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Overview

This bill creates a task force to study day labor and temporary employment in Minnesota. The task force will study numerous aspects of day labor and temporary employment and report to the legislature by January 15, 2006. The task force report will describe the findings of the task force and make legislative recommendations.

Section

1 Day labor and temporary employment task force.

Subd. 1. Establishment. Establishes a task force to study day labor and temporary employment in Minnesota. Specifies that the task force shall consist of 15 members, including:

- the commissioner of labor and industry;
- two members of the Senate appointed by the chair of the Senate Committee on Jobs, Energy, and Community development;
- two members of the House appointed by the chair of the House Committee on Jobs and Economic Opportunity Policy and Finance; and
- ten members appointed by the commissioner.

Requires public members to be representative of the range of persons interested in the issue and to be knowledgeable about day labor and temporary employment in

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Minnesota. Specifies that public members will serve without compensation or reimbursement of personal expenses.

Subd. 2. Meetings. Directs the commissioner to convene the task force by no later than July 1, 2006. Authorizes the task force to determine the date, location, and agenda of additional meetings. Requires the Department of Labor and Industry to provide office support services to the task force.

Subd. 3. Study. Specifies issues related to day labor and temporary employment that must be studied by the task force. States that the task force's efforts need not be limited to the issues listed in the bill.

Subd. 4. Report. Requires the task force, by January 15, 2008, to submit to the legislature a written report discussing the findings of the task force and making legislative recommendations.

Subd. 5. Expiration. Provides for the expiration of the task force upon submission of the written report.

Makes this section effective the day following final enactment.