Environment and Natural Resources Subcommittee on Game and Fish

Meeting Minutes

Tuesday, March 8, 2005 6:00pm Room 107 Capitol

In Attendance

Senator Tom Saxhaug Senator Dennis Fredrickson Senator Pat Pariseau Senator Satveer Chaudhary

Senator Saxhaug called the meeting to order at 6:00 p.m.

Senator Pariseau presented S.F.1157: Lynx, bobcat, or fox snaring permit requirement elimination.

Testified:

Con Christienson, Minnesota Department of Natural Resources Tim Bauer, Minnesota Trappers Association Linda Hatfield, Help Our Wolves Live

Senator Pariseau **MOVED** that S.F.1157 be recommended to pass and be included in S.F.789. **MOTION CARRIED**.

Senator Pariseau presented S.F.1238: Trappers education requirements.

Testified:

Con Christenson, Minnesota Department of Natural Resources Tim Bauer, Minnesota Trappers Association Video Presentation Ed Boggess, Minnesota Department of Natural Resources

Senator Pariseau **MOVED** to amend the A1 amendment.

Page 2, line 1, after "1989" insert "and who have not been issued a trapping license in a pervious license year,"

MOTION CARRIED.

Senator Pariseau MOVED the A1 amendment, as amended. MOTION CARRIED.

Senator Pariseau MOVED that S.F.1238, as amended, be recommended to pass and be included in S.F.789. MOTION CARRIED.

Senator Fredrickson MOVED that S.F.789 be taken off the table. MOTION CARRIED.

Testified:

Ed Boggess, Minnesota Department of Natural Resources

Senator Saxhaug **MOVED** oral amendments to the A-5 amendment.

Page 1, line 30, after "section" insert "s", after "31" insert "and 33" **MOTION CARRIED**.

Senator Saxhaug Moved the A-5 amendment, as amended. MOTION CARRIED.

Senator Saxhaug **MOVED** that S.F.789, as amended, and including S.F.1157 and S.F.1238 as amended, be recommended to pass and be sent to the full committee. **MOTION CARRIED.**

The meeting was recorded electronically. Senator Fredrickson adjourned the meeting at 7:05 p.m.

Respectfully Submitted,

Senator Tom Saxhuag, Chair

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Senator Tom Saxhaug, Chair

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AGENDA

- 1. Call to Order
- 2. Review of Bills for possible inclusion in the Department of Natural Resources Omnibus Game and Fish Bill:
- SF 1157 Pariseau: Lynx, bobcat, or fox snaring permit requirement elimination
- SF 1238 Pariseau: Trappers education requirements
- SF 789 Saxhaug: Game and fish provisions modifications
 - 3. Discussion
 - 4. Adjournment