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Re: Wednesday, March 8, 2023 - 3:00 PM Committee on Transportation Chair: Sen. D. Scott Dibble

S.F. 661-Kunesh: Indian employment preference provision for members of federally recognized Tribes on projects near Indian reservations.

S.F. 2376-Kunesh: Tribal affairs construction workforce training program appropriation; Tribal-state relations training program appropriation.

I object once again this is discrimination to My Children and Grandchildren, they are Native of Minnesota thru our Family tree, We get the same speech you're not Tribally recognized, my Children and Grandchildren are Native American through their Families documentation. Their Great Grandparents of the Minnesota Territory were signers and recognized of the Treaties.

The Department of Interior Census of 1972 traced the generation from the Treaties. These two recent bills submitted are racist and one sided to the American Indian of Minnesota I ask to submitted my letter for the record on these two bills #661 & #2376 That are being pushed thru by Kunesh

Sincerely Maria Cermak