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4023

2001 SENATE AGRICULTURE

SCR 4023

2001 SENATE STANDING COMMITTEE MINUTES

BILL/RESOLUTION NO. SCR 4023

Senate Agriculture Committee

Conference Committee

Hearing Date February 15, 2001

Tape Number	Side A	Side B	Meter #
1	X		34.0 - 52.8
Committee Clerk Signature <i>Lacey Ham</i>			

Minutes:

SENATOR CHRISTMANN; Sponsor, introduce the bill to the committee. People need to understand what effects anti competitive practices have on their lives. Across the state this is believed to be a big problem for our production agriculture. The profitability of the food industry is shifting to the manufactures and away from the produces of the commodities. We are just asking that Congress monitor these conditions and take whatever action is necessary.

SENATOR KROEPLIN; Could you explain lines 21 - 23? It doesn't seem to fit with the rest of the resolution.

SENATOR CHRISTMANN; It doesn't fit real well with our perspective of what the problem is, but it is in there as an acknowledgment.

WADE MOSEER; ND Stockmen's Assoc., testified in support of this resolution. We have had on our policy a resolution for several years that identify a couple issues that this resolution addresses. One is that we request immediate action by USDA, especially in the packers and

stockyards administrations, to halt packer concentration captive supplies. We call for a view of all acts and orders relating to anti trust legislation. We ask and encourage immediate legislation to freeze the acquisition of additional slaughter facilities by the Big Three, the three listed in the resolution until the law is reviewed. There is a lot of information out there that is not being released by the packers and stockyards administration.

The hearing was closed.

SENATOR URLACHER moved for a DO PASS of this resolution.

SENATOR ERBELE seconded the motion.

Roll call vote: 6 Yeas, 0 No, 0 Absent and Not voting.

SENATOR URLACHER will carry the bill.



**REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE (410)**  
February 15, 2001 11:49 a.m.

**Module No: SR-28-3484**  
**Carrier: Urlacher**  
**Insert LC: . Title: .**

**REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE**

**SCR 4023: Agriculture Committee (Sen. Wanzek, Chairman) recommends DO PASS**  
**(6 YEAS, 0 NAYS, 0 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING). SCR 4023 was placed on the**  
Eleventh order on the calendar.

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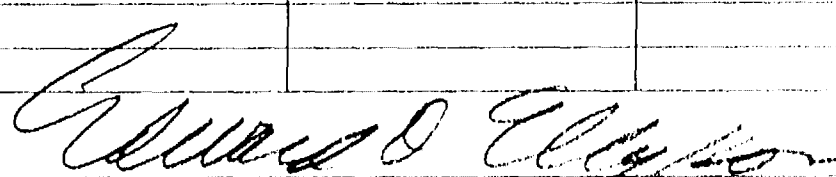
2001 HOUSE STANDING COMMITTEE MINUTES

BILL/RESOLUTION NO. SCR 4023

House Agriculture Committee

Conference Committee

Hearing Date 3--15--01

Tape Number	Side A	Side B	Meter #
TWO	A		3000 TO 3430
Committee Clerk Signature 			

Minutes:

CHAIRMAN NICHOLAS: We will open the hearing on SCR 4023

WADE MOSER: NORTH DAKOTA STOCKMEN'S ASSOCIATION: WE SUPPORT THIS BILL. We think that we have to tell congress about the problem and we support the Bill.

CHAIRMAN NICHOLAS: ROLL WAS TAKEN.....DO PASS..... 15 YES.....0

NO.....0 ABSENT..... REPRESENTATIVE FROELICH WILL CARRY THE

RESOLUTION 4023. CLOSE ON 4023

CLSOED ON 4023



3-13-01

Date:  
Roll Call Vote #:

2001 HOUSE STANDING COMMITTEE ROLL CALL VOTES  
BILL/RESOLUTION NO. SCR 1023

House AGRICULTURE Committee

Subcommittee on \_\_\_\_\_  
or  
 Conference Committee

Legislative Council Amendment Number \_\_\_\_\_

Action Taken DO PASS

Motion Made By FROELICH Seconded By MULLER

Representatives	Yes	No	Representatives	Yes	No
Eugene Nicholas, Chairman	✓		Rod Froelich	✓	
Dennis E. Johnson - Vice Chairman	✓		Doug Lemieux	✓	
Rick Berg	✓		Philip Mueller	✓	
Michael Brandenburg	✓		Kenton Onstad	✓	
Joyce Kingsbury	✓		Sally M. Slandvig		
Myron Koppang	✓		Dennis J. Renner		
Edward H. Lloyd	✓		Dwight Wrangham	✓	
Bill Pietsch	✓				

Total (Yes) 15 No \_\_\_\_\_

Absent \_\_\_\_\_

Floor Assignment FROELICH

If the vote is on an amendment, briefly indicate intent:

**REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE (410)**  
March 15, 2001 12:20 p.m.

**Module No: HR-45-5702**  
**Carrier: Froelich**  
**Insert LC: . Title: .**

**REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE**

**SCR 4023: Agriculture Committee (Rep. Nicholas, Chairman) recommends DO PASS and BE PLACED ON THE CONSENT CALENDAR (15 YEAS, 0 NAYS, 0 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING). SCR 4023 was placed on the Tenth order on the calendar.**