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Dependent care credit modified.	HF 64 Bernardy	1/5/17 Introduction and first reading, referred to Health and Human Services Reform	SF 212 Laine	1/19/17 Introduction and first reading, referred to Taxes
Child care assistance subsidy restrictions modified.	HF 139 Knoblach	1/11/17 Introduction and first reading, referred to Health and Human Services Reform	SF 381 Relph	1/26/17 Introduction and first reading, referred to Human Services Reform Finance and Policy
Full-service community school funding provided, and money appropriated.	HF 146 Davnie	1/11/17 Introduction and first reading, referred to Education Finance	SF 7 Wiger	1/5/17 Introduction and first reading, referred to E-12 Finance
Basic sliding fee child care programs modified, eligibility for early learning scholarship modified, system redesign provided, and money appropriated.	HF 219 Moran	1/12/17 Introduction and first reading, referred to Health and Human Services Reform	SF 317 Clausen	1/23/17 Introduction and first reading, referred to Human Services Reform Finance and Policy
Establishing a Working Parents Act; providing wage theft protection; providing paid family leave; providing earned sick and safe time; requiring fair scheduling	HF 239 Thissen	1/12/17 Introduction and first reading, referred to Job Growth and Energy Affordability Policy and Finance		
Tax credits for parental leave costs allowed.	HF 315 Anderson, S.	1/17/17 Introduction and first reading, referred to Job Growth and Energy Affordability Policy and Finance. 2/1 Heard in Committee. Bill was passed as amended and referred to the Tax Committee	SF 454 Nelson	1/3/17 Introduction and first reading, referred to Taxes
Loan forgiveness program for individuals working in greater Minnesota established	HF 319 Lien	1/17/17 Introduction and first reading, referred to Higher Education and Career Readiness Policy and Finance	SF 109 Eken	1/12/17 Introduction and first reading, referred to Higher Education Finance and Policy

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Refundable student loan credit allowed.	HF 365 Applebaum	1/19/17 Introduction and first reading, referred to Higher Education and Career Readiness Policy and Finance	SF 165 Clausen	1/17/17 Introduction and first reading, referred to Taxes
Prekindergarten education program donation credit provided, districts required to accept scholarships funded by donations, and report required.	HF 388 Kresha	1/23/17 Introduction and first reading, referred to Education Innovation Policy		
Working family income tax credit modification	HF 516 Loeffler	1/26/17 Introduction and first reading, referred to Taxes	SF 28 Rest	1/5/17 Introduction and first reading, referred to Taxes
Child and Adult Care Food Program administration by the Health Department provided.	HF 547 Fenton	1/26/17 Introduction and first reading, referred to Education Innovation Policy		
Education expense credit and deduction applied to expenditures for prekindergarten expenses.	HF 602 Anderson, S.	1/30/17 Introduction and first reading, referred to Education Innovation Policy		
Hands Off Child Care Act adopted.	HF 604 Quam	1/30/17 Introduction and first reading, referred to Health and Human Services Reform		
Community education revenue program increase	HF 625 Youakim	1/30/17 Introduction and first reading, referred to Education Finance	SF 204 Latz	1/19/17 Introduction and first reading, referred to E-12 Finance
Minnesota reading corps program appropriation	HF 646 Bennett	1/30/17 Introduction and first reading, referred to Education Finance	SF 443 Nelson	1/30/17 Introduction and first reading, referred to E-12 Finance

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Child care assistance program maximum reimbursement rates modified, and money appropriated.	HF 723 Peterson	2/1/17 Introduction and first reading, referred to Health and Human Services Reform		
Basic sliding fee child care assistance program forecasted, and child care assistance provider reimbursement rates modified. Education partnerships enhanced, youth development promoted, education partnerships coalition fund established, and money appropriated.	HF 724 Moran HF 734 Haley	2/1/17 Introduction and first reading, referred to Health and Human Services Reform 2/1/17 Introduction and first reading, referred to Education Innovation Policy	SF 560 Hayden	2/2/2017 Introduction and first reading, referred to Human Services Reform and Policy
Minneapolis YWCA economically challenged individuals job skills development grant appropriation	HF 793 O'Neill	2/2/17 Introduction and first reading, referred to Job Growth and Energy Affordability Policy and Finance	SF 602 Hayden	2/2/17 Introduction and first reading, Referred to Jobs and Economic Growth Finance and Policy
Early learning scholarship program administration modification; predetermined qualifying programs scholarships designation prohibition			SF 389 Nelson	1/26/17 Introduction and first reading, referred to E-12 Policy
At-home infant child care program appropriation			SF 448 Relph	1/30/17 Introduction and first reading, referred to Human Services Reform and Policy
School readiness programs appropriations increase			<u>SF 558</u> <u>Cwodzinski</u>	2/2/17 Introduction and first reading, refered to E-12 Finance