Chair Mike Nelson Members Of The Committee I am Testifying today on HF 4818 Metropolitan Airports Commission Health and Welfare Benefits I Really Have a hard time with having our Minneapolis St Paul Airport Facility being Recognized as a Top Rated Airport Facility than find out that out of 20,000 Employees who work in and around the Airport are covered by General Health Care I have asked a couple Retired Airline Employees who said that you should be able to be covered by a Blanket Policy There is a Small Employer Policy Currently none of the HMO's offer Blanket Health Care Coverage One retiree told ne that the Unions covered a lot of the Insurance plans This is something that needs to be addressed now

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