STATE OF MINNESOTA FORTY-FIFTH MEETING

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES NINETY-SECOND SESSION

COMMERCE FINANCE AND POLICY COMMITTEE

Representative Kotyza-Witthuhn, Chair of the Commerce Finance and Policy Committee, called the virtual meeting to order at 3:00PM on March 29th, 2022 pursuant to House rule 10.01. The meeting was broadcast via Zoom and House Public Information Services.

Members present:

KOTYZA-WITTHUHN, Carlie, Vice Chair

O’DRISCOLL, Tim, GOP Lead

BAHR, Cal

CARLSON, Andrew

DAVNIE, Jim

ELKINS, Steve

HALEY, Barb

KOEGEL, Erin

LEE, Fue

LISLEGARD, Dave

LUCERO, Eric

OLSON, Liz

PFARR, Brian

RASMUSSON, Jordan

RICHARDSON, Ruth

THEIS, Tama

EXCUSED

LILLIE, Leon

STEPHENSON, Zack, Chair

A quorum was present.

Representative Davnie moved to approve the minutes from the committee meeting on March 25th, 2022. THE MOTION PREVAILED.

HF1829 (Her); Organ or bone marrow donor discrimination prohibited by insurers.

Representative Kotyza-Witthuhn moved HF1829 be recommended to be placed on the General Register.

Representative Kotyza-Witthuhn moved the HF1829A2 (Her) amendment. THE MOTION PREVAILED. THE AMENDMENT WAS ADOPTED.

The following testified on HF1829:

Jen Anderson, Assistant Vice President, Alliant Insurance Services

Representative Kotyza-Witthuhn renewed her motion that HF1829 be recommended to be placed on the General Register, as amended. The clerk took the roll.

AYES

KOTYZA-WITTHUHN, Carlie, Vice Chair

CARLSON, Andrew

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HALEY, Barb

KOEGEL, Erin

LEE, Fue

LISLEGARD, Dave

OLSON, Liz

PFARR, Brian

RASMUSSON, Jordan

RICHARDSON, Ruth

THEIS, Tama

NAYS

BAHR, Cal

LUCERO, Eric

ABSENT

LILLIE, Leon

STEPHENSON, Zack, Chair

O’DRISCOLL, Tim, GOP Lead

With 13 AYES and 2 NAYS, THE MOTION PREVAILED.

Representative Carlson assumed the gavel at 3:13 PM.

HF4394 (Kotzya-Witthuhn); Annuity suitability regulation modified.

Representative Kotyza-Witthuhn moved that HF4394 be recommended to be placed on the General Register.

Representative Kotyza-Witthuhn moved the HF4394A1 (Kotyza-Witthuhn) amendment. THE MOTION PREVAILED. THE AMENDMENT WAS ADOPTED.

The following testified on HF4394:

Robyn Rowen

Peter Brickwedde, Department of Commerce

Representative Kotyza-Witthuhn renewed her motion that HF1829 be recommended to be placed on the General Register, as amended. The clerk took the roll.

AYES

KOTYZA-WITTHUHN, Carlie, Vice Chair

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LUCERO, Eric

OLSON, Liz

PFARR, Brian

RASMUSSON, Jordan

RICHARDSON, Ruth

THEIS, Tama

ABSENT

STEPHENSON, Zack, Chair

O’DRISCOLL, Tim, GOP Lead

KOEGEL, Erin

With 15 AYES and 0 NAYS, THE MOTION PREVAILED.

Representative Kotyza-Witthuhn assumed the gavel at 3:24PM.

HF4048 (Rasmusson); Collection agency licensure and registration governing provisions modified.

Representative Rasmusson moved that HF4048 be recommended to be placed on the General Register.

Representative Rasmusson moved the HF4048A2 (Rasmusson) amendment. THE MOTION PREVAILED. THE AMENDMENT WAS ADOPTED.

The following testified on HF4048:

Sarah Strong Belisle, Great Lakes Credit and Collections Association

Ron Elwood, Legal Aid

Representative Rasmusson renewed his motion that HF4048 be recommended to be placed on the General Register, as amended. The clerk took the roll.

AYES

STEPHENSON, Zack, Chair

KOTYZA-WITTHUHN, Carlie, Vice Chair

BAHR, Cal

CARLSON, Andrew

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LUCERO, Eric

OLSON, Liz

PFARR, Brian

RASMUSSON, Jordan

RICHARDSON, Ruth

THEIS, Tama

ABSENT

KOEGEL, Erin

O’DRISCOLL, Tim, GOP Lead

With 16 AYES and 0 NAYS, THE MOTION PREVAILED.

HF3255 (Stephenson); Department of Commerce administering provisions technical changes made, and federal law references updated.

Representative Stephenson moved that HF3255 be recommended to be placed on the General Register.

The following testified on HF3255:

Jon Kelly, Department of Commerce

Representative Stephenson renewed his motion that HF3255 be recommended to be placed on the General Register. The clerk took the roll.

AYES

STEPHENSON, Zack, Chair

O’DRISCOLL, Tim, GOP Lead

KOTYZA-WITTHUHN, Carlie, Vice Chair

CARLSON, Andrew

DAVNIE, Jim

ELKINS, Steve

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LEE, Fue

LISLEGARD, Dave

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PFARR, Brian

RASMUSSON, Jordan

THEIS, Tama

NAYS

BAHR, Cal

LUCERO, Eric

ABSENT

RICHARDSON, Ruth

With 15 AYES and 2 NAYS, THE MOTION PREVAILED.

The meeting was adjourned at 3:41PM.

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Representative Zack Stephenson, Chair

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Jack Dockendorf, Committee Legislative Assistant