

Crime Prevention & Public Safety Committee

March 21, 2006

3:00 p.m. Room 107 – State Capitol

Members Present

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

Members Absent

Senator Foley called the meeting to order at 3:07 p.m.

Senator Limmer, chief author of S.F. 3126 (Trafficking victims toll-free hotline).

Lauren Gilchrist, Community Program Associate with the Deborah Powell Center for Women's Health, testified in support of the bill.

Linda Miller, Executive Director of Civil Society, testified in support of the bill.

Senator Betzold moved that S.F. 3126 be laid over for possible inclusion into the Omnibus bill.

Motion prevailed.

Senator Skoe, chief author of S.F. 2924 (County board regional jail system withdrawal authority modification).

Susan Mills, Tri County Corrections, testified in support of the bill.

Senator Neuville moved an oral amendment,
Page 1, Line 7, after "system" add "in accordance with the joint powers agreement."

Motion prevailed.

Senator Betzold moved that S.F. 2924, as amended, be laid over for possible inclusion into the Omnibus bill.

Motion prevailed.

Senator Betzold, chief author of S.F. 2373 (Regulated animals ownership and possession restrictions modifications and criminal penalties imposition).

Senator Betzold moved that S.F. 2373 be laid over for possible inclusion into the Omnibus bill.

Motion prevailed.

Senator Kelley, chief author of S.F. 3005 (Crime of unlawful conduct relating to telephone records).

Shawn Simpsen, Midwest Wireless, testified in support of the bill.

Richard Neumeister, privacy advocate, testified against the bill.

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Senator Neuville moved an oral amendment,
Page 2, Line 12 delete "five" and insert "one"
Page 2, Line 13 delete "\$10,000" and insert "\$3,000"
Page 2, Line 14 delete "ten" and insert "two"
Page 2, Line 17 delete "20" and insert "5"
Page 2, Line 18 delete "\$100,000" and insert "\$50,000"

Motion prevailed.

Senator Betzold moved an oral amendment,
Page 3, delete lines 4-5.

Motion prevailed.

Senator Betzold moved that S.F. 3005, as amended, be laid over for possible inclusion into the Omnibus bill.

Motion prevailed.

Senator Ranum, chief author of S.F. 3140 (Corrections department substance abuse treatment provisions modification).

Joel Alter, Office of the Legislative Auditor, testified that their recommendations from their recent report are the ones included in this bill.

Senator Ranum moved that S.F. 3140 be laid over for possible inclusion into the Omnibus bill.

Motion prevailed.

Senator Ranum, chief author of S.F. 3139 (Prison based mental health programs information legislative report requirement).

Nanette Larson, Director of Health Services with the Department of Corrections, testified in support of the bill.

Senator Ranum moved that S.F. 3139 be laid over for possible inclusion into the Omnibus bill.

Motion prevailed.

Senator Dibble, chief author of S.F. 2642 (Moving violation while communicating over mobile phone fine increase).

Donny Harder, Student at Lake Harriet Community School, testified in support of the bill.

Mary Koppel, testified in support of the bill.

Senator McGinn moved the A-3 amendment.

Senator Skoglund moved an oral amendment to the A-3 amendment,
Page 1, Line 7 after "telephone;" add "while operating a computer;"

Motion prevailed.

Senator Ranum moved an oral amendment to the A-3 amendment,
Page 1, Line 7 delete "while applying makeup"

Senator Ranum moved an oral amendment to the A-3 amendment

Motion prevailed.

Senator McGinn renewed his motion on the A-3 amendment.

Motion failed.

Senator Berglin moved an oral amendment,
Page 1, Line 11 delete "operating" and insert "communicating over"

Motion prevailed.

Shawn Simpsen, testified with concerns regarding the bill.

Senator Skoglund moved that S.F. 2642, as amended, be recommended to pass.

Motion prevailed.

Senator Chaudhary, chief author of S.F. 2963 (Crime of counterfeiting federal currency; career offender sentencing provision modification; federal law enforcement officer definition modification).

John Kirkwood, Secret Service, testified in support of the bill.

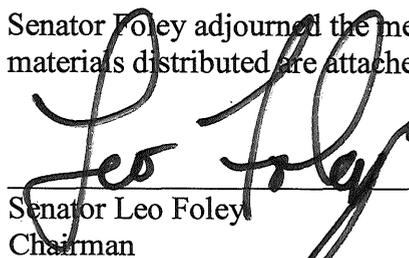
Timothy Kossack, Postal Inspector, testified in support of the bill.

Helen Drosnahan, Dakota County Assistant Attorney, testified in support of the bill.

Senator Ranum moved to lay S.F. 2963 on the table.

Motion prevailed.

Senator Foley adjourned the meeting at 5:44 p.m. The proceedings were taped and the materials distributed are attached to these minutes.



Senator Leo Foley
Chairman



Erik Reseland
Legislative Assistant

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Tuesday, March 21, 2006
Chair: Sen. Leo Foley
3 p.m.
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AGENDA:

- 1) SF 3126 (Limmer) Trafficking victims toll-free hotline
 - a. Lauren Gilchrist, Community Program Associate, Deborah Powell Center for Women's Health
 - b. Linda Miller, Executive Director, Civil Society
- 2) SF 2924 (Skoe) County Board regional jail system withdrawal authority modification
 - a. Susan Mills, Tri County Corrections
- 3) SF 2373 (Betzold) Regulated animals ownership and possession restrictions modifications and criminal penalties imposition
- 4) SF 3005 (Kelley) Crime of unlawful conduct relating to telephone records
 - a. Shawn Simpsen, Midwest Wireless
 - b. Richard Neumeister, privacy advocate
- 5) SF 3140 (Ranum) Corrections department substance abuse treatment provisions modification
 - a. Joel Alter, Office of the Legislative Auditor
- 6) SF 3139 (Ranum) Prison based mental health programs information legislative report requirement
 - a. Nanette Larson, Director of Health Services, DOC
- 7) SF 2642 (Dibble) Moving violation while operating mobile phone fine increase
 - a. Donny Harder, Lake Harriet Community School
 - b. Mary Koppel
- 8) SF 2963 (Chaudhary) Crime of counterfeiting federal currency; career offender sentencing provision modification; federal law enforcement officer definition modification
 - a. John Kirkwood, Secret Service
 - b. Timothy Kossack, Postal Inspector
 - c. Helen Drosnahan, Dakota County Assistant Attorney