41](#)) FM: **Stone**

Prohibits the Regents from investing in companies controlled by the Chinese military or Chinese government. Makes definitions. Requires the sale of assets in prohibited companies within 180 days of the company becoming a prohibited company. Requires the creation and maintenance of a list of scrutinized companies. Includes other provisions.

[HF 182](#) EDUCATION STUDY (**Education**; Successor to [HF 7](#)) FM: **Wheeler**

Requires the Regents to report to the Legislature about how specific terms are used in courses related to education by February 27, 2023. Requests an interim study committee on program planning related to completing various education degrees.

[HF 183](#) PRESCRIBING PSYCHOLOGISTS (**Health & Human Services**; Successor to [HF 23](#)) FM: **H Wilz**

Retains the requirement that a psychologist seeking a conditional prescription certificate complete certain education and clinical experience but strikes the requirement that it be done in the five years immediately prior to application. Requires the prescribing psychologist to maintain a relationship with a patient's primary care doctor. Makes other changes.

HOUSE STUDY BILLS (HSB 120 – HSB 128)

[HSB 120 RESIDENTIAL VALUES](#) (Ways & Means) [Kaufmann](#) (C), [Bloomingtondale](#), [Forbes](#), [Harris](#), [Jacoby](#)

Excludes various properties (mobile/manufactured home parks and communities, assisted living facilities and portions of commercial properties including room for three or more dwelling units) from assessment limitations related to residential and agricultural property. Includes implementing provisions for the DOR certifying various information to auditors and for auditors to make revisions. (Governor) Similar to [SF 181](#) approved in the Senate today. [HSB 121 INSURANCE PREMIUM TAX CUT](#) (Ways & Means) [Kniff McCulla](#) (C), [Croken](#), [Jones](#)

Cuts the insurance premium tax to 0.9% in 2024. [HSB 122 SPORTS WAGERING & TAX CREDITS](#) (Ways & Means) [Kaufmann](#) (C), [Best](#), [Wilson](#)

Distributions: Scoops the \$1.75 million from fantasy/sports wagering for the Gambling Treatment Fund; \$1 million to the GF for the County Endowment tax credit, 85% of the remainder to the County Endowment fund and the remainder to the EDA for distribution to qualified organizations that sponsor gaming. Scoops any unencumbered money for the County Endowment fund. **Tax Credits:** Appropriates \$7 million for the Endowment Iowa tax credit in FY 2023 and increases the cap of the credit to \$13 million after 1/2023 but before 1/2024. Makes the cap for the credit \$7 million after 2024. [HSB 123 HOOVER TAX CREDITS](#) (Ways & Means)

[Kaufmann](#) (C), [Harris](#), [Jacoby](#)

Distributions: Extends the Hoover Library tax credit by a year and makes conforming changes.

[HSB 124 LAND REDEVELOPMENT TRUSTS](#) (Ways & Means) [Johnson](#) (C), [Best](#), [Gjerde](#)

Allows a city or cities to establish a land redevelopment trust to rehabilitate blighted/tax delinquent and other similar properties. Includes procedures for the sale of such property. See [SF 182](#)

[HSB 125 LANDLORD TENANT/MOBILE HOMES](#) (Ways & Means) [P Thompson](#) (C), [Best](#), [Judge](#)

Landlord-Tenant: Makes definitions and changes in computing timelines. Changes a prohibition to including certain items in a lease to a prohibition to enforcing those items. Makes changes to notice for eviction (forcible entry & detainer) proceedings. Deems that 90 days of peaceable possession is a bar for eviction proceedings. Does not allow remaining personal property in a mobile home to be disposed by the landlord unless the mobile home is the premises. **Fee:** Increases the fee for a manufactured home retailer to \$120.

[HSB 126 STATE GOVERNMENT REORGANIZATION](#) (State Government)

[Bloomingtondale](#) (C), [Baeth](#), [Johnson](#), [Lundgren](#), [Nielsen](#), [Young](#), [Zabner](#)

Enacts provisions to reorganize all of state government.

[HSB 127 NATIVE WINE LICENSES](#) (State Government) [Siegrist](#) (C), [Cooling](#), [Harris](#)

Creates a special Class C license for native wineries to sell wine in containers other than the original container. Limits the holder to two such licenses and sets the license fee at \$125.

[HSB 128 MONEY TRANSMISSIONS](#) (Commerce) [Lundgren](#) (C), [Judge](#), [G Mohr](#)

Makes the Uniform Money Services Act the Uniform Money Transmission Modernization Act. Defines new terms and updates money transmission provisions. Authorizes the Banking superintendent to require documentation for exemptions, to enter into regulatory agreement, to supervise investigations and examinations and to participate in multi-state networks. Requires money transmission businesses to be licensed. Sets licensing fees and includes other licensing provisions. Includes background check for the employees of a licensee and reporting requirements for licensees. Includes bonding requirements. Lists permissible investments and requires an irrevocable letter of credit to draw on if the licensee fails to have enough permissible investments. Makes some information confidential. See [SSB 1102](#)

SENATE FILES (SF 183 – SF 193)

SF 183 POLICE & FIRE FIGHTER AGES (**Judiciary**; Successor to [SSB 1001](#)) *FM: Boussetot*

Sets the maximum age for city police and fire fighters at 65. Exempts reserve police officers and volunteer fire fighters. Effective on enactment.

SF 184 TRAIN LENGTH (**Webster, 4 R's**) (Transportation)

Limits the length of any freight or work RR train to 8,500. See [HSB 88](#)

SF 185 ROAD WORKER LIABILITY (**Salmon**) (Transportation)

Adds road workers who cause injury or damage due to negligence to the exclusions from immunity from traffic offenses for road workers.

SF 186 ADOPTIVE PARENTS (**Judiciary**; Successor to [SF 3](#)) *FM: Driscoll*

Requires employers to treat an adoptive parent who adopts a child 6 or under in the same manner as biological parents for family leave purposes. Makes definitions and exceptions. Establishes penalties under the Labor Commissioner.

SF 187 BIRTH CERTIFICATE INFORMATION (**Zaun**) (Health & Human Services)

Allows an adopted person who is 18 and whose original birth certificate has been substituted to request that information on the original parents be added to the new certificate. Includes requirements for amending the certificate. Makes definitions and conforming changes. See [HF 60](#)

SF 188 HATE CRIMES (**Boulton & Knox**) (Judiciary) **Boussetot** (C), **Knox, Shipley**

SF 189 AMUSEMENT CONCESSION PAYMENTS (**Commerce**; Successor to [SSB 1054](#)) *FM: Boussetot*

Allows amusement concessions at a park or arcade to accept payments by credit card.

SF 190 GROUP CAPITAL CALCULATIONS (**Commerce**; Successor to [SSB 1057](#)) *FM: De Witt*

Moves the filing deadline for group capital calculations by certain insurers to June 30 and strikes other filing deadlines.

SF 191 ALTERNATING PROPRIETORSHIPS (**State Government**; Successor to [SSB 1080](#)) *FM: Koelker*

Allows a brewer to share space with another brewer in an alternating proprietorship that if federally approved and to one Class C retail alcohol license.

SF 192 3% SSA/CATEGORICAL RATE (**Education**; Successor to [SSB 1081](#)) *FM: Kraayenbrink* (now [SF 192](#))

Establishes an SSA and a Categorical Growth rate of 3% for the 2023-24 school year.

SF 193 TRANSPORTING BODIES (**State Government**; Successor to [SSB 1058](#)) *FM: Salmon*

Requires the Board of Mortuary Science to adopt rules to allow a funeral director to designate a person as a removal specialist who can transport a dead body without the director being present. Requires the board to consider any needed training and registration.

SENATE STUDY BILLS (SSB 1118 – SSB 1122)

SSB 1118 SEALING EVICTION RECORDS (Judiciary) **J Taylor** (C), **De Witt**, **Quirnbach**

Requires eviction (forceable entry and detainer) records be sealed if the case is dismissed or the defendant is found not guilty, or there is no genuine issue between the parties, or the plaintiff does not appear. Sets guidelines allowing the sealing of records in five years for non-payment of rent. Includes requirements for sealing records, including limiting reporting by consumer credit agencies. See [HSB 43](#)

SSB 1119 JUVENILE JUSTICE PROGRAMS (Judiciary) **Reichman** (C), **De Witt**, **Knox**

Strikes juvenile justice changes made in 2022. Requires the Judicial Branch to develop services for juvenile justice and delinquency, subject to money. Includes guidelines.

SSB 1120 JUDICIAL BRANCH BILL (Judiciary) **Rowley** (C), **Evans**, **Weiner**

Advocates: Strikes the need for the Judicial Council to develop best practices for patient advocates. **Jurors:** Authorizes the DOR to give the State Court Administrator certain information about taxpayers, including the last four SSN digits, in order to prepare grand and petit juror lists. Deems some of the information confidential. **Judges:** Allows the Supreme Court to use a weighted workload formula to assign associate district judgeships. **Reporters:** Deems audio/video records by court reporters taken for the purpose of creating transcripts to be the personal property of the reporter. Allows an in camera review by the judge for good cause. Allows criminal history information to be given to an accused or the attorney of the accused through a court order, or if the information is part of the prosecution's file and subject to discovery, without a court order. (JB)

SSB 1121 OPEN RECORD/MEETING COMPLAINTS (State Government) **Webster** (C), **Bisignano**, **McClintock**

Increases the time for complaints about violations of open record/open meetings to 90 days. (IPIB)

SSB 1122 REFRIGERANTS (State Government) **Brown** (C), **Cournoyer**, **Giddens**

Allows the use of any federally approved refrigerant so long as the refrigerant is used according to federal safety standards.