Legislative Commission on Data Practices

Minutes

Tuesday, August 8, 2017
Room 1150, Minnesota Senate Building
10:00 AM

Members Present:
Rep. Scott, Chair
Rep. Lesch
Sen. Limmer
Rep. Lucero
Rep. Schultz

Members Excused:
Sen. Kent
Sen. Newman
Sen. Schoen

Call to Order
Sen. Limmer called the meeting of the Legislative Commission on Data Practices to order at 10:09 AM in Room 1150 of the Minnesota Senate Building.

A quorum was not present.

Access to Data Presentation
Stacie Christensen, Director, Department of Administration Data Practices Office, presented on access to data and copy costs.

Sen. Limmer announced a quorum was present at 10:36 AM.

Election of Chair
Rep. Lesch nominated Rep. Scott for the position of Chair of the Legislative Commission on Data Practices. THE MOTION PREVAILED.

Rep. Scott assumed the gavel.

Approval of Minutes
Sen. Limmer moved approval of the minutes from the March 3, 2016 meeting. THE MOTION PREVAILED.
**Appropriation for Commission Staff**
Rep. Scott spoke to the appropriation to the Commission for hiring part-time research staff. She noted that a position description for the research assistant position had been developed.

Greg Hubinger, Director, Legislative Coordinating Commission, addressed member questions related to benefits for position.

**Discussion of Topics to Study**
Members discussed the different topics they would like the Commission to study.

**Public Testimony**
The following people provided testimony:
Sheila Van Pelt
Rich Neumeister
Mark Hughes

**Election of Vice Chair**
Rep. Scott nominated Sen. Limmer for the position of Vice Chair of the Legislative Commission on Data Practices. THE MOTION PREVAILED.

The meeting adjourned at 11:40 AM.