

**PUBLIC SAFETY FINANCE AND POLICY COMMITTEE MEETING MINUTES**

Representative Kelly Moller, Chair of the Committee on Public Safety Finance and Policy Committee, called the meeting to order at 10:31 AM on, March 15<sup>th</sup>, 2024, in Room 200 of the State Office Building.

The Committee Legislative Assistant noted the roll.

**Members Present:**

MOLLER, Kelly, (Chair)  
FEIST, Sandra, (Vice Chair)  
NOVOTNY, Paul, (GOP Lead)  
BECKER-FINN, Jamie  
CURRAN, Brion  
ENGEN, Elliot  
FRAZIER, Cedrick  
GROSSELL, Matt  
HOLLINS, Athena  
HUDSON, Walter  
HUOT, John  
MUELLER, Patricia  
PINTO, Dave  
TABKE, Brad  
WITTE, Jeff

**Members Excused:**

A quorum was present.

Representative Becker-Finn moved the minutes of March 14<sup>th</sup>, 2024, be approved. THE MOTION PREVAILED.

**HF 4043 (Agbaje) Allocation of incarcerated persons based on their last known address in Minnesota required, Department of Corrections required to collect last residential address of an inmate before incarceration.**

Chair Moller moved that HF4043 be re-referred to the Committee on State and Local Government Finance and Policy

Representative Agbaje presented HF4043.

Testifiers on HF4043

- Carmen Allen, New Justice Project

Chair Moller renewed the motion that HF4043 be re-referred to the Committee on State and Local Government Finance and Policy. THE MOTION PREVAILED.

**HF 3799 (Norris) Office of Animal Protection established, and duties provided, definition of crime of violence expanded, and money appropriated.**

Chair Moller moved that HF3799 be laid over.

Representative Norris presented HF3799.

Testifiers on HF3799

- James Backstrom, retired Dakota County Attorney
- Jena Wasche

- Reese Frederickson, Pine County Attorney

Chair Moller renewed the motion that HF3799 be laid over.

**HF 4591 (Tabke) Protective Agent License made necessary for private companies to transport prisoners, license revocation required for acts committed by a licensee or employee of a license, and minimum administrative penalty required for violations.**

Representative Tabke moved that HF4591 be placed on the General Register.

Representative Tabke presented HF4591.

Testifiers on HF4591

- Rick Hodsdon, Chair, MN Board of Private Detectives

Representative Tabke renewed the motion that HF4591 be placed on the General Register. THE MOTION PREVAILED.

**HF 3671 (Pinto) Definition of child in need of protection or services modified.**

Representative Pinto moved that HF3671 be placed on the General Register.

Representative Pinto presented HF3671.

Testifier on HF3671

- Malaika Eban, Executive Director, Legal Rights Center

Representative Pinto renewed the motion that HF3671 be placed on the General Register. THE MOTION PREVAILED.

**HF 4101 (Urdahl) Notice of any order for protection, hearing on an order for protection, and cancellation or modification of an order for protection given to a custodian of a petitioner's minor children required.**

Chair Moller moved that HF4101 be placed on the General Register.

Representative Urdahl presented HF4101.

Chair Moller renewed the motion that HF4101 be placed on the General Register. THE MOTION PREVAILED.

The meeting adjourned at 11:45 AM.

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Representative Kelly Moller, Chair

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Christian Lohrenz, Committee Legislative Assistant