Elections Committee

Tuesday, April 8th, 2025

03:00 PM, (Hybrid Hearing) 1200 Minnesota Senate Bldg.

Minutes

<u>Present</u>: Senator Jim Carlson - Chair, Senator Bonnie S. Westlin - Vice Chair, Senator Mark W. Koran, Senator Calvin K. Bahr, Senator Liz Boldon, Senator Steve A. Cwodzinski, Senator Warren Limmer, Senator Eric Lucero, Senator John Marty, Senator Andrew Mathews, Senator Lindsey Port

Absent: No Members Absent

Senator Liz Boldon called the meeting to order at 3:06 p.m.

Call to Order

A quorum is present.

• S.F. 2384 (Westlin): Elections Policy Omnibus Bill

The following individuals testified on the Elections Policy Omnibus Bill:

Senator Westlin

Nicole Freeman, Government Relations Director, OSS

Senator Westlin moved the A8 Amendment to S.F. 2384. Senator Boldon requested a roll call vote for the adoption of the A8 Amendment. With a vote of 9/0/1/1, the motion prevailed.

Ayes: Koran, Westlin, Bahr, Boldon, Cwodzinski, Limmer, Marty, Mathews, Port

Nays:

Pass: Carlson Absent: Lucero

Senator Weslin moved the A43 Amendment to S.F. 2384. Senator Westlin requested a roll call vote for the adoption of the A43 Amendment. With a vote of 10/0/1, the motion prevailed.

Ayes: Carlson, Koran, Westlin, Bahr, Boldon, Cwodzinski, Limmer, Marty, Mathews,

Port

Nays:

Absent: Lucero

Senator Westlin moved the A11 Amendment to S.F. 2384. Senator Westlin requested a roll call vote for the adoption of the A11 Amendment. With a vote of 10/0/1, the motion prevailed.

Ayes: Carlson, Koran, Westlin, Bahr, Boldon, Cwodzinski, Limmer, Marty, Mathews,

Port

Nays:

Absent: Lucero

Senator Westlin moved the A10 Amendment to S.F. 2384. Senator Westlin requested a roll call vote for the adoption of the A10 Amendment. With a vote of

7/3/1, the motion prevailed.

Ayes: Carlson, Westlin, Boldon, Cwodzinski, Limmer, Marty, Port

Nays: Koran, Bahr, Mathews

Absent: Lucero

Senator Bahr moved A32 Amendment to S.F 2384. Senator Bahr withdrew the A32 Amendment.

Senator Koran moved the A20 Amendment to S.F. 2384. Senator Koran requested a roll call vote for the adoption of the A20 Amendment. With a vote of 5/6, the motion failed.

Ayes: Koran, Bahr, Limmer, Lucero, Mathews

Nays: Carlson, Westlin, Boldon, Cwodzinski, Marty, Port

Senator Bahr moved the A32 Amendment to S.F. 2384. Senator Bahr requested a roll call vote for the adoption of the A32 Amendment. With a vote of 5/6, the motion failed.

Ayes: Koran, Bahr, Limmer, Lucero, Mathews

Nays: Carlson, Westlin, Boldon, Cwodzinski, Marty, Port

Senator Lucero moved the A21 Amendment to S.F. 2384. Senator Lucero requested a roll call vote for the adoption of the A21 Amendment. With a vote of 5/6, the motion failed.

Ayes: Koran, Bahr, Limmer, Lucero, Mathews

Nays: Carlson, Westlin, Boldon, Cwodzinski, Marty, Port

Senator Bahr moved the A19 Amendment to S.F. 2384. Senator Bahr requested a roll call vote for the adoption of the A19 Amendment. With a vote of 5/6, the motion failed

Ayes: Koran, Bahr, Limmer, Lucero, Mathews

Nays: Carlson, Westlin, Boldon, Cwodzinski, Marty, Port

Senator Westlin moved to direct staff to prepare the contents of S.F. 2384, as amended, as an amendment to S.F. 3096, and make any necessary technical corrections. Senator Boldon requested a roll call vote on the motion. With a vote of 6/5, the motion prevailed.

Ayes: Carlson, Westlin, Boldon, Cwodzinski, Marty, Port

Nays: Koran, Bahr, Limmer, Lucero, Mathews

The meeting was adjourned at 4:09 p.m.

Liz Bolder	Ahristine Blad
Senator Liz Boldon, Chair	Christie Blood, Legislative Assistant