Taxes Committee Wednesday, March 13, 2024 8:30 AM, G-15 Capitol

Minutes

<u>Present</u>: Senator Ann H. Rest - Chair, Senator Matt D. Klein - Vice Chair, Senator D. Scott Dibble, Senator Steve Drazkowski, Senator Jeremy R. Miller, Senator Carla J. Nelson, Senator Aric Putnam, Senator Bill Weber

Excused: Senator Kari Dziedzic, Senator Grant Hauschild

Senator Ann H. Rest called the meeting to order at 8:34am.

Adoption of the minutes from 3/12/24.

Minutes from March 12, 2024, were approved as presented.

S.F. 3670: Senator Oumou Verbeten: Controlled substances and illegal cannabis tax repeal and other technical changes provision.

Senator Klein offered the A2 Amendment. The motion prevailed and the amendment was adopted.

Testifier:

Martha Burton, Assistant Commissioner, Minnesota Department of Revenue

Senator Klein moved that S.F. 3670, as amended, be recommended to pass, and re-referred to the Judiciary and Public Safety Committee.

S.F. 4552: Senator Dornink: Minnesota education income tax credit eligible expenses expansion.

Testifier:

Troy Haugen, Director of Career and College Readiness, Lakes Country Service Cooperative

Senator Rest moved that S.F. 4552 be laid over.

S.F. 4216: Senator Weber: Certain leased land property tax exemption provision.

Testifier:

Steve Champlin, Prairie Conservation Coordinator, The Nature Conservancy

Senator Rest moved that S.F. 4216 be laid over.

The gavel was transferred to Vice-Chair Klein.

S.F. 4115: Senator Rest: Property tax abatement for land bank property authorization.

Senator Rest offered the A1 Amendment. The motion prevailed and the A1 Amendment was adopted.

Testifier:

Tom Streitz, Interim President, Land Bank Twin Cities

Senator Klein moved that S.F. 4115 be laid over.

The meeting was adjourned at 9:43am.

Senator Ann H. Rest, Chair

Maddie Hormann, Legislative Assistant