## Minnesota State Senate

Labor Committee
Tuesday, January 31, 2023
1:30 PM, Room 1100, Minnesota Senate Bldg.

## **Minutes**

<u>Present</u>: Senator Jennifer A. McEwen - Chair, Senator Grant Hauschild - Vice Chair, Senator Gene Dornink, Senator Glenn H. Gruenhagen, Senator Robert J. Kupec, Senator John Marty, Senator Clare Oumou Verbeten, Senator Sandra L. Pappas, Senator Nathan Wesenberg

**Absent: Senator Bill Lieske** 

Senator Jennifer A. McEwen called the meeting to order at 1:34pm.

## **Confirmation of Minnesota Department of Labor and Industry Commissioner Blissenbach**

Commissioner Nicole Blissenbach joins the witness stand and introduces herself and her background.

Commissioner Blissenbach entertains questions from the Committee.

Discussion.

Senator Grant Hauschild moves to recommend Commissioner Blissenbach for confirmation. The motion passes along a voice vote.

Senator Hauschild moved that Confirmation of Minnesota Department of Labor and Industry Commissioner Blissenbach, be recommended to pass. - MOTION CARRIED.

The meeting was adjourned at 2:07pm.

Senator Jennifer A. McEwen, Chair

Jack Fischer Legislative Assistant