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## Minnesota State Senate

Transportation Committee
Wednesday, February 19, 2025
3:00 PM, 1100 Minnesota Senate Bldg.

## **Minutes**

<u>Present</u>: Senator Jim Carlson, Senator D. Scott Dibble, Senator Robert D. Farnsworth, Senator Foung Hawj, Senator Jeff R. Howe, Senator John R. Jasinski, Senator Ann M. Johnson Stewart, Senator Andrew R. Lang, Senator Jennifer A. McEwen, Senator Susan Pha

**Absent:** Senator Carla J. Nelson

Chair D. Scott Dibble called the meeting to order at 3:05pm After each agenda item and before official action was taken, time was allotted for committee discussion and potential amendments.

S.F. 1361: Senator Johnson Stewart: Various driver's licenses provisions modifications.

Vice Chair Ann Johnson Stewart presented SF 1361 - Various driver's licenses provisions modifications

Testimony was hear from the following individuals:

Pong Xiong, Driver and Vehicle Services Director

<u>S.F. 294:</u> Senator Jasinski: Driver's license road skills examination availability online modifications and road skills examination cancellation fees modification.

Senator John R. Jasinski presented SF 294 - Driver's license road skills examination availability online modifications and road skills examination cancellation fees modification

Testimony was hear from the following individuals:

- Pong Xiong, Driver and Vehicle Services Director
- Pat Benner, AFSCME Council 5

Senator Dibble moved that S.F. 294, be laid over. - MOTION PREVAILED.

<u>S.F. 1181:</u> Senator Jasinski: Availability modification of road skills examinations on the division of Driver and Vehicle Services website.

Senator Jasinski presented SF 1181 - Availability modification of road skills examinations on the division of Driver and Vehicle Services website

Testimony was hear from the following individuals:

Pong Xiong, Driver and Vehicle Services Director

<u>S.F. 1164:</u> Senator Jasinski: Full-Service driver and vehicle services provider account establishment and fee distribution modification.

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Senator Jasinski presented SF 1164 - Full-Service driver and vehicle services provider account establishment and fee distribution modification

Senator Jasinski moved the A1 amendment. Via voice vote, the motion prevailed and the A1 amendment was adopted.

Testimony was hear from the following individuals:

- · Pong Xiong, Driver and Vehicle Services Director
- Pat Benner, AFSCME Council 5
- Amanda Coppin, Deputy Registrar Business Owners Assoc.
- Mike Hintz, Minnesota Deputy Registrars Assoc.
- Donny Vosen, Coppin, Deputy Registrar Business Owners Assoc.

Senator Dibble moved that S.F. 1164, be laid over. - MOTION PREVAILED.

## <u>S.F. 1165:</u> Senator Jasinski: Money distribution to deputy registrars for no-fee transactions authorization and appropriation.

Senator Jasinski presented SF 1165 - Money distribution to deputy registrars for no-fee transactions authorization and appropriation

Testimony was hear from the following individuals:

- Pong Xiong, Driver and Vehicle Services Director
- Amanda Coppin, Deputy Registrar Business Owners Assoc.
- Mike Hintz, Minnesota Deputy Registrars Assoc.
- Donny Vosen, Coppin, Deputy Registrar Business Assoc.

Senator Dibble moved that S.F. 1165, be laid over. - MOTION PREVAILED.

Chair Dibble adjourned the meeting at 4:25pm

Senator D. Scott Dibble, Chair

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Alex Will, Legislative Assistant