Minnesota State Senate

Commerce and Consumer Protection Committee Thursday, February 27, 2025 12:30 PM, G-15 Capitol

Minutes

<u>Present</u>: Senator Gary H. Dahms, Senator Zach Duckworth, Senator Nick A. Frentz, Senator Steve Green, Senator Jeff R. Howe, Senator Matt D. Klein, Senator Ron Latz, Senator Jordan Rasmusson, Senator Ann H. Rest, Senator Judy Seeberger, Senator Melissa H. Wiklund

Absent: No Members Absent

Senator Matt D. Klein called the meeting to order at 12:33pm

Call to Order

<u>S.F. 1481:</u> Senator Pappas: Retailers requirement to display signage warning about the dangers of mercury-containing skin-lightening products.

The following individuals testified on S.F.1481: Amira Adawe, Beautywell Project Barbara Hall, Cullasaja Synergy Consulting, LLC

Senator Klein moved that S.F. 1481, as amended, be laid over.

S.F. 826: Senator Draheim: Artist paint containing cadmium prohibition elimination.

Senator Rasmusson moves the A2. A2 is adopted.

The following individuals testified on S.F.0826:
Scott Fares, Wet Paint Artists' Materials and Framing
Darin Rinne, Wet Paint Artists' Materials and Framing
Dave Johnson, Faegre Drinker on behalf of The Hillman Group, Inc
Bill Moran, The Art and Creative Materials Institute, Inc
Tom Johnson, MN Pollution Control Agency

Senator Frentz moved that S.F. 826, as amended, recommended to pass and re-referred to the Environment, Climate, and Legacy Committee. - **MOTION PREVAILED**.

<u>S.F. 950:</u> Senator Jasinski: Salvage vehicle auction notice requirements provision and authorizing insurers to apply for vehicle title when vehicle is acquired through payment of damages.

The following individuals testified on S.F.0950: Todd Hill, Copart Car Auctions

Senator Klein moved that S.F. 950, be laid over for possible inclusion in the omnibus bill.

S.F. 447: Senator Rest: Consumer protection restitution account establishment and appropriation.

Senator Rest offers the A2. A2 is adopted. Senator Rest offers the A4. A4 is adopted.

The following individuals testified on S.F.0447:
Thomas Elness, AARP Minnesota
Prentiss Cox
Dennis Anderson
Helene Johnson
Jessica Whitney, Attorney General's Office

Senator Rest moved that S.F. 447, be recommended to pass and re-referred to the State and Local Government Committee. - **MOTION PREVAILED**.

S.F. 1758: Senator Dahms: Board of directors of the Minnesota Insurance Guarantee Association permission to request financial information from insureds.

The following individuals testified on S.F.1758: Jeff Christensen, MN Insurance Guaranty Association

Senator Dahms moved that S.F. 1758, be recommended to pass. - MOTION PREVAILED.

The meeting was adjourned at 2:25pm

Senator Matt D. Klein, Chair

Ellie Tibodeau-Lissick, Legislative Assistant

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