

Crime Prevention & Public Safety Committee

April 5, 2005

3:00 p.m. Room 107 – State Capitol

Members Present

Senator Foley
Senator Berglin
Senator Betzold
Senator Kleis
Senator McGinn
Senator Neuville
Senator Ranum
Senator Ruud
Senator Skoglund

Members Absent

Senator Foley called the meeting to order at 3:10 p.m.

Senator Neuville, chief author of S.F. 903 (Controlled substance offenders conditional release or stayed sentences).

Steve Borchardt, Olmstead County Sheriff, testified on the bill.

Senator Neuville asked that the bill be laid on the table.

Senator Sparks, chief author of S.F. 927 (Commercial electronic mail messages prohibition).

Senator Betzold moved the A-2 amendment.

Motion prevailed.

Jim Erickson, AOL/Time Warner, testified in support of the bill.

Senator Kleis moved that S.F. 927, as amended, be recommended to pass and re-referred to the Committee on Finance.

Motion prevailed.

Senator Anderson, chief author of S.F. 944 (Unemployment insurance provisions federal requirements conformity and technical modifications).

Lee Nelson, Director of Legal Affairs for DEED, testified in support of the bill.

Senator Berglin moved the A-5 amendment.

Motion prevailed.

Senator Berglin moved that S.F. 944, as amended, be recommended to pass.

Motion prevailed.

Senator Anderson, chief author of S.F. 1943 (Correctional officers discipline procedures).

Senator Berglin moved the A-1 amendment.

Motion prevailed.

Julie Bleyhl, AFSCME, testified in support of the bill.

Dennis Benson, Deputy Commissioner of the Department of Corrections, testified in support of the bill.

Senator Skoglund moved that S.F. 1943, as amended, be recommended to pass.

Motion prevailed.

Senator Cohen, chief author of S.F. 69 (Stem cell research state policy).

Senator Berglin moved that S.F. 69 be recommended to pass.

Senator McGinn requested a roll call vote.

Senator Foley

Senator Foley had the secretary take the roll.

Voting Yea: Senator Foley, Senator Berglin, Senator Betzold, Senator Ranum, Senator Skoglund.

Voting Nay: Senator Kleis, Senator McGinn, Senator Neuville, Senator Ruud.

By a vote of 5-4 the motion prevailed.

Senator Solon, chief author of S.F. 1260 (Tobacco products delivery sales regulation).

Matt Flory, American Heart Association, testified in support of the bill.

Motion prevailed.

Senator Berglin moved that S.F. 1260, as amended, be recommended to pass and referred to the Committee on Taxes.

Senator Neinow, chief author of S.F. 1771 (Food regulation and meat and poultry inspection violation penalties modifications).

Kevin Elfering, Director of Dairy, Food and Meat Inspection with the Department of Agriculture, testified in support of the bill.

Senator Neuville moved that S.F. 1771 be recommended to pass.

Motion prevailed.

Senator Skoglund, chief author of S.F. 1804 (Crime of prostitution public place definition expansion).

Karen Herland, Assistant City Attorney for the City of Minneapolis, testified in support of the bill.

Senator Kleis moved an oral amendment,
Page 1, Line 17, delete "August 1, 2005" and insert "the day following enactment"

Motion prevailed.

Senator Skoglund moved that S.F. 1804, as amended, be recommended to pass and placed on the Consent Calendar.

Motion prevailed.

Senator Skoglund assumed the Chair.

Senator Foley, chief author of S.F. 2068 (Sentencing guidelines commission recommendations adoption and rejection, reporting date modification and sentencing hearings proof of aggravating factors).

Barbara Tombs, Director of the Minnesota Sentencing Guidelines, testified on the bill.

Senator Betzold moved the A-2 amendment.

Motion prevailed.

Senator Ranum moved the A-3 amendment.

Motion prevailed.

John Kingrey, Minnesota County Attorneys Association, testified on the bill.

Senator Ranum moved that S.F. 2068, as amended, be recommended to pass and re-referred to the Committee on Finance.

Senator Foley assumed the Chair.

Senator Neuville, chief author of S.F. 1323 (Public safety, corrections and criminal justice appropriations).

Jim King, Department of Finance, testified on the bill.

Senator Neuville moved the A-5 amendment.

Motion prevailed.

Michael Campion, Commissioner of the Department of Public Safety, testified on the bill.

Steve Borchardt, Olmstead County Sheriff, testified in support of the bill.

Bob Fletcher, Ramsey County Sheriff, testified in support of the bill.

Senator Ranum moved an oral amendment to the A-1 amendment, Page 1, Line 3, after "the" and before "Tribal" insert "Minnesota"

Motion prevailed.

Senator Ranum moved the A-1 amendment, as amended.

Motion prevailed.

Senator Neuville moved an oral amendment,
Delete "Article 2, Sections 10-18, Sections 22, Line 17"
Delete "Article 3"

Motion prevailed.

Rich Neumeister, privacy advocate, testified on the bill.

Senator Betzold an oral amendment,
Delete "Article 1"

Senator Betzold withdrew his motion.

Senator Betzold renewed his motion to move the oral amendment.

Motion failed.

Senator Neuville moved that S.F. 1323, as amended be passed to the Committee on Finance without recommendation.

Motion prevailed.

Senator Hottinger, chief author of S.F. 1551 (Voters rights modifications and registration facilitation).

Senator Kleis moved the A-13 amendment.

Motion prevailed.

Senator Betzold moved the A-10 amendment.

Motion prevailed.

Senator Kleis moved the A-12 amendment.

Motion prevailed.

Senator Betzold moved that S.F. 1551, as amended, be recommended to pass and re-referred to the Committee on Finance.

Motion prevailed.

Senator Foley recessed the Committee until 7:15 p.m.

Senator Foley reconvened the meeting at 7:30 p.m. in Capitol Room 123.

Senator Kleis, chief author of S.F. 317 (Texas hold'em social skill card game legalization).

Senator Kleis moved that S.F. 317 be recommended to pass.

Motion prevailed.

Senator Kubly, chief author of S.F. 400 (Criminal bail bond forfeitures and procedures).

Senator Kleis moved the A-1 amendment.

Motion prevailed.

Terry Serbus, Serbus Bail Bonds, testified in support of the bill.

John Griffith, Minnesota Professional Bail Association testified in support of the bill.

Senator Kleis moved to lay S.F. 400 on the table.

Motion prevailed.

Senator Ranum, chief author of S.F. 1438 (Crime victims employer retaliation protection).

Senator Ranum, moved the A-1 amendment.

Karen Sillete, Coon Rapids, testified in support of the bill.

Jennifer Segal, Domestic Abuse Intervention Project, testified in support of the bill.

Senator Ranum moved that S.F. 1438, as amended, be recommended to pass and re-referred to the Committee of Judiciary.

Motion prevailed.

Senator Ranum, chief author of S.F. 1877 (Prostitution crime expansion; homelessness pilot projects; vagrancy crime repeal).

Senator Ranum moved the A-1 amendment.

Motion prevailed.

Rachael Callahan, Minnesota Coalition for the Homeless, testified in support of the bill.

Gail Dorfman, Hennepin County Commissioner, testified in support of the bill.

Sue Watlov Phillips, President of the National Coalition of the Homeless, testified in support of the bill.

Mark Anderson, Executive Director of the Barbara Schneider Foundation, testified in support of the bill.

Senator Kleis moved an oral amendment,
Page 2, Line 6, delete "13" and insert "7"

Motion prevailed.

Senator Ranum moved that S.F. 1877, as amended, be recommended to pass and re-referred to the Committee on Finance.

Motion prevailed.

Senator Skoglund assumed the Chair at 9:10 p.m.

Senator Foley, chief author of S.F. 2000 (Criminal and juvenile justice information policy group provisions modifications).

Robert Sykora, Vice-Chair of the Criminal Juvenile Justice Task Force, testified in support of the bill.

Senator Foley moved that S.F. 2000 be recommended to pass.

Motion prevailed.

Senator Foley, chief author of S.F. 2087 (Peace officers soft body armor purchase costs reimbursement requirement exception).

Bill Gillespie, Minnesota Peace and Police Officers Association, testified in support of the bill.

Senator Foley moved that S.F. 2087 be recommended to pass.

Motion prevailed.

Senator Foley assumes the Chair at 9:30 p.m.

Senator Neuville moved to take S.F. 903 from the table.

Motion prevailed.

Senator Neuville, chief author of S.F. 903 (Controlled substance offenders conditional release or stayed sentences).

Senator Neuville moved an oral amendment,
Page 2, Line 21 delete "the sentencing court determined at the time of sentencing that"

Motion prevailed.

Senator Neuville moved the A-6 amendment.

Motion prevailed.

Senator Neuville moved the A-5 amendment.

Motion prevailed.

Senator Skoglund called for division.

Senator Foley called for division.

The motion prevailed 6-3.

Bill Gillespie, Minnesota Peace and Police Officers Association, testified on the bill.

John Kingrey, Minnesota County Attorney's Association, testified on the bill.

Senator Berglin moved an oral amendment,
Page 4, delete "Lines 15-19"

Motion prevailed.

Senator Kleis moved to extend the Committee time until 10:30 p.m.

Motion prevailed.

Senator Neuville moved the A-12 amendment.

Motion prevailed.

Senator Neuville moved that S.F. 903, as amended, be recommended to pass and re-referred to the Committee on Finance.

Senator Ranum, chief author of S.F. 1143 (Domestic abuse no contact order violations penalty applicability expansion).

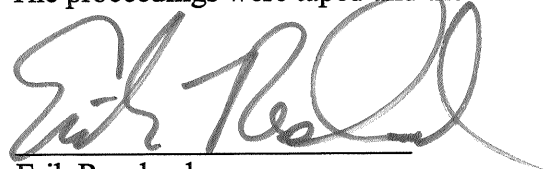
Senator Ranum moved that S.F. 1143 be recommended to pass and re-referred to the Committee on Finance.

Motion prevailed.

Senator Foley adjourned the meeting at 10:30 p.m. The proceedings were taped and the materials distributed are attached to these minutes.



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3:05 pm

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- 2) SF 944 (Anderson) Unemployment insurance provisions federal requirements conformity and technical modifications
 - a. Lee Nelson, DEED, Legal Affairs Director
- 3) SF 1943 (Anderson) Local correctional officers discipline procedures act
 - a. Julie Bleyhl, AFSCME
 - b. Dennis Benson, Deputy Commissioner, DOC
- 4) SF 69 (Cohen) Stem cell research state policy
- 5) SF 1771 (Nienow) Food regulation and meat and poultry inspection violation penalties modifications
- 6) SF 1260 (Solon) Tobacco products delivery sales regulation
- 7) SF 1804 (Skoglund) Crime of prostitution public place definition expansion
- 8) SF 2068 (Foley) Blakely modifications
 - a. Barbara Tombs, Minnesota Sentencing Guidelines Commission, Director
 - b. John Kingery, Minnesota County Attorneys Association
- 9) SF 1323 (Neuville) Public safety, corrections, and criminal justice appropriations
 - a. Michael Campion, Commissioner, DPS
- 10) SF 1551 (Hottinger) Voters rights modifications

BREAK FOR RECESS @ 6:15 pm
RECONVENE
7:25 pm

- 1) SF 317 (Kleis) Texas Hold 'em social skill card game legalization
- 2) SF 400 (Kubly) Criminal bail bond forfeitures
- 3) SF 1438 (Ranum) Crime victims employer retaliation protection

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- a. Karen Sillete
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- 4) SF 1877 (Ranum) Prostitution crimes expansion; homeless pilot projects; vagrancy crimes repealed
- a. Sue Watlov Phillips, President, National Coalition of the Homeless
 - b. Mark Anderson, Executive Director, Barbara Schneider Foundation
 - c. Gail Dorfman, Minneapolis Commissioner
- 5) SF 2000 (Foley) Criminal and juvenile justice information policy group provisions modifications
- a. Michael Campion, Commissioner, DPS
 - b. Bob Sykora, Criminal and Juvenile Justice Information Task Force, Vice Chair
- 6) SF 2087 (Foley) Peace officers soft body armor purchase costs reimbursement requirement exception
- a. Bill Gillespie, MPPOA
- 7) SF 903 (Neuville) Controlled substance offenders conditional release
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ADJOURNMENT

10:28 pm

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