## Minnesota State Senate

Health and Human Services Finance and Policy Committee Wednesday, March 16, 2022 1:00 PMLivestream YouTube

## Minutes

<u>Present</u>: Senator Paul J. Utke - Chair, Senator Rich Draheim - Vice Chair, Senator Jim Abeler, Senator Michelle R. Benson, Senator Chris A. Eaton, Senator Matt D. Klein, Senator Mark W. Koran, Senator Carla J. Nelson, Senator Melissa H. Wiklund

Absent: No Members Absent

Senator Paul J. Utke called the meeting to order at 1:05 PM

S.F. 3202: Senator Dornink: Podiatrist licensure requirement modification

- Dr. Bill Buege, retired, Albert Lea Healthcare Coalition

Senator Utke moved that S.F. 3202, be recommended to pass.

S.F. 3501: Senator Draheim: Physicians assistants provisions modifications.

- Natsha Chernyavsky, Legislative and Policy Specialist, Citizens' Council for Health Freedom

- Leslie Clayton, State Government Affairs for the Minnesota Academy of Physicians Assistants

Senator Draheim moves the A-1 authors ammendment, passes on voice vote.

Senator Draheim moved that S.F. 3501, as amended, be recommended to pass.

<u>S.F. 3256:</u> Senator Draheim: Dental therapy, specialty and guest dentist licensures requirements modifications.

- Bridgett Anderson, Executive Director, Minnesota Board of Dentistry

Senator Draheim moved that S.F. 3256, be recommended to pass and re-referred to the Finance Committee.

S.F. 1257: Senator Benson: Background studies requirement exemption for licensed persons; additional authorized fingerprint collection vendor requirement; appropriating money.

- Mary Krinke, MN Hospital Association

- Matt Burdick, Director of State Government Relations, MN Dept of Human Services

Senator Benson moves the A-6 authors ammendment, passes on voice vote.

Senator Benson moved that S.F. 1257, as amended, recommended to pass and re-referred to the Finance Committee.

Department of Human Services Background Studies Update

- Inspector General Kulani Moti, Department of Human Services

The ineering was adjourned at 2.11

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Bailey Strand, Committee Administrator