



Minnesota Senate Taxes Committee

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Room G-15

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Agenda

1. Call to Order.

2. SF 4862 (Oumou Verbeten) – Certain uncoded provision in federal law that relates to provisions of the Internal Revenue Code does not apply provision.

Testifiers:

- Joanna Bayers – Legislative Director, Department of Revenue
- John Reynolds – State Director, National Federation of Independent Business
- John Hausladen – President, Minnesota Trucking Association

3. SF 5194 (Klein) – Refundable credit proposal for conversion of underutilized buildings.

Testifiers:

- Dan Collison – Senior Director of Business Development and Public Affairs, Sherman Associates
- Heidi Swank – Executive Director, Rethos
- Adam Duinick – President and CEO, Minneapolis Downtown Council
- Jacob Frey – Mayor, City of Minneapolis
- Nicolle Goodman – Director of Planning and Economic Development, City of St. Paul
- Joe Spencer – President, St. Paul Downtown Alliance
- Amanda Duer – VP of Government Operations, St. Paul Area Chamber

4. SF 5168 (Klein) – Individual income, corporate franchise, and sales and use taxes assessments limitations provisions.

Testifier:

- Geno Fragnito – Director of Government Relations, MNCPA

5. SF 4875 (Mitchell) – Local affordable housing aid conditional maintenance of effort requirement provision.

Testifiers:

- Libby Murphy – Director of Policy, Minnesota Housing Partnership
- Margaret Kaplan – President, Housing Justice Center
- Rev. Nancy Nord Bence – Public Policy Manager, Beacon Interfaith Housing Collaborative

6. SF 4486 (Hauschild) – Property tax exemption for certain property owned by an Indian Tribe.

Testifiers:

- Robert Deschampe – Chairman, Grand Portage Band of Lake Superior Chippewa
- April McCormick – Secretary/Treasurer, Grand Portage Band of Lake Superior Chippewa

7. SF 4983 (Hauschild) – Data centers sales and use tax exemption modification.

Testifiers:

- Barbara Comstock – Advisor, NetChoice
- Jonathan Weinhausen – President and CEO, MPLS Regional Chamber of Commerce
- Nate Kabat – Community Development Director, City of Chaska
- Zach Martin – Manager of Government Affairs, Allete/MN Power
- Dan McConnell – President, MN State Building and Construction Trades

8. Announcements.

9. Adjournment

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