

Minnesota State Senate

Human Services Committee
Monday, February 20, 2023
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Minutes

Present: Senator John A. Hoffman - Chair, Senator Omar Fateh - Vice Chair, Senator Jim Abeler, Senator Alice Mann, Senator Andrew Mathews, Senator Nicole L. Mitchell, Senator Jordan Rasmusson, Senator Paul J. Utke, Senator Melissa H. Wiklund

Absent: Senator Erin K. Maye Quade

Senator John A. Hoffman called the meeting to order at 3:03pm.

S.F. 2: Senator Mann: Paid family, pregnancy, bonding, and applicant's serious medical condition benefits establishment and appropriation Testimony will be limited to waived services and the impact of increased costs on employees/providers that are affected by the legislation. Contact Committee Administrator Kevin Parker at kevin.parker@senate.mn with any questions.

Senator Mann introduces SF 2: Paid family, pregnancy, bonding, and applicant's serious medical condition benefits establishment and appropriation

Disproportionately affects women, people of color, and people with disabilities

Testifiers

Julie Johnson, President of MSS and President of MOHR

Phil Griffin, Ewald Consulting on behalf of ARRM

Ken Bence, Director of Research

Erin Huppert, LeadingAge MN, on behalf of the Long-Term Care Imperative

Toby Pearson, LeadingAge MN, on behalf of the Long-Term Care Imperative

Sumer Spika, SEIU Healthcare Minnesota and Iowa

Willie Snyder, Residential Counselor at Lake Owasso Residence for people with developmental disabilities, AFSCME Council 5, AFL-CIO

Sam Smith, Alzheimer's Association

Senator Abeler introduces A58 amendment - adopted

Sean Burke, AARP - testifier

Senator Rasmusson introduces A60 amendment - adopted

Requirement for Actuarial Study Requirement

Senator Mann introduces A70 - adopted

Senator Fateh introduces the A59 amendment

Debra Fitzpatrick, Children's Defense Fund

Committee is in recess at 4:53pm, returns at 4:58pm

Senator Hoffman withdraws A59 amendment, and introduces A55 amendment

Senator Mann accepts, adopted

As amended, recommended to pass and re-referred to the Jobs and Economic Development Committee.

The meeting was adjourned at 5:10pm.



Senator John A. Hoffman, Chair



David Zak, Legislative Assistant