

**Legislative Commission on Data Practices  
Minutes**

Wednesday, November 4, 2015  
State Office Building, Room 200  
1:00 PM

Members Present:

Sen. Kent, Chair  
Rep. Scott, Vice Chair  
Rep. Lesch  
Sen. Limmer  
Rep. Simonson

Member Excused:

Sen. Dibble  
Rep. Lucero

Call to Order

Sen. Kent called the meeting of the Legislative Commission on Data Practices to order at 1:13 PM in the Basement Hearing Room of the State Office Building.

A quorum was present.

Approval of Minutes

Rep. Lesch moved approval of the October 20, 2015 meeting minutes. THE MOTION PREVAILED.

Background on Timberjay Bill/Review of Current Laws

Stacie Christensen, Director, Information Policy Analysis Division (IPAD), presented an overview of the Timberjay case and Timberjay bill.

Health Care Contracting and the Minnesota Data Practices Act

Nathan Moracco, Deputy Commissioner, Department of Human Services (DHS), presented a general overview of the DHS report on Health Care Contracting and the Minnesota Data Practices Act.

Stacie Christensen addressed Commission members' questions.

Public Testimony

The following people provided public testimony:

Matt Ehling, Minnesota Coalition of Government Information

Kathryn Kmit, Director, Policy and Government Affairs, Minnesota Council of Health Plans

Jim Grotz, Citizen

Sheila VanPelt, Citizen

Rich Neumeister, Citizen

The meeting adjourned at 2:50 PM.