STATE OF MINNESOTA FORTIETH 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 March 15th, 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

ELKINS, Steve

HALEY, Barb

KOEGEL, Erin

LEE, Fue

LILLIE, Leon

LUCERO, Eric

OLSON, Liz

PFARR, Brian

RASMUSSON, Jordan

RICHARDSON, Ruth

THEIS, Tama

EXCUSED

DAVNIE, Jim

LISLEGARD, Dave

A quorum was present.

Representative Kotyza-Witthuhn moved to approve the minutes from the committee meeting on March 9th, 2022. THE MOTION PREVAILED.

HF3626 (Carlson); Beer definition provided, and malt liquor definition amended.

Representative Carlson moved that HF3626 be laid over for possible inclusion in an omnibus bill.

Representative Carlson moved the HF3626DE2 (Carlson) amendment. THE MOTION PREVAILED. THE AMENDMENT WAS ADOPTED.

The following testified on HF3626:

Brandt Erwin, Minnesota Beer Wholesalers Association

Representative Stephenson renewed his motion that HF3626 be laid over. The bill was laid over.

HF3296 (Youakim); Motor vehicle title and disclosure various governing requirements amended, and technical and clarifying changes made.

Representative Stephenson moved that HF3296 be recommended to be placed on the General Register.

Representative Stephenson moved the HF3296A2 (Youakim) amendment. THE MOTION PREVAILED. THE AMENDMENT WAS ADOPTED.

The following testified on HF3296:

Ron Elwood, Legal Aid

Pong Xiong, Driver and Vehicle Services Director

Representative Stephenson renewed his motion that HF3296 be recommended to be placed on the General Register, as amended. The clerk took the roll.

AYES

STEPHENSON, Zack, Chair

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NAYS

ABSENT

DAVNIE, Jim

LISLEGARD, Dave

With 16 AYES and 0 NAYS, THE MOTION PREVAILED.

HF2629 (Kotyza-Witthuhn); Credit card surcharges modified.

Representative Kotyza-Witthuhn moved HF2629 be recommended to be placed on the General Register.

Representative Kotyza-Witthuhn moved the HF2629DE1 (Kotyza-Witthuhn) amendment. THE MOTION PREVAILED. THE AMENDMENT WAS ADOPTED.

The following testified on HF2629:

Vickie Harris, American Express

Representative Kotyza-Witthuhn renews the motion that HF2629 be recommended to be placed on the General Register, as amended. The clerk took the roll.

AYES

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NAYS

O’DRISCOLL, Tim, GOP Lead

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THEIS, Tama

ABSENT

DAVNIE, Jim

LISLEGARD, Dave

With 9 AYES and 7 NAYS, THE MOTION PREVAILED.

HF3724 (Robbins); Social media algorithms that target children prohibited.

Representative Stephenson moved that HF3274 be recommended to be referred to the Judiciary Finance and Civil Law Committee.

The following testified on HF3274:

Dr. Bryn Austin, Harvard School of Public Health

Adam Kovacevich, Chamber of Progress

Jennifer Huddleston, Net Choice

Tyler Diers, TechNet

Maya McKenzie, Entertainment Software Association

Representative Stephenson renewed his motion that HF3274 be recommended to be referred to the Judiciary Finance and Civil Law Committee. The clerk took the roll.

AYES

STEPHENSON, Zack, Chair

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NAYS

BAHR, Cal

ABSENT

DAVNIE, Jim

LISLEGARD, Dave

With 15 AYES and 1 NAY, THE MOTION PREVAILED.

The meeting was adjourned at 4:13 PM.

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Representative Zack Stephenson, Chair

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Jack Dockendorf, Committee Legislative Assistant