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12:30 pm

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Agenda

1. Call to Order
2. Presentation by Intergovernmental Misclassification Enforcement and Education Partnership
 - a. Nicole Blissenbach, Commissioner, Department of Labor and Industry
 - b. Evan Rowe, Deputy Commissioner, Department of Employment and Economic Development
 - c. Sarah Bronson, Assistant Commissioner, Department of Revenue
 - d. Lee Atakpu, Wage Theft Division Manager, Office of the Attorney General
3. Informational Hearing on Registered Apprenticeships in Minnesota
 - a. Erin Larson, Director of Apprenticeships, Department of Labor and Industry
 - b. Dr. Michael Favor, Superintendent of Intermediate School District 917
 - c. John Quarnstrom, President, Sheet Metal, Air Conditioning & Roofing Contractors Association
 - d. Tom Aasheim, Director of Technical Education, Finishing Trades Institute of the Upper Midwest
 - e. Sophie Thaden, MN Mechanical Contractors Association
 - f. Travis Rust, Instructor, Minneapolis Electrical Joint Apprenticeship Training Committee
 - g. Trevor Ogilvie, Apprenticeship Director, United Association of Plumbers and Gasfitters Local 15
 - h. Barb Pecks, Retired Chair, Midwest District International Sisters in the Brotherhood
 - i. Justin Rost, Sheet Metal Workers' Local 10
4. Adjourn