Joint House/Senate Subcommittee on Claims

Subcommittee Minutes

Friday, March 26, 2010 Capitol Room 125 10:40 p.m.

In Attendance

Rep. Lyle Koenen

Rep. Mary Murphy

Rep. Bruce Anderson

Sen. Ron Latz

Sen. Rick Olseen

Sen. David Hann

Call to Order by Chair Latz: 10:40 a.m. A quorum is present.

Craig Lindeke, Senior Assistant Revisor of Statutes, served as counsel to the subcommittee.

Representative Anderson **MOVED** to approve the minutes from October 30, 2009 subcommittee meeting. **MOTION PREVAILED**.

1. Craig Lindeke presented the William Heins claim against the Office of the State Court Administrator.

Testified on Heins claim:

- William Heins, claimant
- Judy Rehak, State Court Administrator
- Timothy Bloomquist, Chief Judge 10th District
- G. Tony Atwal, State Public Defender

Representative Anderson **MOVED** to table the Heins claim, and to request information from the State Court Administrator. **MOTIONED PREVAILED**.

2. Craig Lindeke presented the 2009 Department of Corrections reimbursement request for \$2,181.26 for Sentence to Serve (STS) and Community Work Service payments.

Testified on STS Medical Reimbursement:

Nacole Lind, Department of Corrections

Senator Olseen MOVED to approve the reimbursement. MOTION PREVAILED.

3. Craig Lindeke presented the *Total Auto Solutions claim against the Department of Public Safety Driver and Vehicle Services Division*

Testified on Total Auto Solutions claim:

- Patricia McCormack, DVS
- Vicki Albu, DVS
- Gary Stephenson, Total Auto Solutions, claimant

Senator Olseen **MOVED** to deny the Total Auto Solutions Claim. **MOTION PREVAILED**.

4. Craig Lindeke presented the *Melissa Mills claim against Minnesota Management and Budget*.

Testified on Mills claim:

- Nathan Moracco, Minnesota Management and Budget
- Melissa Mills, claimant
- Representative Jim Abeler

Senator Olseen MOVED to deny the Mills claim. MOTION PREVAILED.

5. Craig Lindeke presented property claims against the Department of Corrections, numbered 1 thru 26 on the agenda.

Senator Olseen **MOVED** to deny all other property claims except for *the Harvey LaDoucer*, *Travis Cormier and Monique McFarland claims*. **MOTION PREVAILED**.

Testified on property claims:

• Nacole Lind, Department of Corrections

Representative Murphy MOVED to deny the Cormier claim. MOTION PREVAILED. Representative Murphy MOVED to deny the McFarland claim. MOTION PREVAILED. Representative Murphy MOVED to deny the LaDoucer claim. MOTION FAILED. Senator Hann MOVED to pay \$84.94 in the LaDoucer claim. MOTION PREVAILED.

6. Craig Lindeke presented the injury claims against the Department of Corrections numbered 1-10 on the agenda.

Testified on injury claims:

• Randy Hartnett, Department of Corrections

Senator Olseen MOVED to approve and pay \$7,200.00 in the Finch claim. MOTION PREVAILED. Senator Olseen MOVED to approve and pay \$3,750.00 in the Lamke claim. MOTION PREVAILED. Senator Olseen MOVED to approve and pay \$1,875.00 in the McKay claim. MOTION PREVAILED. Senator Olseen MOVED to approve and pay \$13,903.33 in the Westring claim. MOTION PREVAILED. Senator Olseen MOVED to approve and pay \$4,736.00 in the Hamilton claim. MOTION PREVAILED. Senator Olseen MOVED to table the rest of the injury claims until the next meeting. MOTION PREVAILED.

Meeting adjourned at 2:00 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Representative Lyle Koenen, Chair Joint House/Senate Subcommittee on Claims

Senator Ron Latz, Co-Chair Joint House/Senate Subcommittee on Claims

Peter Jannett, Clerk Joint House/Senate Subcommittee on Claims