

**EDUCATION POLICY COMMITTEE MINUTES**

Representative Laurie Pryor, Chair of the Committee on Education Policy, called the meeting to order at 3:05 PM on February 15, 2023 in Room 120 of the Capitol.

The Committee Legislative Assistant noted the roll.

**Members Present:**

PRYOR, Laurie, Chair  
HILL, Josiah, Vice Chair  
BENNETT, Peggy, Republican Lead  
BAKEBERG, Ben  
BERG, Kaela  
FEIST, Sandra  
FRAZIER, Cedrick  
KEELER, Heather  
KNUDSEN, Krista  
LEE, Liz  
MUELLER, Patricia  
URDAHL, Dean  
YOUAKIM, Cheryl

A quorum was present.

Representative Youakim moved to approve the minutes from February 14, 2023. THE MOTION PREVAILED.

HF1547 (Feist); Compensatory revenue modified, revenue uses changed, best practices encouraged, percentage of compensatory revenue that must stay at each school site increased, report on eliminating paper forms required, and money appropriated.

Representative Feist moved that HF1547 be re-referred to the Committee on Education Finance.

Representative Feist presented HF1547.

The following gave public testimony on HF1547:

- Matt Shaver, Policy Director, EdAllies
- Sarah Burt, Lobbyist, Education Minnesota
- Scott Croonquist, Executive Director, Association of Metro School Districts

Representative Feist renewed the motion that HF1547 be re-referred to the Committee on Education Finance. THE MOTION PREVAILED.

HF1224 (Hill); Education; tiered licensure changes made.

Vice Chair Hill moved that HF1224 be re-referred to the Committee on Education Finance.

Vice Chair Hill moved the H1224A2 amendment. THE MOTION PREVAILED. THE AMENDMENT WAS ADOPTED.

Chair Pryor divided the H1224A1 amendment into two-parts, as follows:

- Part 1 (lines 1.2-1.4)
- Part 2 (lines 1.5-1.23)

Chair Pryor moved to adopt the second part of the H1223A1 amendment (lines 1.5-1.23). THE MOTION PREVAILED. THE DIVIDED AMENDMENT WAS ADOPTED.

Vice Chair Hill presented HF1224 as amended.

The following gave public testimony on HF1224 as amended:

- Dr. Sara Ford, Ed Issues Specialist, Education Minnesota
- Paul Peltier, Music teacher, Greater Minnesota; Member, Professional Educators Licensing and Standards Board (PELSB)
- Kristin L. Dehmer, Assistant Superintendent of Business and Administrative Services, Moorhead Area Public Schools
- Jamie Peterson, Service Industry Careers Teacher, Secondary Technical Education Program, Anoka-Hennepin School District
- Crystal Brakke, School Board Member of Richfield and Intermediate District #287; Chair, Association of Metropolitan School Districts
- Philip Adenodi, Social Studies Teacher, Patrick Henry High School, Minneapolis Public Schools
- Haben Ghebregerbish, Teacher, High School for Recording Arts
- Laura Mogelson, legislative liaison for the Minnesota Association of Colleges for Teacher Education

Representative Bennett moved to table HF1224 as amended.

Representative Bennett requested a roll call.

The clerk noted the roll.

AYES

BENNETT Peggy (Republican Lead)

BAKEBERG, Ben

KNUDSEN, Krista

MUELLER, Patricia

NAYS

PRYOR, Laurie (Chair)  
HILL, Josiah (Vice-Chair)  
BERG, Kaela  
FEIST, Sandra  
FRAZIER, Cedrick  
KEELER, Heather  
LEE, Liz  
YOUAKIM, Cheryl

EXCUSED  
URDAHL, Dean

With a vote of 4 AYES, 8 NAYS, and 1 EXCUSED, THE MOTION DID NOT PREVAIL.

Vice Chair Hill renewed the motion that HF1224 as amended be re-referred to the Committee on Education Finance. THE MOTION PREVAILED.

The meeting was adjourned at 4:38 pm.

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Representative Laurie Pryor, Chair

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Isabel Anderson, Committee Legislative Assistant