**2023 SENATE STATE AND LOCAL GOVERNMENT** 

## **State and Local Government Committee**

Room JW216, State Capitol

SB 2124 1/12/2023

Relating to meal reimbursements.

2:00 PM Chair Roers opened the hearing. Present: Chair Roers, Vice Chair Barta, Sen Cleary, Sen Estenson, Sen J Lee, and Sen Braunberger.

## **Discussion Topics:**

Inflation

Sen Lyle Davison, Dist 41, Fargo. Bill sponsor testified in support. #13054, #13055.

2:13 PM Chair Roers closed the hearing.

## **State and Local Government Committee**

Room JW216, State Capitol

SB 2124 1/19/2023

## Relating to meal reimbursement.

10:55 AM Chair Roers opened committee work. Present: Chair Roers, Vice Chair Barta, Sen Cleary, Sen Estenson, Sen J Lee, and Sen Braunberger.

## **Discussion Topics:**

Bill review

Chair Roers said they need more information to vote.

10:56 AM Chair Roers adjourned the meeting.

## **State and Local Government Committee**

Room JW216, State Capitol

SB 2124 1/26/2023

## Relating to meal reimbursement.

11:27 AM Chair Roers opened committee work. Present: Chair Roers, Vice Chair Barta, Sen Cleary, Sen Estenson, Sen J Lee, and Sen Braunberger.

## **Discussion Topics:**

- Bill review
- Meal cost increase
- Hotel cost increase
- Per diem rates

Chairman Roers provided information.

11:40 AM Chair Roers closed the meeting.

### **State and Local Government Committee**

Room JW216, State Capitol

SB 2124 1/27/2023

## Relating to meal reimbursement

11:25 AM Chair Roers opened the meeting. Present: Chair Roers, Vice Chair Barta, Sen Cleary, Sen Estenson, Sen J Lee, and Sen Braunberger.

## **Discussion Topics:**

Committee action

Sen Estenson moved to adopt Amendment LC 23.0470.02001

Sen Cleary seconded the motion.

Senators	Vote
Senator Kristin Roers	Υ
Senator Jeff Barta	Υ
Senator Ryan Braunberger	Υ
Senator Sean Cleary	Υ
Senator Judy Estenson	Υ
Senator Judy Lee	Υ

VOTE: YES 6 NO 0 Absent 0

Motion PASSED

Sen Estenson moved a DO PASS as Amended and rerefer to Appropriations.

Sen Barta seconded the motion.

Senators	Vote
Senator Kristin Roers	Υ
Senator Jeff Barta	Υ
Senator Ryan Braunberger	Υ
Senator Sean Cleary	Υ
Senator Judy Estenson	Υ
Senator Judy Lee	Υ

VOTE: YES 6 NO 0 Absent 0

**Motion PASSED** 

Sen Estenson will carry the bill.

11:28 AM Chair Roers adjourned the meeting.

January 27, 2023

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## PROPOSED AMENDMENTS TO SENATE BILL NO. 2124

- Page 1, line 6, overstrike "following rates for each quarter of any twenty-four-hour"
- Page 1, overstrike line 7
- Page 1, line 8, overstrike "a. First quarter is from six a.m. to twelve noon and the sum must be"
- Page 1, line 8, remove "eight"
- Page 1, overstrike lines 9 and 10
- Page 1, line 11, overstrike "b. Second quarter is from twelve noon to six p.m. and the sum must be"
- Page 1, line 11, remove "thirteen"
- Page 1, line 12, overstrike "dollars"
- Page 1, overstrike line 13
- Page 1, line 14, remove "twenty-one"
- Page 1, line 14 overstrike "dollars"
- Page 1, line 14, overstrike the period
- Page 1, overstrike lines 15 through 17
- Page 1, line 18, overstrike "local taxes. The"
- Page 1, line 18, after "lodging" insert "and meal"
- Page 1, line 20, after "lodging" insert "and meal"
- Renumber accordingly

Module ID: s\_stcomrep\_17\_009 Carrier: Estenson Insert LC: 23.0470.02001 Title: 03000

### REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE

- SB 2124: State and Local Government Committee (Sen. K. Roers, Chairman) recommends AMENDMENTS AS FOLLOWS and when so amended, recommends DO PASS and BE REREFERRED to the Appropriations Committee (6 YEAS, 0 NAYS, 0 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING). SB 2124 was placed on the Sixth order on the calendar. This bill does not affect workforce development.
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Renumber accordingly

**2023 SENATE APPROPRIATIONS** 

2/6/2023

## Appropriations - Government Operations Division Red River Room, State Capitol

SB 2124

Relating to meal reimbursement.

9:45 AM Chairman Wanzek called the meeting to order.

Senators Wanzek, Erbele, Roers, Dwyer, and Vedaa are present.

## **Discussion Topics:**

- History
- Comparisons
- 2013 adjustment

9:47 AM Senator Kyle Davison testified. Neutral (No written testimony)

9:55 AM Joe Morrisette, OMB Director, testified. Neutral (No written testimony)

10:00 AM Senator Vedaa moved DO PASS on SB 2124. Senator Roers seconded the motion.

Senators	Vote
Senator Terry M. Wanzek	Υ
Senator Michael Dwyer	Υ
Senator Robert Erbele	Υ
Senator Jim P. Roers	Υ
Senator Shawn Vedaa	Υ

Motion passed. 5-0-0

Senator J. Roers will carry the bill.

10:02 AM Chairman Wanzek closed the meeting.

Carol Thompson, Committee Clerk

## **Appropriations Committee**

Roughrider Room, State Capitol

SB 2124 2/16/2023

Relating to meal reimbursement.

4:14 PM Chairman Bekkedahl called the meeting to order. Senators Bekkedahl, Burkhard, Davison, Dever, Dwyer, Erbele, Krebsbach, Kreun, Mathern, Meyer, Roers, Schaible, Sorvaag, Wanzek, Vedaa, Rust were present.

## **Discussion Topics:**

Committee action

**Senator Davison** moves DO PASS. **Senator Vedaa** seconded.

Roll call vote.

Senators	Vote
Senator Brad Bekkedahl	Υ
Senator Karen K. Krebsbach	Υ
Senator Randy A. Burckhard	Υ
Senator Kyle Davison	Υ
Senator Dick Dever	Υ
Senator Michael Dwyer	Υ
Senator Robert Erbele	Υ
Senator Curt Kreun	Υ
Senator Tim Mathern	Υ
Senator Scott Meyer	Υ
Senator Jim P. Roers	Υ
Senator Donald Schaible	Υ
Senator Ronald Sorvaag	Υ
Senator Shawn Vedaa	Υ
Senator Terry M. Wanzek	Υ
Senator Rust	Υ

Motion passed 16-0-0.

Senator Davison will carry SB 2124.

Senator Bekkedahl closed the meeting.

Patricia Lahr on behalf of Kathleen Hall, Committee Clerk

## REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE

Module ID: s\_stcomrep\_31\_023

**Carrier: Davison** 

SB 2124: Appropriations Committee (Sen. Bekkedahl, Chairman) recommends DO PASS (16 YEAS, 0 NAYS, 0 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING). SB 2124 was placed on the Eleventh order on the calendar. This bill does not affect workforce development.

**2023 HOUSE POLITICAL SUBDIVISIONS** 

## 2023 HOUSE STANDING COMMITTEE MINUTES

## **Political Subdivisions Committee**

Room JW327B, State Capitol

SB 2124 3/16/2023

## Relating to meal reimbursement

9:00 AM Chairman Longmuir opened the hearing. Members present: Chairman Longmuir, Vice Chairman Fegley, Rep. Hatlestad, Rep. Heilman, Rep. Holle, Rep. Jonas, Rep. Klemin, Rep. Motschenbacher, Rep. Ostlie, Rep. Rios, Rep. Toman, Rep. Warrey, Rep. Davis, and Rep. Hager.

## **Discussion Topics:**

- Increase meal allowances.
- Amendment

Senator Davison: Introduced the bill. No written testimony.

The hearing closed at 9:12 AM.

Rep. Ostlie moved the amendment 23.0470.02002 Seconded by Rep. Heilman

Representatives	Vote
Representative Donald W. Longmuir	Y
Representative Clayton Fegley	Y
Representative Jayme Davis	Y
Representative LaurieBeth Hager	N
Representative Patrick Hatlestad	Y
Representative Matt Heilman	Y
Representative Dawson Holle	Y
Representative Jim Jonas	Y
Representative Lawrence R. Klemin	Y
Representative Mike Motschenbacher	Y
Representative Mitch Ostlie	Y
Representative Nico Rios	Y
Representative Nathan Toman	Y
Representative Jonathan Warrey	Y

Roll call vote: 13 Yes 1 No 0 Absent Motion carried.

Rep. Motschenbacher moved a Do Pass as Amended and Rerefer to Appropriations. Seconded by Rep. Warrey

Representatives	Vote
Representative Donald W. Longmuir	Υ
Representative Clayton Fegley	Υ
Representative Jayme Davis	Υ
Representative LaurieBeth Hager	N
Representative Patrick Hatlestad	Υ
Representative Matt Heilman	Υ
Representative Dawson Holle	N
Representative Jim Jonas	Υ
Representative Lawrence R. Klemin	Υ
Representative Mike Motschenbacher	Υ
Representative Mitch Ostlie	Υ
Representative Nico Rios	N
Representative Nathan Toman	N
Representative Jonathan Warrey	Υ

Roll call vote: 10 Yes 4 No 0 Absent Motion carried

Carrier: Rep. Heilman

The meeting closed at 9:24 AM

DeLores Shimek, Committee Clerk

Adopted by the House Political Subdivisions Committee

March 16, 2023

## PROPOSED AMENDMENTS TO SENATE BILL NO. 2124

Page 1, line 8, replace "eight" with "nine"

Page 1, line 11, replace "thirteen" with "fourteen"

Page 1, line 14, replace "twenty-one" with "twenty-two"

Renumber accordingly

Page No. 1

23.0470.02002

Module ID: h\_stcomrep\_02\_180 Carrier: Heilman

Insert LC: 23.0470.02002 Title: 04000

### REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE

SB 2124: Political Subdivisions Committee (Rep. Longmuir, Chairman) recommends AMENDMENTS AS FOLLOWS and when so amended, recommends DO PASS and BE REREFERRED to the Appropriations Committee (10 YEAS, 4 NAYS, 0 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING). SB 2124 was placed on the Sixth order on the calendar.

Page 1, line 8, replace "eight" with "nine"

Page 1, line 11, replace "thirteen" with "fourteen"

Page 1, line 14, replace "twenty-one" with "twenty-two"

Renumber accordingly

**2023 HOUSE APPROPRIATIONS** 

## 2023 HOUSE STANDING COMMITTEE MINUTES

## **Appropriations Committee**

Brynhild Haugland Room, State Capitol

SB 2124 3/28/2023

## Relating to meal reimbursement

9:30 AM Chairman Vigesaa Called the meeting to order and roll call was taken-

**Members present;** Chairman Vigesaa, Representative B. Anderson, Representative Bellew, Representative Brandenburg, Representative Hanson, Representative Kreidt, Representative Martinson, Representative Mitskog, Representative Meier, Representative Mock, Representative Monson, Representative Nathe, Representative J. Nelson, Representative O'Brien, Representative Pyle, Representative Richter, Representative Sanford, Representative Schatz, Representative Schobinger, Representative Strinden, Representative G. Stemen and Representative Swiontek.

**Members not Present-** Representative Kempenich

## **Discussion Topics:**

- Legislatures
- State Employees

Representative Longmuir- Introduces the bill and its purpose.

9:34 AM Chairman Vigesaa Closed the meeting for SB 2124

Committee discussion

Representative J. Nelson Move for a Do Pass

**Representative Nathe-** Seconds the motion.

Roll call vote:

Representatives	Vote
Representative Don Vigesaa	N
Representative Keith Kempenich	Α
Representative Bert Anderson	Υ
Representative Larry Bellew	Ν
Representative Mike Brandenburg	Ν
Representative Karla Rose Hanson	Υ
Representative Gary Kreidt	Υ
Representative Bob Martinson	Υ
Representative Lisa Meier	Ν
Representative Alisa Mitskog	Υ
Representative Corey Mock	Υ

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Representative David Monson	N
Representative Mike Nathe	Υ
Representative Jon O. Nelson	Υ
Representative Emily O'Brien	Υ
Representative Brandy Pyle	Υ
Representative David Richter	Υ
Representative Mark Sanford	Υ
Representative Mike Schatz	Υ
Representative Randy A.	N
Schobinger	
Representative Greg Stemen	Υ
Representative Michelle Strinden	Υ
Representative Steve Swiontek	Υ

Motion Carries 16-6-1 Representative Heilman will carry the bill.

9:40 AM Chairman Vigesaa Closed the meeting for SB 2124

Risa Berube, Committee Clerk

## REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE

Module ID: h\_stcomrep\_53\_004

Carrier: Heilman

SB 2124, as amended: Appropriations Committee (Rep. Vigesaa, Chairman) recommends DO PASS (16 YEAS, 6 NAYS, 1 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING). SB 2124, as amended, was placed on the Fourteenth order on the calendar.

**TESTIMONY** 

## Senate Bill 2124 Testimony Senator Kyle Davison January 12<sup>th</sup>, 2023

Good afternoon, I'm Senator Kyle Davison from District 41 representing south Fargo. I am the sponsor of SB 2124 which increases the state per diem for meals from \$35 per day to \$42 per day. The last time the legislature increased the per diem was in 2013. I believe with inflation it's time to consider an increase.

This bill provides approximately a 20 percent increase which I believe is reasonable. In the process of getting co-sponsors, it was suggested to me to build in an automatic increase into the bill, such as how we calculate our current state hotel rate (Federal \$98 less 10%).

The current federal per diem in North Dakota for meals is \$59 per day. If we subtract 10 percent off that number our rate would be around \$53 per day. I thought that was too significant of an increase, but it's something for this committee to consider in your deliberations.

There isn't a fiscal note on this bill because agencies would take these increases out of their current operating expenses. As an appropriator, we've already seen most agencies requesting inflationary increases in their operating budgeting line to address increases in travel and meals.

## PASTAS

SUBSTITUTE GLUTEN-FREE RICE NOODLES FOR 2.00

### BAKED SPAGHETTI

Italian sacrage and pepperoni sasteed in clive oil then tossed with spaghatti in a blend of marinara and our creamy Alfredo sacce. Topped with mozzarella then baked Garmished with shawed Parmeson and chopped parsley.

## BAKED RAVIOLI WITH CHICKEN

Pulled chicken breast surfied in place oil with reasted gains. Finished in a blend of marrium and house enade Affreds seace and tossed with cheese stuffed cavabil. Topped with mozzavilla then baked. Garmshed with shaved Parmerian and chopped paralley.

# ENTRELS

## SPICY GINGER SEARED TUNA

A wild-raught yellowfur tuna filet lightly coated in setame seeds then pan-seared rare. Sixed and set aloo a bed of jasmine rice. Accompanied by spicy setame ginger sauce and cool Asian slaw.

NEW ORLEANS SHRIMP TCHOUPITOULAS 2100 Jumbo shump slewered crusted with Cajon spices and charbroled. Set on a bed of crispy potatoes sauteed with andouble sacrage, much come, green onion, and a blend of seasonings. Finished with lavem blamaice sauce.

CHICKEN SKEWERS
Clanto lime matriated chicken breast skewered with fresh red enon-green and red bell pepper. Charbrolled and served over a bed of jamine nce and topped with house made Afredo sauce, diced red and green

# GRILLED SHRIMP & SCALLOP SKEWER 2300 Jumbo thrimp and scallops skewered with firsh red and green bell pepper. Charbrelled and served over a bed of cliebro rice with a house made shrimp sauce, diced red and green bell peppers.

SMOTHERED GRILLED MEATLOAF

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## CAJUN CHICKEN FETTUCCINE ALFREDO 1850

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## CHICKEN FETTUCCINE ALFREDO

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BUFFALO MAC N CHEESE

17:00

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bition crumbles and chopped greet onions.

## RIYAKI SALMON

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TAVERN PISH & CHIPS

A emerous portion of wind-caught blet of cod dipped in our Tavern batter and lightly fried for a cropy crust. Served with seasoned waitle free, colesian, fresh lemon, and house made tarter sauce.

28.00 Center cut 8 oz. tenderioin of beef seasoned and grilled to perfection. Served with maple bacon levistels spreuts and a choice of garlic mached potations or over roasted rotemary potations. Accompanied with Tevens

Try it Oscar style for 3.00

## LEMON BEURRE BLANC JUMBO SHRIMP 2100

numbo sharmp coated in herb breadcrumbs and even based. Set on a bed of lemon cream beaute stanc sauce, with saffron accented jaconies stand lemon, and fresh herbs.

ADD A CUP OF OUR HOUSE MADE SOUP, SIDE HOUSE SALAD, OR SIDE CAESAR SALAD FOR 3.50

**DESSERTS** 

OCOLATE CAKE

10.00

# CHEF BUILT BURGERS

All burgers served with your should of welfar from colocion, how had on a rop of sour, sole house saled, or Center saled for 3.50. made chiga, or garlic mached potatoes.

## TAVERN STYLE BURGER

### THE WIDOWHAKER

BREAKFAST BURGER
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STARTING AT 13.00





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