

# **Judiciary Finance and Civil Law Committee**

March 18, 2025 G-3 Capitol – 10:15 AM

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# Agenda

- I. Call to Order
- II. Approval of Minutes
- III. Review of committee rules
- IV. HF 1662 (Rehrauer) Human services data and veterans data provisions modified.
  - a. Testifier:
    - i. Cole Trace, Government Affairs Liaison, Minnesota
      Department of Veterans Affairs
    - ii. Andy Garvais, Director of Veterans Programs and Memorial Affairs, Minnesota Department of Veterans Affairs
- V. HF 1224 (Freiberg) Due-on-sale clauses limited in certain instances, and private right of action provided.
  - a. Testifier:
    - i. Ron Elwood, Supervising Attorney, Legal Aid
- VI. HF 1836 (Klevorn) State government; changes made to data practices.
  - a. Testifiers:
    - i. Taya Moxley-Goldsmith, Director, Minnesota Department of Administration's Data Practices Office
    - ii. Rich Neumeister
- VII. HF 1367 (Pinto) Judicial review of child maltreatment occurring outside of Minnesota allowed, local welfare agency responsibility for assessing or investigating alleged maltreatment occurring outside of state provided.
  - a. Testifier:
    - Jennifer Jackson, Assistant County Attorney, Dakota County

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VIII. HF 1168 (Bahner) Commissioner of revenue required to establish an online system to claim the political contribution refund, political contribution refund program modified to allow for electronic information transfer between the Campaign Finance and Public Disclosure Board and the Department of Revenue, data classified, and money appropriated.

# a. Testifier:

IX.

i. David Fisher, on behalf of Clean Elections Minnesota
 HF 1999 (Greene) Restrictions on public data requests to a school district added.

# a. Testifiers:

- i. Jeff Elstad, Superintendent, Owatonna Public Schools
- ii. John Carlson, Chief Administrative Officer, Rochester Public Schools
- iii. Don Gemberling, Board Member, Minnesotans for Open Government
- iv. Rich Neumeister
- X. HF 1792 (Mahamoud) Contracts for deed; definition of investor seller modified, and technical changes made.
  - a. Testifier:
    - i. Ron Elwood, Supervising Attorney, Legal Aid
- XI. HF 102 (Curran) Circumstances under which the public authority must direct support to an obligee modified.
  - a. Testifier:
    - i. Trish Skophammer, Director, Ramsey County Child Support Services



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XII. HF 2127 (Curran) Judicial official real property records classified as private, access limited, and criminal penalties imposed.

## a. Testifiers:

- i. Judge Todd Schoffelman, on behalf of the Minnesota
  District Judges Association
- ii. Chief Judge Patrick Shiltz
- iii. Rich Neumeister
- iv. Amber Bougie, Hennepin County Recorder, on behalf of the Minnesota Association of County Officers and Minnesota County Recorders Association
- v. Andrew McGuire, Dakota County Recorder, on behalf of the Minnesota Association of County Officers and Minnesota County Recorders Association
- vi. Nathan Zacharias, Technology Policy Analyst, Association of Minnesota Counties

XIII. HF 104 (Feist) Confidentiality established for restorative justice practices participants, and data classified.

- a. Testifiers:
  - i. Sarah Super, Founder, Break the Silence
  - ii. Alicia Nichols, LSW
  - iii. Amanda Sieling, Professor, Southwest Minnesota State University
  - iv. Sandra Weise, Owner, Finnish Bistro

XIV. Adjournment

Next Meeting: Thursday, March 20, 2025 at 10:15 AM