

Minnesota State Senate

Environment, Climate, and Legacy Committee
Thursday, April 25, 2024
3:00 PM, 1150 Minnesota Senate Bldg.

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Minutes

Present: Senator FOUNG Hawj - Chair, Senator Jennifer A. McEwen Vice Chair, Senator Justin D. Eichorn, Senator Steve Green, Senator Grant Hauschild, Senator John A. Hoffman, Senator Mary K. Kunesh, Senator Andrew R. Lang, Senator Kelly L. Morrison, Senator Nathan Wesenberg

Absent: No Members Absent

Senator FOUNG Hawj called the meeting to order at 3:10pm

S.F. 3887: Senator Hawj: Minnesota Aquatic Invasive Species Research Center previous appropriation for a grant terms modification.

Senator Hawj moved the A-7 delete-all Author's Amendment, adopted by voice vote

Senator Hawj moved the A-15 Author's Amendment, adopted by voice vote, and incorporated the following change: "Page 12, after line 6 insert: "EFFECTIVE DATE. This section is effective the day following final enactment."

Senator Hawj moved the A-31 amendment (technical change from DNR), adopted by voice vote

Senator Morrison moved the A-10 amendment, adopted by voice vote

Senator Hoffman moved the A-34 amendment, adopted by voice vote

Senator Green moved the A-23 amendment, Roll call, 4Yes/6No, amendment was not adopted

Senator Hauschild moved the A-33 amendment, adopted by voice vote; Testifier: Tom Johnson, Government Relations Dir, MPCA

Senator Lang moved the A-21 amendment, adopted by voice vote

Senator Lang moved the A-22 amendment, adopted by voice vote; Testifier: Bob Meier, DNR Assistant Commissioner

Senator Hauschild moved the A-32 amendment (placeholder), adopted by voice vote; Testifier: Kirk Koudelka, Assistant Commissioner, MPCA

Senator Eichorn moved the A-9 amendment, adopted by voice vote; Testifier: Bob Meier, DNR Assistant Commissioner

The following individuals testified on S.F.3887:

Public walk-up Testifiers to Member questions:
Frank Kolasch, Assistant Commissioner, MPCA
Tom Johnson, Government Relations Director, MPCA
Jim Erickson, Solomon Strategies Group

Senator Hawj moved that S.F. 3887, as amended, recommended to pass and re-referred to the Finance Committee. - **MOTION PREVAILED.**

The meeting was adjourned at 4:04pm

Senator Foung Hawj, Chair

Maikao Vue, Legislative Assistant