Judiciary Finance and Civil Law Committee

Chair: Representative Jamie Becker-Finn

Meeting:

Tuesday, March 21, 2023 8:30AM – 10:00AM Room 5 State Office Building

Agenda:

Call to Order

Approval of the Minutes

HF 2269 (Kraft) Owners of certain buildings required to enter energy use data into benchmarking tool, public disclosure of energy use data required, grants provided, and money appropriated.

Presenter:

Representative Kraft

HF 1873 (Kozlowski) Enforcement authority modified for appropriating water.

Presenter:

Representative Kozlowski

Public Testimony:

Katie Smith, Director of the Ecological and Water Resources Division, Minnesota Department of Natural Resources

Anna Bregier, on behalf of the Irrigators Association of Minnesota Doug Carnival, on behalf of the Irrigators Association of Minnesota

HF 1750 (Huot) Data practices changes made, Office of Collaboration and Dispute Resolution established, Office of Enterprise Sustainability established, expired report on state government use of eligible contractors removed, and historic properties and fair campaign practice provisions modified.

Presenter:

Representative Huot

Public Testimony:

Taya Moxley-Goldsmith, Director of the Data Practices Office, Minnesota Department of Administration

HF 1580 (Becker-Finn) Onetime market adjustment provided to district court law clerks' starting salary to align with competitive corridor, and money appropriated.

Presenter:

Representative Becker-Finn

Public Testimony:

Mary Moriarty, Hennepin County Attorney, Hennepin County Attorney's Office Edward Reynoso, Director of Political and Legislative Affairs, Teamsters Local 320

HF 2611 (Frazier) State Board of Public Defense membership increased.

Presenter:

Representative Frazier

Public Testimony:

Chris Lynch, Public Defender, 10th Judicial District Eli Darris, Co-Executive Director, Minnesota Freedom Fund Kevin Kajer, Chief Administrator, Minnesota Board of Public Defense Chair Molly Jannetta, Chair, Minnesota Board of Public Defense Daniel Le, Board Member, Minnesota Board of Public Defense

HF 635 (Greenman) Election official intimidation prohibited, interference with performance of duty of election administration by election official prohibited, tampering with or unauthorized access to types of election systems and equipment prohibited, penalties provided, and money appropriated.

Presenter:

Representative Greenman

HF 2788 (Agbaje) Board of Pardons provisions modified, Clemency Review Commission established, report required, rulemaking authorized, and money appropriated.

Presenter:

Representative Agbaje

Public Testimony:

Professor Mark Osler, University of St. Thomas School of Law

Tim Morin

HF 2369 (Hassan) Transportation network company driver protections established.

Presenter:

Representative Hassan

Public Testimony:

Joel Carlson, on behalf of Uber Technologies

Andrew Carlson, on behalf of Lyft

Adjournment