

JUDICIARY FINANCE AND CIVIL LAW MINUTES

Representative Jamie Becker-Finn, Chair of the Committee on Judiciary Finance and Civil Law, called the meeting to order at 8:30 AM on January 12, 2023 in Room 5 of the State Office Building.

The Committee Legislative Assistant noted the roll.

Members present:

BECKER-FINN, Jamie, Chair
FRAZIER, Cedrick, Vice Chair
SCOTT, Peggy, Minority Lead
CARROLL, Ned
CURRAN, Brion
FEIST, Sandra
FINKE, Leigh
FREDERICK, Luke
GROSSELL, Matt
JOHNSON, Brian
MOLLER, Kelly
NISKA, Harry
WIENS, Mark

A quorum was present.

Representative Scott moved that the minutes of January 10, 2023, be adopted. THE MOTION PREVAILED.

HF 4 (Gomez) A bill for an act relating to transportation; modifying requirements for a noncompliant driver's license or Minnesota identification card and making related changes, including on eligibility, proof of lawful presence, primary and secondary documentation, and data practices; making technical changes; appropriating money; amending Minnesota Statutes 2022, sections 13.6905, by adding a subdivision; 171.04, subdivision 5; 171.06, subdivision 3, by adding subdivisions; 171.07, subdivisions 1, 3; 171.12, subdivisions 7a, 9, by adding a subdivision; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 171; repealing Minnesota Statutes 2022, section 171.015, subdivision 7.

Chair Becker-Finn moved that HF 4 be recommended to be re-referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Chair Becker-Finn moved the H0004A17 amendment.

Representative Scott moved the H0004A19 amendment to the H0004A17 amendment. THE MOTION PREVAILED.

Chair Becker-Finn moved the H0004A17 amendment as amended. THE MOTION PREVAILED.

Representative Gomez and Representative Perez-Vega presented HF 4 as amended.

Testifying on HF 4 as amended:

- Katie Madigan, Minnesota Department of Public Safety
- Jordan Haltaufderheid, Minnesota Department of Public Safety.
- Veena Iyer, Executive Director, Immigrant Law Center of Minnesota
- Linus Chan, Binger Center for New Americans, University of Minnesota Law School
- Rich Neumeister

Chair Becker-Finn renewed the motion that HF 4 as amended be recommended to be re-referred to the Committee on Ways and Means. THE MOTION PREVAILED.

HF 34 (Jordan) A bill for an act relating to data practices; classifying data for licenses issued by local governments; amending Minnesota Statutes 2022, section 13.41, subdivision 1.

Chair Becker-Finn moved that HF 34 be recommended to be placed on the General Register.

Chair Becker-Finn moved the H0034DE1 amendment. THE MOTION PREVAILED.

Representative Jordan presented HF 34 as amended.

Testifying on HF 34 as amended:

- Phil Steger
- Rich Neumeister

Chair Becker-Finn laid over HF 34 as amended.

HF 62 (M. Nelson) A bill for an act relating to labor; modifying Public Employment Relations Board data; appropriating money; amending Minnesota Statutes 2022, sections 13.43, subdivision 6; 179A.041, by adding a subdivision; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 13.

Chair Becker-Finn moved that HF 62 be recommended to be re-referred to the Labor and Industry Finance and Policy Committee.

Chair Becker-Finn moved the H0062A2 amendment. THE MOTION PREVAILED.

Representative M. Nelson presented HF 62 as amended.

Testifying on HF 62 as amended:

- Dick Kaspari

Chair Becker-Finn renewed the motion that HF 62, as amended, be recommended to be re-referred to the Labor and Industry Finance and Policy Committee. THE MOTION PREVAILED.

HF 179 (J. Hanson) A bill for an act relating to civil law; creating a name change process following a final marriage dissolution; amending Minnesota Statutes 2022, section 259.11; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 259.

Chair Becker-Finn moved that HF 179 be recommended to be placed on the General Register.

Representative Hanson presented HF 179.

Chair Becker-Finn renewed the motion that HF 179 be recommended to be placed on the General Register. THE MOTION PREVAILED.

The meeting was adjourned at 9:49 AM.

Representative Jamie Becker-Finn, Chair

Ella Schultz, Committee Legislative Assistant