STATE OF MINNESOTA THIRTY-FIRST MEETING

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES NINETY-SECOND SESSION

COMMERCE FINANCE AND POLICY COMMITTEE

Representative Zack Stephenson, Chair of the Commerce Finance and Policy Committee, called the virtual meeting to order at 3:00 PM on February 8th, 2022 pursuant to House rule 10.01. The meeting was broadcast via Zoom and House Public Information Services.

Members present:

STEPHENSON, Zack, Chair

KOTYZA-WITTHUHN, Carlie, Vice Chair

O’DRISCOLL, Tim, GOP Lead

BAHR, Cal

CARLSON, Andrew

DAVNIE, Jim

ELKINS, Steve

HALEY, Barb

KOEGEL, Erin

LEE, Fue

LILLIE, Leon

LUCERO, Eric

PFARR, Brian

OLSON, Liz

RASMUSSON, Jordan

RICHARDSON, Ruth

THEIS, Tama

Members excused:

LISLEGARD, Dave

A quorum was present.

Representative Kotyza-Witthuhn moved to approve the minutes from the committee meeting on October 27th, 2021. THE MOTION PREVAILED.

HF895 (Youakim); Underinsured and uninsured motorist coverage required for motorcycles.

Representative Stephenson moved HF895 be recommended to be placed on the general register.

Representative Stephenson moved the HF895A1 (Youakim) amendment. THE MOTION

PREVAILED. THE AMENDMENT WAS ADOPTED.

The following testified on HF895:

Kathy Newcombe

Rich Ruohonen, TRS Injury Law

Public Testimony:

Frank Ernst, ABATE

Aaron Cocking, Insurance Federation of Minnesota

Randy Swenson, St. Croix Valley Riders

Representative Stephenson renewed the motion that HF895, as amended, be recommended to be placed on the general register. The clerk took the roll.

AYES

STEPHENSON, Zack, Chair

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NAYS

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THEIS, Tama

EXCUSED

LISLEGARD, Dave

With 10 AYES and 7 NAYS, THE MOTION PREVAILED.

HF2673 (Reyer); Dental benefit plan contract requirements modified, and third party permitted access to a dental provider contract.

Representative Stephenson moved HF2673 be recommended to be referred to the Health Finance and Policy Committee.

The following testified on HF2673:

Dr. Amber Cziok

Public Testimony:

Joe Lally, Delta Dental

Representative Stephenson renewed the motion that HF2673 be recommended to be referred to the Health Finance and Policy Committee. The clerk took the roll.

AYES

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NAYS

HALEY, Barb

LUCERO, Eric

PFARR, Brian

RASMUSSON, Jordan

THEIS, Tama

EXCUSED

LISLEGARD, Dave

With 12 AYES and 5 NAYS, THE MOTION PREVAILED.

HF2916 (Reyer); Dental provider agreement term inclusion prohibited, and disclosures required.

Representative Stephenson moved HF2916 be recommended to be referred to the Health Finance and Policy Committee.

The following testified on HF2916:

Dr. Amber Cziok

Public Testimony:

Joe Lally, Delta Dental

Representative Stephenson renewed the motion that HF2916 be recommended to be referred to the Health Finance and Policy Committee. The clerk took the roll.

AYES

STEPHENSON, Zack, Chair

KOTYZA-WITTHUHN, Carlie, Vice Chair

O’DRISCOLL, Tim, GOP Lead

CARLSON, Andrew

DAVNIE, Jim

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LEE, Fue

LILLIE, Leon

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NAYS

BAHR, Cal

HALEY, Barb

LUCERO, Eric

PFARR, Brian

RASMUSSON, Jordan

THEIS, Tama

EXCUSED

LISLEGARD, Dave

With 11 AYES and 6 NAYS, THE MOTION PREVAILED.

HF2806 (O’Driscoll); Alcohol; persons under 17 years of age permitted to serve alcoholic beverages.

Representative O’Driscoll moved HF2806 be laid over.

The following testified on HF2806:

Jason Mathiasen, Great River Bowl & Partners

Rep. O’Driscoll moved House File 2806 is laid over. House File 2806 was LAID OVER.

The meeting was adjourned at 4:11 PM

Representative Zack Stephenson, Chair

Jack Dockendorf, Committee Legislative Assistant