

Legislative Commission on Data Practices

Minutes

Tuesday, October 17, 2017
Room 200, State Office Building
2:00 PM

Members Present:

Rep. Scott, Chair
Sen. Limmer, Vice Chair
Sen. Kent
Rep. Lesch
Rep. Lucero
Sen. Newman
Rep. Schultz

Members Excused:

Sen. Schoen

Rep. Scott called the meeting of the Legislative Commission on Data Practices to order at 2:03 PM in Room 200 of the State Office Building.

A quorum was present.

Rep. Scott moved approval of the September 19, 2017 meeting minutes. THE MOTION PREVAILED.

Rep. Lucero presented an overview of HF 1507: Student Data Privacy Act created, and penalties provided.

Ben Feist, ACLU, provided testimony on HF 1507 and addressed commission members' questions.

Kersten Schulz, Minnesota Advocates and Champions for Children, addressed commission members' questions related to HF 1507.

Sen. Kent presented an overview of SF 1980: Student-user data privacy in education rights.

Rep. Scott introduced Maren Bardal, the Commission's new research assistant. Ms. Bardal provided a brief overview of her background.

The following people provided testimony on HF 1507 and SF 1980:

Kevin McHenry, Assistant Commissioner, Minnesota Department of Education

Todd Iverson, College Board

Joel VerDuin, Chief Technology and Information Officer, Anoka Hennepin Schools

Ben Feist, ACLU

Tony Kwilas, CompTIA

Grace Keliher, Minnesota School Board Association

Michelle Kenney, Minnesota School Board Association

Cass Wendlandt

Rich Neumeister

Rick Heller, Unofficially Representing the Twice Exceptional and Print Disabled

The meeting adjourned at 4:39 PM.