

COMMUNICATIONS RECEIVED SUBSEQUENT TO ADJOURNMENT

May 20, 2013

The Honorable Sandra L. Pappas
President of the Senate

Dear Madam President:

Please be advised that I have received, approved, signed and deposited in the Office of the Secretary of State, Chapter 72, S.F. No. 1307; Chapter 79, S.F. No. 1006; Chapter 80, S.F. No. 346 and Chapter 81, S.F. No. 654.

Sincerely,
Mark Dayton, Governor

May 20, 2013

The Honorable Paul Thissen
Speaker of the House of Representatives

The Honorable Sandra L. Pappas
President of the Senate

I have the honor to inform you that the following enrolled Acts of the 2013 Session of the State Legislature have been received from the Office of the Governor and are deposited in the Office of the Secretary of State for preservation, pursuant to the State Constitution, Article IV, Section 23:

S.F. No.	H.F. No.	Session Laws Chapter No.	Time and Date Approved 2013	Date Filed 2013
1307		72	3:12 p.m. May 20	May 20
	740	73	3:13 p.m. May 20	May 20
	461	75	3:14 p.m. May 20	May 20
	580	76	3:15 p.m. May 20	May 20
	1069	77	3:16 p.m. May 20	May 20
	1138	78	3:19 p.m. May 20	May 20
1006		79	3:18 p.m. May 20	May 20
346		80	3:20 p.m. May 20	May 20
654		81	3:21 p.m. May 20	May 20

Sincerely,
Mark Ritchie
Secretary of State

May 22, 2013

The Honorable Paul Thissen
Speaker of the House of Representatives

The Honorable Sandra L. Pappas
President of the Senate

I have the honor to inform you that the following enrolled Act of the 2013 Session of the State Legislature has been received from the Office of the Governor and is deposited in the Office of the Secretary of State for preservation, pursuant to the State Constitution, Article IV, Section 23:

S.F. No.	H.F. No.	Session Laws Chapter No.	Time and Date Approved 2013	Date Filed 2013
	630	116	10:34 a.m. May 22	May 22

Sincerely,
Mark Ritchie
Secretary of State

May 23, 2013

The Honorable Sandra L. Pappas
President of the Senate

Dear Madam President:

Please be advised that I have received, approved, signed and deposited in the Office of the Secretary of State, Chapter 82, S.F. No. 745; Chapter 86, S.F. No. 671; Chapter 111, S.F. No. 489 and Chapter 142, S.F. No. 1589.

Sincerely,
Mark Dayton, Governor

May 23, 2013

The Honorable Paul Thissen
Speaker of the House of Representatives

The Honorable Sandra L. Pappas
President of the Senate

I have the honor to inform you that the following enrolled Acts of the 2013 Session of the State Legislature have been received from the Office of the Governor and are deposited in the Office of the Secretary of State for preservation, pursuant to the State Constitution, Article IV, Section 23:

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S.F. No.	H.F. No.	Session Laws Chapter No.	Time and Date Approved 2013	Date Filed 2013
745		82	11:15 a.m. May 23	May 23
	729	85	11:16 a.m. May 23	May 23
671		86	11:18 a.m. May 23	May 23
	1233	108	11:25 a.m. May 23	May 23
489		111	11:28 a.m. May 23	May 23
	976	114	11:31 a.m. May 23	May 23
	1444	117	11:39 a.m. May 23	May 23
	894	131	11:45 a.m. May 23	May 23
	*1183	137	10:14 a.m. May 23	May 23
1589		142	11:41 a.m. May 23	May 23
	677	143	12:13 p.m. May 23	May 23

Sincerely,
Mark Ritchie
Secretary of State

* Chapter with line item vetoes.

May 24, 2013

The Honorable Sandra L. Pappas
President of the Senate

Dear Madam President:

Please be advised that I have received, approved, signed and deposited in the Office of the Secretary of State, Chapter 87, S.F. No. 840; Chapter 88, S.F. No. 561; Chapter 115, S.F. No. 1276; Chapter 121, S.F. No. 796; Chapter 125, S.F. No. 827; Chapter 127, S.F. No. 1270; Chapter 128, S.F. No. 778; Chapter 138, S.F. No. 661; Chapter 141, S.F. No. 1656 and Chapter 144, S.F. No. 1664.

Sincerely,
Mark Dayton, Governor

May 24, 2013

The Honorable Paul Thissen
Speaker of the House of Representatives

The Honorable Sandra L. Pappas
President of the Senate

I have the honor to inform you that the following enrolled Acts of the 2013 Session of the State Legislature have been received from the Office of the Governor and are deposited in the Office of the Secretary of State for preservation, pursuant to the State Constitution, Article IV, Section 23:

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	542	83	2:07 p.m. May 24	May 24
	779	84	1:46 p.m. May 24	May 24
840		87	1:43 p.m. May 24	May 24
561		88	2:43 p.m. May 24	May 24
	681	89	2:08 p.m. May 24	May 24
	335	90	2:11 p.m. May 24	May 24
	694	91	2:43 p.m. May 24	May 24
	814	92	2:15 p.m. May 24	May 24
	1451	93	2:45 p.m. May 24	May 24
	161	94	2:48 p.m. May 24	May 24
	1390	95	1:58 p.m. May 24	May 24
	790	96	2:49 p.m. May 24	May 24
	1510	97	2:16 p.m. May 24	May 24
	215	98	2:58 p.m. May 24	May 24
	829	100	2:17 p.m. May 24	May 24
	738	101	1:51 p.m. May 24	May 24
	1304	102	2:52 p.m. May 24	May 24
	527	103	2:52 p.m. May 24	May 24
	80	104	2:53 p.m. May 24	May 24
	819	105	2:53 p.m. May 24	May 24
	1243	106	2:18 p.m. May 24	May 24
	975	107	1:57 p.m. May 24	May 24
	392	109	2:21 p.m. May 24	May 24
	1112	110	2:54 p.m. May 24	May 24
	946	112	1:55 p.m. May 24	May 24
	1117	113	2:55 p.m. May 24	May 24
1276		115	2:21 p.m. May 24	May 24
	792	118	2:23 p.m. May 24	May 24
	1118	119	2:23 p.m. May 24	May 24
	157	120	2:25 p.m. May 24	May 24
796		121	2:56 p.m. May 24	May 24
	1792	122	2:26 p.m. May 24	May 24

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	*1823	124		May 24
827		125	2:56 p.m. May 24	May 24
	1214	126	1:56 p.m. May 24	May 24
1270		127	1:40 p.m. May 24	May 24
778		128	1:58 p.m. May 24	May 24
	607	129	2:59 p.m. May 24	May 24
	1587	130	2:35 p.m. May 24	May 24
	854	132	1:58 p.m. May 24	May 24
	590	133	2:36 p.m. May 24	May 24
	1389	134	2:01 p.m. May 24	May 24
	1221	135	2:36 p.m. May 24	May 24
	1070	136	1:40 p.m. May 24	May 24
661		138	1:44 p.m. May 24	May 24
	228	139	2:37 p.m. May 24	May 24
	316	140	2:38 p.m. May 24	May 24
1656		141	2:39 p.m. May 24	May 24
1664		144	2:42 p.m. May 24	May 24

Sincerely,
 Mark Ritchie
 Secretary of State

* Proposed amendment to the Minnesota Constitution, not requiring Governor approval.

May 24, 2013

The Honorable Sandra L. Pappas
 President of the Senate

Dear Madam President:

I have received, approved, signed, and deposited in the Office of the Secretary of the State Chapter 99, Senate File 1236, the Omnibus Higher Education Bill, with the exception of the line item vetoes listed below:

The following items of appropriation are vetoed for the reasons below:

Page 5, line 5.29: A \$750,000 item of appropriation in FY 14 and a \$750,000 item of appropriation in FY 15 for Teach for America.

Teach for America (TFA) is a well-established, national program with revenues totaling \$270 million for fiscal year 2011 (its most recent annual report). With total expenses of \$219 million, TFA's net assets increased by over \$50 million and now total over \$350 million. With those financial resources available, it is not clear why a \$1.5 million grant from the State of Minnesota is required to continue or expand the organization's work here.

My principal concern, however, is the way in which TFA was selected as the recipient of this grant. To my knowledge, no competitive grant program was established; no other applications were solicited; and no objective review was made by an independent panel of experts. Instead, the funds were inserted into the Senate's Higher Education bill, directed to this organization, and retained in the Conference Committee's report.

If the Legislature deems it is in our state's best interest to encourage programs like TFA, a formal grant program should be established within the Minnesota Department of Education, and all qualifying organizations should be allowed to apply for funding. The legislation should establish the goals for such a program and the results by which its effectiveness will be evaluated. This type of competitive grants process would be a fairer way to distribute public funds.

Sincerely,
Mark Dayton
Governor

May 24, 2013

The Honorable Paul Thissen
Speaker of the House of Representatives

The Honorable Sandra L. Pappas
President of the Senate

I have the honor to inform you that the following enrolled Act of the 2013 Session of the State Legislature has been received from the Office of the Governor and is deposited in the Office of the Secretary of State for preservation, pursuant to the State Constitution, Article IV, Section 23:

S.F. No.	H.F. No.	Session Laws Chapter No.	Time and Date Approved 2013	Date Filed 2013
*1236		99	11:30 p.m. May 24	May 24

Sincerely,
Mark Ritchie
Secretary of State

* Chapter with line item veto.

May 28, 2013

The Honorable Paul Thissen
Speaker of the House of Representatives

The Honorable Sandra L. Pappas
President of the Senate

I have the honor to inform you that the following enrolled Act of the 2013 Session of the State Legislature has been received from the Office of the Governor, without the signature of the Governor, more than three days after presentment, and is deposited in the office of the Secretary of the State for preservation, pursuant to the State Constitution, Article IV, Section 23:

S.F. No.	H.F. No.	Session Laws Chapter No.	Time and Date Presented to the Governor 2013	Date Filed 2013
	853	123	9:46 a.m. May 22	May 28

Sincerely,
Mark Ritchie
Secretary of State

June 3, 2013

The Honorable Thomas M. Bakk, Chair
Committee on Rules and Administration

Dear Senator Bakk:

Pursuant to Senate Rule 47, the following bills remaining on General Orders after adjournment on May 20, 2013, were returned to the committees indicated:

S.F. No. 945 to the Committee on Education.

S.F. Nos. 92, 455, 674, 725, 726 and 1260 to the Committee on Environment and Energy.

S.F. Nos. 56, 266, 347, 373, 647, 712, 767, 874, 941, 1633 and 1644 and H.F. No. 1000 to the Committee on Finance.

S.F. No. 630 and H.F. Nos. 841 and 1604 to the Committee on Health, Human Services and Housing.

S.F. Nos. 252, 320, 641 and 943 to the Committee on Jobs, Agriculture and Rural Development.

S.F. Nos. 238, 433, 556, 632, 638, 643, 681, 800, 1002, 1081, 1143, 1269 and 1455 and H.F. Nos. 183, 474 and 647 to the Committee on Judiciary.

S.F. Nos. 1346 and 1374 and H.F. No. 664 to the Committee on Rules and Administration.

S.F. Nos. 448, 468, 600, 672, 915, 918, 1182 and 1414 and H.F. No. 938 to the Committee on State and Local Government.

S.F. Nos. 75 and 312 to the Committee on Taxes.

S.F. Nos. 185, 590, 608, 692, 742, 779, 851 and 985 to the Committee on Transportation and Public Safety.

Pursuant to Senate Rule 47, the following bills on the table were referred to the committees indicated:

H.F. No. 683 to the Committee on Environment and Energy.

H.F. No. 826 to the Committee on Finance.

H.F. No. 1136 to the Committee on Health, Human Services and Housing.

H.F. No. 321 to the Committee on State and Local Government.

The following bill was pending appointment of a Conference Committee at the time of adjournment: S.F. No. 693.

Pursuant to Joint Rule 3.02(a), the following bills were laid on the table in the House of Representatives and the Conference Committees were discharged: H.F. Nos. 92 and 956.

Pursuant to Joint Rule 3.02(b), the following bills, which had been referred to the Committee on Rules and Administration under Joint Rule 2.03(a), were withdrawn and returned to the committees indicated:

S.F. Nos. 1232 and 1584 to the Committee on Finance.

S.F. No. 1603 to the Committee on Jobs, Agriculture and Rural Development.

S.F. Nos. 60, 810 and 1568 to the Committee on Judiciary.

S.F. No. 533 to the Committee on State and Local Government.

Pursuant to Joint Rule 3.02(c), the following line item veto contained in S.F. No. 1236 was laid on the table: Page 5, line 5.29.

Sincerely,
JoAnne M. Zoff
Secretary of the Senate

May 30, 2013

The Honorable Sandra L. Pappas
President of the Senate

Dear Senator Pappas:

As the Senate Minority Leader, I hereby make the following appointment:

Pursuant to Minnesota Laws 2013

Chapter 131, article 4, section 2: Electronic Roster Task Force - Senator Kiffmeyer to serve until January 31, 2014.

Sincerely,
David W. Hann
Senate Minority Leader

June 12, 2013

The Honorable Sandra L. Pappas
President of the Senate

Dear Senator Pappas:

As the Senate Minority Leader, I hereby make the following appointments:

Pursuant to Minnesota Laws 2013

Chapter 9, section 13: Minnesota Insurance Marketplace Legislative Oversight Committee - Senators Nienow and Benson to serve at the pleasure of the appointing authority.

Chapter 116, article 3, section 33: Teacher Licensure Advisory Task Force - Senator Nienow to serve at the pleasure of the appointing authority.

Sincerely,
David W. Hann
Senate Minority Leader

June 27, 2013

The Honorable Sandra L. Pappas
President of the Senate

Dear Senator Pappas:

The Subcommittee on Committees met on June 26, 2013, and by appropriate action made the following appointments:

Pursuant to Minnesota Session Laws 2013

Chapter 116, article 3, section 33: Teacher Licensure Advisory Task Force - Senator Dahle to serve at the pleasure of the appointing authority.

Chapter 131, article 4, section 2: Electronic Roster Task Force - Senator Terri Bonoff to serve until January 31, 2014.

Chapter 143, article 12, section 21: Legislative Office Facilities Selection Committee - Senators Bakk, Rest and Senjem to serve at the pleasure of the appointing authority.

Sincerely,
Thomas M. Bakk
Chair, Subcommittee on Committees
State Senator, District 3

July 18, 2013

The Honorable Sandra L. Pappas
President of the Senate

Dear Senator Pappas:

As the Senate Majority Leader, I hereby make the following appointment:

Pursuant to Minnesota Statutes 2012

144.998: Environmental Health Tracking and Biomonitoring Advisory Panel - Jon O'Neal to serve at the pleasure of the appointing authority.

Also, in accordance with the orders of the Ramsey County District Court and ClearWay Minnesota's amended Articles of Incorporation, I hereby appoint Galen Vetter to the ClearWay Minnesota Board of Directors, to serve until July 18, 2016.

Sincerely,
Thomas M. Bakk
Majority Leader
State Senator, District 3

September 9, 2013

The Honorable Sandra L. Pappas
President of the Senate

Dear Senator Pappas:

The Subcommittee on Committees met on September 9, 2013, and by appropriate action made the following appointments:

Pursuant to Minnesota Statutes 2012

3.9223: Council on Affairs of Chicano/Latino People - Remove Senator Petersen, B. and add Senator Nelson to serve as a nonvoting member at the pleasure of the appointing authority.

256B.0625: Nonemergency Medical Transportation Advisory Committee - Remove Senator Carlson and add Senator Sheran to serve at the pleasure of the appointing authority.

Pursuant to Minnesota Session Laws 2013

Chapter 85, article 3, section 9: Trade Policy Advisory Council - Senator Hoffman to serve until January 5, 2015.

Chapter 116, article 8, section 1: Minnesota Youth Council Committee - Senator Dahle to serve as legislative liaison at the pleasure of the appointing authority.

Chapter 143, article 12, section 21: Legislative Office Facilities Selection Committee - Remove Senator Bakk and add Victor Thorstenson to serve at the pleasure of the appointing authority until September 24, 2013. Effective September 25, 2013, remove Victor Thorstenson and add Senator Bakk to serve at the pleasure of the appointing authority.

Sincerely,
Thomas M. Bakk
Chair, Subcommittee on Committees
State Senator, District 3

September 30, 2013

The Honorable Sandra L. Pappas
President of the Senate

Dear Senator Pappas:

As the Minnesota Senate Tax Chair, I hereby make the following appointment:

Pursuant to Minnesota Statutes 2012

297A.995: Uniform Sales and Use Tax Administration Act, Streamlined Sales Tax Governing Board
- Senator Ann Rest to serve at the pleasure of the appointing authority.

Please remove Representative Greg Davids from the board.

Sincerely,
Rod Skoe
Chair, Tax Committee
State Senator, District 2

