

HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES BUDGET DIVISIONMINUTES

Senator Linda Berglin, Chair of the Health and Human Services Budget Division, called the thirtieth meeting to order at 4:30 p.m. on Tuesday, April 26, 2005, in Room 15 of the State Capitol, St. Paul Minnesota.

The secretary noted the roll.

Members Present:

Berglin, Chair  
Solon, Vice Chair  
Foley  
Higgins  
Koering  
LeClair  
Lourey  
Rosen

A quorum was present.

This meeting was scheduled to discuss the Health and Human Services Omnibus Budget Division bill for 2005. The document SC4101 and HEALTH-1 was before the committee for discussion, as follows:

**2005 Health and Human Services Omnibus Budget Bill (SC4101 and HEALTH-1):** A bill for an act relating to state government; modifying licensing fees; expanding health care program eligibility; enacting health care cost containment measures; modifying mental and chemical health programs; adjusting family support programs; reducing certain parental fees; providing a cost-of-living adjustment for certain human services program employees; modifying long-term care programs; modifying continuing care programs; appropriating money.

Senator Higgins moved to amend SC4101/HEALTH-1 as follows:

Page ..., line..., after the period, insert "The task force shall also develop Recommendations on how to pay for children's mental health screenings."

The **MOTION PREVAILED** and the amendment was adopted.

Senator Rosen moved to amend SC4101/HEALTH-1 as follows:

Page ..., after line..., insert:

"Sec. ... [SKILLED NURSING FACILITIES IN FARIBAULT COUNTY.]

All skilled nursing facilities in Faribault County shall have the inspection required under Minnesota Statutes, section 144A.10, conducted by the Department of Health's Mankato survey team."

The **MOTION PREVAILED** and the amendment was adopted.

Senator Lourey moves to amend SC4101/HEALTH-1 as follows:

Page..., after line..., insert:

(a) The commissioner of health shall work with local public health departments to develop a public health information network. The development of the network must be consistent with the recommendations, goals, and strategies of the Minnesota public health information network report to the 2005 legislature and the e-health initiative.

(b) The commissioner of health shall work with the commissioner of human services to determine how data from care systems can be utilized to assist with population health needs assessments and targeted prevention efforts. The commissioner of health shall incorporate these findings into the development of a Minnesota public health information network and the e-health initiative."

The **MOTION PREVAILED** and the amendment was adopted.

Senator Higgins assumed the chair at 4:45 p.m.

Senator Berglin moved to amend SC4101/HEALTH-1 as follows:

**(See Attachment "A" - BLO979)**

The **MOTION PREVAILED** and the amendment was adopted.

Senator Berglin moved to amend SC4101/HEALTH-1 as follows:

**(See Attachment "B" - BL1031)**

The **MOTION PREVAILED** and the amendment was adopted.

Senator Berglin returned to the chair at 4:50 p.m.

Senator LeClair moved to amend SC4101/HEALTH-1 as follows:

**(See Attachment "C" - BL1015)**

There was one person who testified regarding the previous amendment:

Doug Stang, Assistant Commissioner, Health Department.

The **MOTION PREVAILED** and the amendment was adopted.

Senator Lourey moved to amend SC4101/HEALTH-1 as follows:

Page 229, line 16, delete "nine" and insert "12"

The **MOTION PREVAILED** and the amendment was adopted.

Senator Higgins moved to acceptance of the Health and Human Services Budget Spreadsheet. Senator LeClair requested a Roll Call Vote on the motion.

**ROLL CALL VOTE ON ACCEPTANCE OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES  
BUDGET DIVISION SPREADSHEET – APRIL 26, 2005 – 3:52 p.m.**

	<u>YES</u>	<u>NO</u>
Sen. Berglin, Chair	X	
Sen. Solon, Vice Chair	X	
Sen. Foley	X	
Sen. Higgins	X	
Sen. Koering	X	
Sen. LeClair		X
Sen. Lourey	X	
Sen. Rosen		
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Total	6	1

There being **6 Yes** and **1 No** vote – The **MOTION PREVAILED** and the Health and Human Services Spreadsheet was adopted.

Senator Lourey moved that SC4101 and HEALTH-1 documents, as amended, be recommended to pass to the Finance Committee. Senator LeClair requested a Roll Call Vote on the motion.

**ROLL CALL VOTE ON PASSAGE OF SC4101 AND HEALTH-1 DOCUMENTS,  
AS AMENDED – (OMNIBUS HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES BILL)**

	<u>YES</u>	<u>NO</u>
Sen. Berglin, Chair	X	
Sen. Solon, Vice Chair	X	
Sen. Foley	X	
Sen. Higgins	X	
Sen. Koering	X	
Sen. LeClair		X
Sen. Lourey	X	
Sen. Rosen		
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Total	6	1

There being **6 Yes** and **1 No** vote – The **MOTION PREVAILED** and the documents were adopted and recommended to pass to the Finance Committee.

The meeting adjourned at 5:30 p.m.

  
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Senator Linda Berglin  
Chair

  
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Rochelle M. Polansky  
Legislative Assistant

**Health and Human Services Budget Division**

**Senator Linda Berglin, Chair**

**Tuesday, April 26, 2005 – 4:15 p.m.**

**Room 15 State Capitol**

**AGENDA**

- I. Call to Order.
- II. 2005 Omnibus Health and Human Services Budget Bill.
- III. Adjournment.