

**JUDICIARY FINANCE AND CIVIL LAW MINUTES**

Representative Jamie Becker-Finn, Chair of the Committee on Judiciary Finance and Civil Law, called the meeting to order at 10:30 AM on March 24, 2023 in Room 200 of the State Office Building.

The Committee Legislative Assistant noted the roll.

**Members present:**

BECKER-FINN, Jamie, Chair  
FRAZIER, Cedrick, Vice Chair  
SCOTT, Peggy, Minority Lead  
CARROLL, Ned  
CURRAN, Brion  
FEIST, Sandra  
FREDERICK, Luke  
GROSSELL, Matt  
JOHNSON, Brian  
MOLLER, Kelly  
NISKA, Harry  
WIENS, Mark

**Members excused:**

FINKE, Leigh

A quorum was present.

Representative Curran moved that the minutes of March 23, 2023, be adopted. THE MOTION PREVAILED.

HF 282 (Frazier) Collection of race and ethnicity data on applications for drivers' licenses and identification cards authorized, and money appropriated.

Vice Chair Frazier moved that HF 282 be recommended to be re-referred to the Transportation Finance and Policy Committee.

Vice Chair Frazier presented HF 282.

Testifying on HF 282:

- Pong Xiong, Director of the Driver and Vehicle Services Division, Department of Public Safety

Vice Chair Frazier renewed the motion that HF 282 be recommended to be re-referred to the Transportation Finance and Policy Committee. THE MOTION PREVAILED.

HF 1406 (Frazier) Liability for felony murder committed by another person limited, task force on aiding and abetting felony murder extended, and report provided.

Vice Chair Frazier moved that HF 1406 be recommended to be re-referred to the Ways and Means Committee.

Vice Chair Frazier presented HF 1406.

Testifying on HF 1406:

- Perry Moriearty, Associate Professor, University of Minnesota Law School

Vice Chair Frazier renewed the motion that HF 1406 be recommended to be re-referred to the Ways and Means Committee. THE MOTION PREVAILED.

HF 1520 (Hemmingsen-Jaeger) Direct-to-consumer genetic testing companies required to provide disclosure notices and obtain consent.

Chair Becker-Finn moved that HF 1520 be recommended to be placed on the General Register.

Chair Becker-Finn moved the H1520A2 amendment. THE MOTION PREVAILED. THE AMENDMENT WAS ADOPTED.

Representative Hemmingsen-Jaeger presented HF 1520 as amended.

Testifying on HF 1520 as amended:

- Ritchie Engelhardt, Director of Government Affairs, Ancestry.com
- Jacquie Haggerty, General Counsel and Chief Privacy Officer, 23andMe, Inc.
- Twila Brase, President and Co-Founder, Citizens' Council for Health Freedom

Representative Scott moved the H1520A3 amendment. THE MOTION DID NOT PREVAIL. THE AMENDMENT WAS NOT ADOPTED.

Chair Becker-Finn renewed the motion that HF 1520 as amended be recommended to be placed on the General Register. THE MOTION PREVAILED.

HF 402 (Bierman) Health care entity transaction notice, review, and approval required; health system required to return charitable assets received from the state to the general fund.

Chair Becker-Finn moved that HF 402 be recommended to be re-referred to the State and Local Government Finance and Policy Committee.

Representative Bierman presented HF 402.

Testifying on HF 402:

- Justin Stofferahn, Antimonopoly Director, Minnesota Farmers Union
- Ben Baglio, Government Affairs Specialist, Minnesota Nurses Association
- Danny Ackert, Director of State Government Relations, Minnesota Hospital Association
- Matthew Bergeron, Counsel, Minnesota Hospital Association
- Erin Conti, Assistant Attorney General, Office of the Attorney General

Chair Becker-Finn renewed the motion that HF 402 be recommended to be re-referred to the State and Local Government Finance and Policy Committee. THE MOTION PREVAILED.

HF 1831 (Greenman) Restrictive franchise agreements prohibited.

Chair Becker-Finn moved that HF 1831 be recommended to be re-referred to the Labor and Industry Finance and Policy Committee.

Chair Becker-Finn moved the H1831A2 amendment. THE MOTION PREVAILED. THE AMENDMENT WAS ADOPTED.

Representative Greenman presented HF 1831 as amended.

Chair Becker-Finn renewed the motion that HF 1831 as amended be recommended to be re-referred on the Labor and Industry Finance and Policy Committee. THE MOTION PREVAILED.

HF 2290 (Curran) No-knock search warrants prohibited.

Representative Curran moved that HF 2290 be recommended to be re-referred to the Ways and Means Committee.

Representative Curran moved the H2290A2 amendment. THE MOTION PREVAILED. THE AMENDMENT WAS ADOPTED.

Representative Curran presented HF 2290 as amended.

Testifying on HF 2290:

- Andre Locke, father of Amir Locke
- Linda Kay Tyler, aunt of Amir Locke
- Jonathon McClellan, President, Minnesota Justice Coalition
- Dave Zimmer, retired peace officer
- Andrew Tyler, uncle of Amir Locke
- Joe Leko, County Sheriff, Dakota County Sheriff's Office; Minnesota Sheriff's Association; Minnesota Chiefs of Police Association

Chair Becker-Finn laid over HF 2290 as amended.

HF 181 (Vang) Reporting of crimes motivated by bias expanded; crimes of assault, property damage, and harassment motivated by bias amended; Board of Peace Officer Standards and Training required to update training in recognizing, responding to, and reporting crimes of bias; and money appropriated.

Chair Becker-Finn moved HF 181 before the Judiciary Finance and Civil Law Committee.

Representative Vang presented HF 181 as amended.

Testifying on HF 181:

- Brandon Schorsch, Combatting Hate Organizer, Jewish Community Action
- Karen Wills, Executive Director, Minnesota Unitarian Universalist Social Justice Alliance

Chair Becker-Finn laid over HF 181.

The meeting was adjourned at 12:49 PM.

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Representative Jamie Becker-Finn, Chair

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Ella Schultz, Committee Legislative Assistant