

Education Policy Committee

Chair: Rep. Ruth Richardson

Meeting:

Friday, March 18th, 2022

1:00 PM to 3:00 PM

Remote Hearing via Zoom

Held Pursuant to Rule 10.01

Agenda:

I. Call to Order and Roll Call

II. Approval of the Minutes from March 16th, 2022

III. HF951 (Richardson); Dismissal of students in kindergarten through grade 3 prohibited.

- Bernadeia H. Johnson, EdD, Assistant Professor, Department of Educational Leadership, Minnesota State University
- Josh Crosson, Executive Director, EdAllies
- Idil Abdull, Parent Advocate

Public Testimony:

- Miriam Adam, District Program Facilitator for Multilingual Programs, Minneapolis Public Schools
- Adosh Unni, Director of Government Relations, Minnesota Department of Education
- Khulia Pringle, Member, National Parents Union
- Tonya Draughn, Minnesota Delegate, National Parents Union
- Marea Perry, Executive Director, Secrets 2 Truth
- Jenifer Davis, Parent, Teacher in ECFE
- Kevion Ellis, Policy Strategist, Education Minnesota
- Nancy Antoine—MESPA, Principal, Northfield

IV. HF3402 (Edelson); Exclusion from recess prohibited as student discipline.

- Simon Hofer, Student, Minneapolis, MN
- Gwen Anderson, Educator, St. Cloud, MN

Public Testimony:

- Khulia Pringle, Member, National Parents Union
- Marea Perry, Executive Director, Secrets 2 Truth
- Jenifer Davis, Parent, Teacher in ECFE
- Jason Lutsik—MESAPA, Principal, Bemidji
- Roger J. Aronson

V. HF1362 (Freiberg); Reasonable accommodation for parents of children with disabilities in education program required.

- Jillian Nelson, Community Resource and Policy Advocate, Autism Society of Minnesota
- Jules Edwards, Parent

VI. HF4039 (Davnier); School trust land director duties and powers modified.

- Aaron Vande Linde, Director, Minnesota Office of School Trust Lands

VII. RIPL Training Presentation

- Ben Rudrud, Founder and Owner, RIPL Training

VIII. Adjournment

Additional items may be added to the agenda.

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