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LD	TITLE	SPONSOR	(COMMITTEE REPORT) DISPOSITION
2018	AN ACT TO MAKE NECESSARY REVISIONS RELATING TO THE WATERCRAFT EXCISE TAX	Wood	REP LV/WD

SUMMARY: Makes housekeeping changes in last year's watercraft excise tax. Incorporated into LD 2122

2041	AN ACT TO ESTABLISH AN INCOME TAX CREDIT FOR IN-HOME AND COMMUNITY SUPPORT SERVICES PROVIDED BY FAMILIES	Michaud	REP LV/WD
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SUMMARY: Would provide an income tax credit equal to 50% of first \$1000 spent on resident relatives 60 or over at risk of not being able to remain in own home. Credit would be available to resident taxpayers with an income not exceeding \$20,000.

2049	AN ACT TO QUALIFY VETERANS WHO SERVED IN THE ARMED SERVICES OF ANOTHER NATION FOR VETERANS' TAX EXEMPTIONS WHEN THEY HAVE RECEIVED CERTIFICATES OF ELIGIBILITY FROM THE UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT	Gill	LV/WD
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2093	AN ACT TO AMEND THE FOREST FIRE CONTROL LAWS AND CHANGE THE METHOD OF FUNDING FOREST FIRE CONTROL SERVICES (REPORTED PURSUANT TO PL 1983, CHAPT. 556)		REF'D TO COM. MAJ-OTP-ND LD 2347 MIN-OTP-ND LD 2348
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SUMMARY: Original bill contained report of Forest Fire Advisory Council and recommended charge to municipalities based upon number of taxable acres to be collected through property tax according to valuation. Contained first response charge to unorganized territory. Organized areas with no first response capability would not receive state reimbursement in the event of a forest fire.