

Judiciary Finance and Civil Law Committee

**MINUTES**

Representative Scott, Chair of the Judiciary Finance and Civil Law Committee, called the meeting to order at 10:15 AM, on March 11<sup>th</sup>, 2025, in Room G3 of the Capitol Building. A quorum was present.

The Committee Legislative Assistant noted the roll.

Members present:

SCOTT, Peggy, Chair  
HUDSON, Walter, Vice Chair  
BLISS, Matt  
CURRAN, Brion  
DURAN, Bidal  
ENGEN, Elliott  
FEIST, Sandra  
FINKE, Leigh  
FRAZIER, Cedrick  
MAHAMMOUD, Anquam  
MOLLER, Kelly  
RARICK, Marion  
STIER, Terry

Non-Voting member present:  
LIEBLING, Tina, Lead

Representative Finke moved the minutes of March 6<sup>th</sup>, 2025 be approved. **THE MOTION PREVAILED.**

**HF 1917 (Anderson, P.H.): Definition of public official in a city or county modified.**

Chair Scott moved HF 1917 before the committee.

Chair Scott moved that HF 1917 be re-referred to the committee on Election Finance and Government Operations.

**Testifiers:**

Matt Ehling, Minnesotans for Open Government, testified in favor of HF 1917.

Tori Kee, Intergovernmental Relations Attorney, League of Minnesota Cities, testified in opposition to HF 1917.

Chair Scott renewed the motion that HF 1917 be re-referred to the committee on Election Finance and Government Operations. **THE MOTION PREVAILED.**

**HF 1083 (Moller): Domestic abuse advocates prohibited from disclosing information.**

Chair Scott moved HF 1083 before the committee.

Representative Moller moved that HF 1083 be re-referred to the committee on Public Safety Finance and Policy.

**Testifiers:**

Representative Rarick, testified in favor of HF 1083.

Rana Alexander, lawyer, testified in favor of HF 1083.

Representative Moller renewed the motion that HF 1083 be re-referred to the committee on Public Safety Finance and Policy. **THE MOTION PREVAILED.**

The meeting was adjourned at 11:16 AM.

  
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Representative Scott, Chair

  
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Liam Edgar, Committee Legislative Assistant