

Minnesota State Senate

Rules and Administration Subcommittee on Ethical Conduct
Thursday, April 24, 2025
11:00 AM, 1100 Minnesota Senate Bldg.

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Minutes

Present: Senator Sandra L. Pappas - **Chair**, Senator Mary K. Kunesh, Senator Andrew Mathews, Senator Jeremy R. Miller
Absent: No Members Absent

Senator Sandra L. Pappas called the meeting to order at 11:04am

Senate Rule 55.2 Request - April 7, 2025

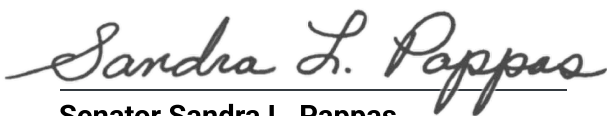
Testifiers:
- Senator Bobby Joe Champion
- Charles Nauen, Attorney, Lockridge Grindal Nauen

Senator Sandra L. Pappas called a recess at 12:00pm

Senator Sandra L. Pappas called the meeting back to order at 12:41pm

Senator Matthews moves that the Subcommittee find that Senator Champion has no financial conflict of interest under Minn. Stat. 10A.07 and Senate Rule 56.4 relating to SF 2978 in 2025, however the Subcommittee recommends that in the future Senator Champion disclose any appearance of a potential conflicts of interest to the committees of interest when he is the chief author of bills; the Subcommittee further makes no finding on SF 2970 from 2023; and that an advisory opinion be issued to this effect. MOTION PREVAILS on voice vote.

The meeting was adjourned at 12:49pm


Senator Sandra L. Pappas


Maryam Arab, Legislative Assistant